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OF THE
HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES

OF THE
46th General Assembly

OF THE
STATE OF ILLINOIS

Convened at the Capitol in Springfield January 6, 1909,
and Adjourned *sine die* June 4, 1909.



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OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Speaker,

EDWARD D. SHURTLEFF, of Marengo.

Clerk,

B. H. McCANN, of Bloomington.

Doorkeeper,

EDWIN HARLAN, of Marshall.

Postmaster,

MRS. MILLIE JACKSON, of Salem.

SUMMARY OF BILLS.

The Forty-sixth General Assembly convened January 6, A. D., 1909,
and adjourned *sine die* June 4, A. D., 1909.

Classification.	Senate.	House.	Total.
Introduced	528	740	1,268
Passed both Houses	104	156	260
Enacted into laws	91	129	220
Approved by Governor	89	123	212
Enacted without approval of Governor	2	6	8
Vetoed by Governor	13	27	40

SENATE BILLS ENACTED INTO LAWS—91.

1	57	196	275	364	449
2	62	197	280	367	456
9	68	225	281	375	457
11	77	230	284	385	476
12	91	232	305	390	490
16	96	234	312	392	497
22	120	243	326	393	498
24	139	250	332	396	501
27	145	251	337	415	502
37	154	262	338	419	508
42	*159	265	345	428	517
44	169	266	355	436	519
49	173	*272	357	442	520
53	174	273	358	443	521
56	195	274	359	448	523
					528

HOUSE BILLS ENACTED INTO LAWS—129.

12	92	166	318	*334	667
17	95	171	361	537	670
19	100	176	363	555	672
21	104	181	382	578	683
31	108	184	394	579	686
32	109	188	*401	581	687
33	110	189	405	587	688
36	115	190	406	593	699
37	117	196	*411	*596	704
39	124	205	422	600	706
57	125	215	430	607	711
59	126	229	432	627	712
66	127	232	434	629	714
68	128	244	448	631	719
69	136	249	458	632	721
70	142	254	462	634	723
71	154	275	488	642	724
72	155	276	490	*645	730
73	156	290	498	657	732
75	157	293	517	658	*737
76	162	294	524	666	740
77	165	297			

BILLS VETOED IN FULL—40.

SENATE—13.

48	414
106	431
226	463
242	479
244	512
283	525
377	

HOUSE—27.

45	243	474	616
56	307	478	633
74	320	491	654
86	381	528	697
186	439	585	701
237	470	604	731
239	472	608	

* Enacted into law without approval of Governor—8.

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JOURNAL

OF THE

House of Representatives

OF THE

Forty-Sixth General Assembly

OF THE

STATE OF ILLINOIS.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1909.

At a regular session of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, begun and holden at the Capitol, in the city of Springfield, at 12:00 o'clock, noon, on the Wednesday next after the first Monday in January, the same being the sixth day of January in the year of our Lord, 1909, pursuant to the provisions of section nine (9), article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois.

The Hon. James A. Rose, Secretary of State, called the House to order and presided over its deliberations until the election of a temporary presiding officer, as provided by the Constitution.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Mr. T. D. Logan.

The Secretary of State designated B. H. McCann and J. H. Hogan as Provisional Clerks pending the temporary organization of the House and directed Mr. McCann to call the roll of Representatives-elect of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, compiled as follows from the official returns on file in the office of the Secretary of State.

Dist.	Name.	Address.	County.	Party.
1	Alexander Lane	1937 Archer ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Francis P. Brady	1311 Michigan ave., Chicago	do	do
	John Griffin	381 S. State st., Chicago	do	Dem
2	Paul I. Zaabel	815 W. Taylor st., Chicago	do	Rep
	Frank J. McNichols	520 S. Winchester ave., Chicago	do	do
	Geo. L. McConnell	408 Ashland blvd., Chicago	do	Dem
3	Oliver Sollitt	4020 Prairie ave., Chicago	do	Rep
	Charles Lederer	903 Chamber of Commerce, Chicago	do	do
	John P. Walsh	723 31st st., Chicago	do	Dem
4	Emil O. Kowalski	150 W. 44th st., Chicago	do	Rep
	William Murphy	4358 Shields ave., Chicago	do	Dem
	George C. Hilton	5457 S. Ashland ave., Chicago	do	do
5	Morton Denison Huil	181 LaSalle st., Chicago	do	Rep
	Wm. Tudor Ap Madoc	5023 Grand blvd., Chicago	do	do
	Charles Naylor	4909 Wabash ave., Chicago	do	Dem
6	William F. Zipp	1272 Lyman ave., Chicago	do	Rep
	Richard P. Hagan	2468 N. Paulina st., Chicago	do	do
	Robert E. Wilson	1180 Perry st., Chicago	do	Dem
7	Wm. H. Maclean	Wilmette	do	Rep
	Louis J. Pierson	Wilmette	do	do
	Walter A. Lantz	LaGrange	do	Dem
8	A. K. Stearns	Waukegan	Lake	Rep
	Edward D. Shurtleff	Marengo	McHenry	do
	Thos. F. Burns	Belvidere	Boone	Dem
9	David E. Shanahan	185 Dearborn st., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Edward J. Murphy	850 35th st., Chicago	do	Dem
	Anton J. Cermak	1243 S. Trumbull ave., Chicago	do	do
10	Johnson Lawrence	Polo	Ogle	Rep
	Earl D. Reynolds	Rockford	Winnebago	do
	James H. Corcoran	Rockford	do	Dem
11	Henry D. Fulton	334 W. 62d st., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Chester W. Church	145 LaSalle st., Chicago	do	do
	James J. O'Toole	6536 Marshfield ave., Chicago	do	Dem
12	Stephen Rigney	Red Oak	Stephenson	Rep
	William W. Gillespie	Savanna	Carroll	do
	Martin J. Dillon	Galena	Jo Daviess	Dem
13	Benton F. Kleeman	1417 Michigan ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Cornelius J. Ton	10752 Lafayette ave., Chicago	do	do
	John J. Poulton	9131 Exchange ave., Chicago	do	Dem
14	Arwin E. Price	Elgin	Kane	Rep
	Frank W. Shepherd	Elgin	do	do
	Geo. W. Alschuler	Aurora	do	Dem
15	Thomas Curran	682 S. Center ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	John O. Hruby Jr	539 S. Center ave., Chicago	do	Dem
	Edward J. Forst	701 W. 19th st., Chicago	do	do
16	Josiah Kerrick	Minook	Woodford	Rep
	Harrison T. Ireland	Washburn	Marshall	do
	Michael Fahy	Toluca	do	Dem
17	Edward J. Smejkal	720 Reaper blk., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Emanuel M. Abrahams	322 W. 12th st., Chicago	do	Dem
	Peter F. Galligan	242 S. Morgan st., Chicago	do	do
18	Charles F. Black	Mapleton	Peoria	Rep
	Lucas Isaac Butts	Peoria	do	do
	Thomas N. Gorman	Peoria	do	Dem
19	James M. Kittleman	Berwyn	Cook	Rep
	Chas. A. Schumacher	2092 W. 26th st., Chicago	do	do
	John J. McLaughlin	145 LaSalle st., Chicago	do	Dem
20	Israel Dudgeon	Morris	Grundy	Rep
	Geo. H. Hamilton	Watseka	Iroquois	do
	J. W. Allison	Essex	Kankakee	Dem
21	William H. Troyer	220 N. Central Park ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Frederick E. Erickson	256 N. Carpenter st., Chicago	do	do
	Thomas J. O'Brien	203 N. Morgan st., Chicago	do	Dem
22	Wm. P. Holaday	Danville	Vermilion	Rep
	J. Russ Grace	Chrisman	Edgar	do
	Geo. W. Myers	Paris	do	Dem
23	Christopher Beck	793 N. Kedzie ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Charles Richter	876 Milwaukee ave., Chicago	do	do
	Patrick F. Murray	819 N. Claremont ave., Chicago	do	Dem
24	Chas. Adkins	Bement	Piatt	Rep
	Homer E. Shaw	Bement	do	Dem
25	Lewis Hutzler	77 Johnston ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep
	Chas. L. Fieldstack	Irving Park	do	do
	Frank J. Wilson	2533 N. 45th ave., Chicago	do	Dem
26	John A. Montelius	Piper City	Ford	Rep
	Wm. H. Wright	McLean	McLean	do
	Daniel D. Donahue	Bloomington	do	Dem

Dist.	Name.	Address.	County.	Party.
27	Albert Glade	9 N. Curtis st., Chicago.....	Cook	Rep.....
	John O'Neil	78 S. Ashland blvd., Chicago.....	do	Dem.....
	Jos. S. Geshkewich	674 Milwaukee ave., Chicago.....	do	do
28	Edwin C. Perkins	Lincoln	Logan	Rep.....
	John R. Robinson	Farmer City	DeWitt	do
29	Edward Hope	49 Lincoln Park blvd., Chicago.....	Cook	Rep.....
	Charles A. Nelson	80 Hill st.	do	do
	Patrick J. Sullivan	118 Chestnut st., Chicago	do	Dem.....
30	Louis Zinger	Pekin.....	Tazewell	Rep.....
	A. M. Foster	Rushville.....	Schuylcr	Dem.....
	Wm. M. Groves.....	Petersburg	Menard.....	do
31	Matthew Mills	1600 Graceland ave., Chicago.....	Cook	Rep.....
	Charles E. Erby	254 Lincoln ave., Chicago.....	do	do
	John C. Werdell	82 Mohawk st., Chicago.....	do	Dem.....
32	Henry Terrill	Colchester.....	McDonough	Rep.....
	Henry L. Jewell	Monmouth.....	Warren	do
	John Huston.....	Blandsville.....	McDonough	Dem.....
33	Thomas Campbell	Rock Island.....	Rock Island	Rep.....
	Frank E. Abbey	Biggsville.....	Henderson	do
	Henry L. Wheelan	Rock Island.....	Rock Island	Dem.....
34	Carl S. Burgett	Newman.....	Douglas.....	Rep.....
	Wm. T. Hollenbeck.....	Marshall	Clark	do
	Polk B. Briscoe.....	Westfield	do	Dem.....
35	John H. Gray	Morrison.....	Whiteside	Rep.....
	Adam Collins Cliffe.....	Sycamore.....	DeKalb	do
	Wm. A. Kannally	Sterling.....	Whiteside	Dem.....
36	Geo. H. Wilson.....	Quincy.....	Adams	Rep.....
	Charles E. Bolin	Milton.....	Pike	Dem.....
	Jacob Groves.....	Camp Point	Adams	do
37	Francis J. Liggett	Bradford.....	Stark	Rep.....
	Clayton C. Pervier	Sheffield.....	Bureau	do
	William J. McGuire.....	Kewanee.....	Henry	Dem.....
38	William H. Behrens	Carlinville.....	Macoupin.....	Rep.....
	Louis P. Daley	do	do	Dem.....
	Henry A. Shephard	Jerseyville.....	Jersey.....	do
39	Wm. M. Scanlan	Peru.....	LaSalle	Rep.....
	William R. Lewis	Grand Ridge	do	do
	Lee O'Neil Browne	Ottawa.....	do	Dem.....
40	Dell D. Brownback.....	Cowden.....	Shelby	Rep.....
	John C. Richardson	Edinburg.....	Christian	Dem.....
	Joseph S. Clark	Vandalia.....	Fayette.....	do
41	Guy L. Bush	Downers Grove	DuPage	Rep.....
	Frank L. Parker	Joliet.....	Will	do
	Thomas H. Riley.....	do	do	Dem.....
42	Charles L. McMackin	Salem.....	Marion	Rep.....
	H. J. C. Beckemeyer.....	Carlyle.....	Clinton	Dem.....
	Harvey D. McCollum.....	Louisville.....	Clay.....	do
43	Burnett M. Chipfield.....	Canton.....	Fulton	Rep.....
	Edward J. King	Galesburg	Knox	do
	J. H. DeWolf	Canton	Fulton	Dem.....
44	William Stevenson	Tilden.....	Randolph	Rep.....
	James M. Etherton	Carbondale	Jackson	Dem.....
	Charles Sumner Luke	Nashville.....	Washington	do
45	Thomas E. Lyon	Springfield	Sangamon	Rep.....
	Harry W. Wilson.....	do	do	do
	James F. Morris.....	do	do	Dem.....
46	George B. Welborn	Woodlawn.....	Jefferson	Rep.....
	Wm. C. Blair	Mt. Vernon	do	Dem.....
	Thomas Tippit	Olney.....	Richland	do
47	J. C. Bardill.....	Highland	Madison	Rep.....
	Norman G. Flagg	Moro.....	do	do
	Michael S. Link.....	Mitchell	do	Dem.....
48	John A. Logan	Junction.....	Gallatin.....	Rep.....
	William E. Finley	Bridgeport.....	Lawrence.....	Dem.....
	Charles L. Scott.....	Grayville.....	Edwards	do
49	Fred Keck	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....	Rep.....
	John L. Flannigan.....	E. St. Louis.....	do	do
	Charles A. White.....	O'Fallon.....	do	Dem.....
50	R. D. Kirkpatrick.....	Benton.....	Franklin	Rep.....
	James W. Crawford	do	do	do
	Sidney B. Espy	do	do	Dem.....
51	Lewis E. York	Harrisburg.....	Saline	Rep.....
	Charles Durfee.....	Golconda.....	Pope	do
	George W. English	Vienna.....	Johnson	Dem.....

ABSENT.

24	Joseph Carter	Champaign.....	Champaign	Rep.....
28	Byron F. Staymates.....	Clinton	DeWitt	Dem.....

Mr. Pierson of Cook, offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That a committee of three (3) members be appointed by the presiding officer to call upon the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and request him to administer the oath of office to the members of the House of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, when ready to take the oath of office prescribed by the Constitution.

And the resolution was adopted.

The Chair thereupon appointed as such committee Messrs. Pierson, Liggett and Gorman.

Mr. Pierson from the committee heretofore appointed to wait upon the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and request him to administer the oath of office to the members of the House of Representatives, announced that Chief Justice James H. Cartwright of the Supreme Court was present and ready to perform the duty.

Thereupon the Secretary of State directed the Clerk of the House to again call the roll of members, for the purpose of administering the oath of office to the members present.

Whereupon the roll was called and the oath was administered by Mr. Chief Justice Cartwright of the Supreme Court to all those members of the House whose names are recorded as present on the following roll call.

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3	Oliver Sollitt.....	4020 Prairie ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Charles Lederer.....	903 Chamber of Commerce, Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	John P. Walsh.....	728 31st st., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
4	Emil O. Kowalski.....	150 W. 44th st., Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	William Murphy.....	4358 Shields ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
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	Wm. Tudor ApMadoc.....	5023 Grand blvd., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	Charles Naylor.....	4909 Wabash ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
6	William F. Zipf.....	1272 Lyman ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Richard P. Hagan.....	2466 N. Paulina st., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	Robert E. Wilson.....	1180 Perry st., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
7	Wm. H. Maclean.....	Wilmette.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Louis J. Pierson.....	do.....	do.....	do.....
	Walter A. Lantz.....	LaGrange.....	do.....	Dem.....
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10	Johnson Lawrence.....	Polo.....	Ogle.....	Rep.....
	Earl D. Reynolds.....	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....	do.....
	James H. Corcoran.....	do.....	do.....	Dem.....
11	Henry D. Fulton.....	334 W. 62nd st., Chicago.....	Cook.....	Rep.....
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	James J. O'Toole.....	6536 Marshfield ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
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	Chas. A. Schumacher.....	2092 W. 26th st., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
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	Clayton C. Pervier.....	Sheffield.....	Bureau.....	do.....
	William J. McGuire.....	Kewanee.....	Henry.....	Dem.....
38	William H. Behrens.....	Carlinville.....	Macoupin.....	Rep.....
	Louis P. Daley.....	do.....	do.....	Dem.....
	Henry A. Shephard.....	Jerseyville.....	Jersey.....	do.....
39	Wm. M. Scanlan.....	Peru.....	LaSalle.....	Rep.....
	William R. Lewis.....	Grand Ridge.....	do.....	do.....
	Lee O'Neil Browne.....	Ottawa.....	do.....	Dem.....
40	Dell D. Brownback.....	Cowden.....	Shelby.....	Rep.....
	John C. Richardson.....	Edinburg.....	Christian.....	Dem.....
	Joseph S. Clark.....	Vandalia.....	Fayette.....	do.....
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	Frank L. Parker.....	Joliet.....	Will.....	do.....
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	H. J. C. Beckemeyer.....	Carlyle.....	Clinton.....	Dem.....
	Harvey D. McCullom.....	Louisville.....	Clay.....	do.....
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	James M. Etherton.....	Carbondale.....	Jackson.....	Dem.....
	Charles Sumner Luke.....	Nashville.....	Washington.....	do.....
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	Harry W. Wilson.....	do.....	do.....	do.....
	James F. Morris.....	do.....	do.....	Dem.....
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	Thomas Tippitt.....	Olney.....	Richland.....	do.....
47	J. C. Bardill.....	Highland.....	Madison.....	Rep.....
	Norman G. Flagg.....	Moro.....	do.....	do.....
	Michael S. Link.....	Mitchell.....	do.....	Dem.....
48	John A. Logan.....	Junction.....	Gallatin.....	Rep.....
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49	Fred Keck.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.....	Rep.....
	John L. Flannigen.....	E. St. Louis.....	do.....	do.....
	Charles A. White.....	O'Fallon.....	do.....	Dem.....
50	R. D. Kirkpatrick.....	Benton.....	Franklin.....	Rep.....
	James W. Crawford.....	do.....	do.....	do.....
	Sidney B. Espy.....	do.....	do.....	Dem.....
51	Lewis E. York.....	Harrisburg.....	Saline.....	Rep.....
	Charles Durfee.....	Golconda.....	Pope.....	do.....
	George W. English.....	Vienna.....	Johnson.....	Dem.....

The Secretary of State announced that all members were present except Joseph Carter of Champaign, and Bryon F. Staymates of DeWitt county.

Mr. Perkins of Logan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the House now proceed to the selection of a temporary Speaker.

And the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Reynolds of Winnebago placed in nomination for temporary Speaker the Hon. Edward J. King of Knox.

Which nomination was seconded by Mr. Durfee of Pope county.

Mr. Luke of Washington, placed in nomination for temporary Speaker the Hon. Lee O'Neil Browne of LaSalle.

And the nomination was seconded by Mr. Bolin of Pike.

Mr. Erickson of Cook placed in nomination for temporary Speaker the Hon. William H. Troyer of Cook.

And the nomination was seconded by Mr. Hutzler.

Mr. Chipfield of Fulton placed in nomination for temporary Speaker the Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff of McHenry.

And the nomination was seconded by Mr. Lederer of Cook.

Mr. Beck of Cook placed in nomination for the office of temporary Speaker the Hon. Benton F. Kleeman of Cook.

There being no other nominations a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

For Mr. King	55 votes
For Mr. Browne	62 "
For Mr. Troyer	6 "
For Mr. Shurtleff	24 "
For Mr. Kleeman	2 "

Those voting for Mr. King are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Keck,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Adkins,	Flags,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Ton,
ApMadoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Black,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Brady,	Gray,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Brownback,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Rigney,	York,
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Robinson,	
Butts,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F.W.	
Church,	Hull,	McMackin,	Sollitt,	
Cliffe,	Jewell,	Mills,	Stevenson,	—55

Those voting for Mr. Browne are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,
Allison,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard,
Alschuler,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Tippit,
Blair,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geskewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	
DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	—62

Those voting for Mr. Troyer are: Messrs.

Beck,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Kleeman,	Richter,
Erickson,				—6

Those voting for Mr. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Bush,	Erby,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Zaabel,
Chipherfield,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Glade,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hope,	McNichols,	Smejkal,	—24

Those voting for Mr. Kleeman are: Messrs.

Shurtleff,	Troyer,	—2
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No candidate having received the necessary constitutional majority a call of the roll was again ordered resulting as follows:

For Mr. King	55
For Mr. Browne	62
For Mr. Troyer	7
For Mr. Shurtleff	24
For Mr. Kleeman	2

Those voting for Mr. King are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Hull,	Maclean,	Scanlon,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F.W.
ApMadoe,	Flags,	Keck,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Terrill,
Brady,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Ton,
Brownback,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Church,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Robinson,	York,
				—55

Those voting for Mr. Browne are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon.	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,
Allison,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Tippit,
Blair,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geskewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	
DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	

—62

Those voting for Mr. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Behrens	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Bush,	Erby,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Zaabel,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Glade,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hope,	McNichols,	Smejkal,	

—24

Those voting for Mr. Troyer are: Messrs.

Beck,	Fieldstack,	King,	Kleeman,	Richter,
Erickson,	Hutzler,			

—7

Those voting for Mr. Kleeman are: Messrs.

Shurtleff, Troyer, —2

No candidate having received the necessary constitutional majority a call of the roll was again ordered resulting as follows:

For Mr. King	55 votes
For Mr. Browne	3 "
For Mr. Troyer	6 "
For Mr. Shurtleff	84 "
For Mr. Kleeman	1 "

Those voting for Mr. King are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Terrill,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Ton,
ApMadoc,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Bardill,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Gray,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Brownback,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Rigney,	York,
Butts,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Robinson,	
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Church,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Cliffe,	Jewell,	Mills,	Sollitt,	
Durfee,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,	

—55

Those voting for Mr. Browne are: Messrs.

Groves, W. M. Shurtleff, White, —3

Those voting for Mr. Troyer are: Messrs.

Beck, Fieldstack, Hutzler, Kleeman, Richter, —6

Those voting for Mr. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Scott,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McNichols,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Blair,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Bolin,	Erby,	Huston,		Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Ireland,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Bush,	Finley,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Forst,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Foster,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Galligan,	Link,	Parker,	Zaabel,
Corcoran,	Geskewich,	Luke,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Gillespie,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Glade,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	

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Those voting for Mr. Kleeman are: Messrs.

Troyer, —1

Mr. Shurtleff of McHenry was declared elected temporary Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Shanahan of Cook offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That a committee of five (5) be appointed by the Secretary of State to conduct the temporary Speaker to the chair.

And the resolution was adopted:

The Secretary of State thereupon appointed as such committee the following:

Messrs. Shanahan, Durfee, Troyer, Browne, Tippit.

Whereupon the committee conducted the temporary Speaker, the Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff, to the chair, who, after taking the oath of office, administered by the Secretary of State, announced the next order of business to be the election of a temporary Clerk.

Whereupon Mr. Smejkal of Cook placed in nomination the name of Mr. B. H. McCann of McLean county for temporary Clerk.

Mr. White, of St. Clair placed in nomination the name of Mr. John P. Moran of Livingston county for the same office.

There being no other nominations a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

For Mr. McCann	87
For Mr. Moran	61

Those voting for Mr. McCann are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Mills,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Fieldstack,	King,	Parker,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Ton,
Black,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Piereson,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Glade,	Lane,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wright,
Butts,	Gray,	Lederer,	Rigney,	York,
Campbell,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zaabel,
Chiperfield,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Schmanlan,	Zinger,
Church,	Holaday,	Logan,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Shanahan,	
Crawford,	Hull,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Curran,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shurtleff,	

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Those voting for Mr. Moran are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Murray,	Tippt,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Huston,	Myers,	Walsh,
Blair,	Espy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Browne,	Forst,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Foster,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Geskewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Clark,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	
Corcoran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	
Daley,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,	

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Mr. McCann was declared elected temporary Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Stearns of Lake offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That a Committee on Credentials, consisting of seven (7) members, be appointed by the temporary Speaker, to which committee shall be referred the certificates of election held by the members of this House.

And the resolution was adopted.

Whereupon the temporary Speaker appointed the following named gentlemen to act as such committee:

Messrs. Stearns, Reynolds, Beck, Kleeman, Alschuler, DeWolf, Lantz.

Mr. A. K. Stearns from the Committee on Credentials, made the following report:

We, your Committee on Credentials, beg leave to report that we have carefully examined the certificates of election and find that the following named members hold the certificates from the Governor of the State of Illinois, showing their election to the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, entitling them to seats upon the floor of the House.

A. K. STEARNS,
E. D. REYNOLDS,
CHRISTOPHER BECK,
BENTON F. KLEEMAN,
GEO. W. ALSCHULER,
J. H. DEWOLF,
WALTER A. LANTZ.

Dist..	Name.	Address.	County.	Party.
1	Alexander Lane.....	1937 Archer ave., Chicago.....	Cook.....	Rep.....
	Francis P. Brady.....	1311 Michigan ave., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	John Griffin.....	381 S. State st., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
2	Paul I. Zaabel.....	815 W. Taylor st., Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Frank J. McNichols.....	520 S. Winchester ave., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	Geo. L. McConnell.....	408 Ashland boul., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
3	Oliver Sollitt.....	4020 Prairie ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Charles Lederer.....	903 Chamber of Commerce, Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	John P. Walsh.....	728 31st st., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
4	Emil O. Kowalski.....	150 W. 44th st. Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	William Murphy.....	4358 Shields ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
	George C. Hilton.....	5457 S. Ashland ave., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
5	Morton Denison Hull.....	181 LaSalle St., Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Wm. Tudor ApMadoc.....	5023 Grand boul., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	Charles Naylor.....	4909 Wabash ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
6	William F. Zipf.....	1272 Lyman ave., Chicago.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Richard P. Hagan.....	2466 N. Paulina st., Chicago.....	do.....	do.....
	Robert E. Wilson.....	1180 Perry st., Chicago.....	do.....	Dem.....
7	Wm. H. Maclean.....	Wilmette.....	do.....	Rep.....
	Louis J. Pierson.....	do.....	do.....	do.....
	Walter A. Lantz.....	LaGrange.....	do.....	Dem.....
8	A. K. Stearns.....	Waukegan.....	Lake.....	Rep.....
	Edward D. Shurtleff.....	Marengo.....	McHenry.....	do.....
	Thos. F. Burns.....	Belvidere.....	Boone.....	Dem.....

Dist.	Name.	Address.	County.	Party.
9	David E. Shanahan	185 Dearborn st., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Edward J. Murphy	850 35th st., Chicago	do	Dem
	Anton J. Cermak	1243 S. Trumbull ave., Chicago	do	do
10	Johnson Lawrence	Polo	Ogle	Rep.....
	Earl D. Reynolds	Rockford	Winnebago	do
	James H. Corcoran	do	do	Dem
11	Henry D. Fulton	334 W. 62d st., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Chester W. Church	145 LaSalle st., Chicago	do	do
	James J. O'Toole	6536 Marshfield ave., Chicago	do	Dem
12	Stephen Rigney	Red Oak	Stephenson	Rep.....
	William W. Gillespie	Savanna	Carroll	do
	Martin J. Dillon	Galena	Jo Daviess	Dem
13	Benton F. Kleeman	11417 Michigan ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Cornelius J. Ton	10752 LaFayette ave., Chicago	do	do
	John J. Poulton	9131 Exchange ave., Chicago	do	Dem
14	Arwin E. Price	Elgin	Kane	Rep.....
	Frank W. Shepherd	do	do	do
	Geo. W. Alschuler	Aurora	do	Dem
15	Thomas Curran	682 S. Center ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	John O. Hraby, Jr.	589 S. Center ave., Chicago	do	Dem
	Edward J. Forst	701 W. 19th st., Chicago	do	do
16	Josiah Kerrick	Minonk	Woodford	Rep.....
	Harrison T. Ireland	Washburn	Marshall	do
	Michael Fahy	Toluca	do	Dem
17	Edward J. Smejkal	720 Reaper block, Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Emanuel M. Abrahams	322 W. 12th st., Chicago	do	Dem
	Peter F. Gailligan	242 S. Morgan st., Chicago	do	do
18	Charles F. Black	Mapleton	Peoria	Rep.....
	Lucas Isaac Butts	Peoria	do	do
	Thomas N. Gorman	do	do	Dem
19	James M. Kittleman	Berwyn	Cook	Rep.....
	Chas. A. Schumacher	2092 W. 26th st., Chicago	do	do
	John J. McLaughlin	145 LaSalle st., Chicago	do	Dem
20	Israel Dudgeon	Morris	Grundy	Rep.....
	Geo. H. Hamilton	Watseka	Iroquois	do
	J. W. Allison	Essex	Kankakee	Dem
	William H. Troyer	220 N. Central Park ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Frederick E. Erickson	256 N. Carpenter st., Chicago	do	do
	Thomas J. O'Brien	203 N. Morgan st. Chicago	do	Dem
22	Wm. P. Holaday	Danville	Vermillion	Rep.....
	J. Russ Grace	Chrisman	Edgar	do
	Geo. W. Myers	Paris	do	Dem
23	Christopher Beck	793 N. Kedzie ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Charles Richter	876 Milwaukee ave., Chicago	do	do
	Patrick F. Murray	819 N. Claremont ave., Chicago	do	Dem
24	Chas. Adkins	Bement	Piatt	Rep.....
	Joseph Carter	Champaign	Champaign	do
	Homer E. Shaw	Bement	Piatt	Dem
25	Lewis Hutzler	77 Johnson ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Chas. L. Fieldstack	Irving Park, Chicago	do	do
	Frank J. Wilson	2533 N. 45th ave., Chicago	do	Dem
26	John A. Montelius	Piper City	Ford	Rep.....
	Wm. H. Wright	McLean	McLean	do
	Daniel D. Donahue	Bloomington	do	Dem
27	Albert Glade	9 N. Curtis st., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	John O'Neil	78 S. Ashland boul., Chicago	do	Dem
	Jos. S. Geshkewich	674 Milwaukee ave., Chicago	do	do
28	Edwin C. Perkins	Lincoln	Logan	Rep.....
	John R. Robinson	Farmer City	De Witt	do
	Byron F. Staymates	Clinton	do	Dem
29	Edward Hope	49 Lincoln Park boul., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Charles A. Nelson	80 Hill st., Chicago	do	do
	Patrick J. Sullivan	118 Chestnut st., Chicago	do	Dem
30	Louis Zinger	Pekin	Tazewell	Rep.....
	A. M. Foster	Rushville	Schuyler	Dem
	Wm. M. Groves	Petersburg	Menard	do
31	Matthew Mills	1600 Graceland ave., Chicago	Cook	Rep.....
	Charles E. Erby	254 Lincoln ave., Chicago	do	do
	John C. Werdell	82 Mohawk st., Chicago	do	Dem
32	Henry Terrill	Colchester	McDonough	Rep.....
	Henry L. Jewell	Monmouth	Warren	do
	John Huston	Blandinsville	McDonough	Dem
33	Thomas Campbell	Rock Island	Rock Island	Rep.....
	Frank E. Abbey	Biggsville	Henderson	do
	Henry L. Wheelan	Rock Island	Rock Island	Dem
34	Carl S. Burgett	Newman	Douglas	Rep.....
	Wm. T. Hollenbeck	Marshall	Clark	do
	Polk B. Briscoe	Westfield	do	Dem
35	John H. Gray	Morrison	Whiteside	Rep.....
	Adam Collins Cliffe	Sycamore	DeKalb	do
	Wm. A. Kannally	Sterling	Whiteside	Dem

Dist.	Name.	Address.	County.	Party.
36	Geo. H. Wilson	Quincy	Adams	Rep
	Charles E. Bolin	Milton	Pike	Dem
	Jacob Groves	Camp Point	Adams	do
37	Francis J. Liggett	Bradford	Stark	Rep
	Clayton C. Pervier	Sheffield	Bureau	do
	William J. McGuire	Kewanee	Henry	Dem
38	William H. Behrens	Carlinville	Macoupin	Rep
	Louis P. Daley	do	do	Dem
	Henry A. Shephard	Jerseyville	Jersey	do
39	Wm. M. Scanlan	Penn	LaSalle	Rep
	William R. Lewis	Grand Ridge	do	do
	Lee O'Neil Browne	Ottawa	do	Dem
40	Dell D. Brownback	Cowden	Shelby	Rep
	John C. Richardson	Edinburg	Christian	Dem
	Joseph S. Clark	Vandalia	Fayette	do
41	Guy L. Bush	Downers Grove	DuPage	Rep
	Frank L. Parker	Joliet	Will	do
	Thomas H. Riley	do	do	Dem
42	Charles L. McMackin	Salem	Marion	Rep
	H. J. C. Beckemeyer	Carlyle	Clinton	Dem
	Harvey D. McCollum	Louisville	Clay	do
43	Burnett M. Chipperfield	Canton	Fulton	Rep
	Edward J. King	Galesburg	Knox	do
	J. H. DeWolf	Canton	Fulton	Dem
44	William Stevenson	Tilden	Randolph	Rep
	James M. Etherton	Carbondale	Jackson	Dem
	Charles Sumner Luke	Nashville	Washington	do
45	Thomas E. Lyon	Springfield	Sangamon	Rep
	Harry W. Wilson	do	do	do
	James F. Morris	do	do	Dem
46	George B. Welborn	Woodlawn	Jefferson	Rep
	Wm. C. Blair	Mt. Vernon	do	Dem
	Thomas Tippet	Olney	Richland	do
47	J. G. Bardill	Highland	Madison	Rep
	Norman G. Flag	Moro	do	do
	Michael S. Link	Mitchell	do	Dem
48	John A. Logan	Junction	Gallatin	Rep
	William E. Finley	Bridgeport	Lawrence	Dem
	Charles L. Scott	Grayville	Edwards	do
49	Fred Keck	Belleville	St. Clair	Rep
	John L. Flannigen	E. St. Louis	do	do
	Charles A. White	O'Fallon	do	Dem
50	R. D. Kirkpatrick	Benton	Franklin	Rep
	James W. Crawford	do	do	do
	Sidney B. Epey	do	do	Dem
51	Lewis E. York	Harrisburg	Saline	Rep
	Charles Durfee	Golconda	Pope	do
	George W. English	Vienna	Johnson	Dem

Mr. Bush offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the House now proceed to the election of a Speaker and Clerk of this House.

And the resolution was adopted.

Whereupon Mr. Chipperfield of Fulton placed in nomination for the office of Speaker the Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff of McHenry.

Mr. Reynolds of Winnebago placed in nomination for the office of Speaker the Hon. Edward J. King of Knox.

Mr. Erickson of Cook placed in nomination for the office of Speaker the Hon. William H. Troyer of Cook.

Thereupon a call of the roll was had, resulting as follows:

For Mr. Shurtleff	85 votes
For Mr. King	54 "
For Mr. Troyer	5 "
For Mr. Browne	2 "

Those voting for Mr. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Glade,	McCollum,	Riley,
Allison,	Daley,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Black,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Blair,	Erby,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Bolin,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Burns,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Bush,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Chipperfield,	Galligan,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Geskewich,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Gillespie,	Link,	Parker,	Zinger,
Crawford,		Luke,	Poulton,	Zipf,

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Those voting for Mr. King are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Mills,	Shepherd, F.W.
ApMadoc,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Ton,
Burgett,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Price,	Welborn,
Butts,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hull,	Maclean,	Robinson,	York,

—55

Those voting for Mr. Troyer are: Messrs.

Beck,	Erickson,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Richter,
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Those voting for Mr. Browne are: Messrs.

Shurtleff,	White,	—2
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Mr. Shurtleff was declared elected Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Thereupon Mr. Smejkal moved to reconsider the vote by which Mr. Shurtleff had been elected Speaker.

Mr. Shanahan moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table and the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Smejkal placed in nomination for the office of Clerk Mr. B. H. McCann of McLean county.

There being no other nominations Mr. McCann was declared unanimously elected Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That a committee of five (5) members be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Governor and notify him that the House is organized by the election of a Speaker and Clerk and is now ready to receive any communication which he may have to present.

And the resolution was adopted.

The Speaker thereupon appointed as such committee the following members:

Messrs. Lederer, Church, Etherton, Bolin, O'Brien.

Mr. Abrahams of Cook offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, The people of Southern Italy and Sicily by reason of the recent earthquake, flood and fire devastating a wide territory and causing an unprecedented loss of life and property; and

WHEREAS, The suffering from the wide-spread want and destitution is far beyond the ability of their own fellow countrymen to relieve; and

WHEREAS, The spirit of our free American institutions recognize in each and every suffering being a brother and neighbor, and commits our people and our State to the broadest principles of humanity; and

WHEREAS, The countries now suffering, have contributed largely to this Republic, not only in material assistance in times of distress in this State and elsewhere, but also in the sturdy character of the men and women who have left their shores to add to the population and wealth of this nation; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, That the Governor be, and he is hereby, requested to issue a proclamation to the people of the State, urging them to give of their bounty for the relief of the starvation and suffering in said countries of Italy and Sicily.

And the resolution was adopted.

A message from the Senate, by J. H. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate is organized and ready for the transaction of business and has elected the following officers, viz.:

President *pro tempore*—Robert S. Hamilton.

Secretary—James H. Paddock.

First Assistant Secretary—John H. Byers.

Second Assistant Secretary—George W. Hill.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Joseph Figueria.

First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—J. C. W. Pittman.

Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—George W. Zinn.

Postmistress—Miss Evelyn Kinne.

Assistant Postmistress—Miss Adele H. Smith.

Policemen—William Petty, George Lindblade, Merriman Schoots.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

At the hour of 3:30 o'clock p. m. Mr. Erickson moved that the House do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. W. M. Groves.

The Journal of yesterday was being read when on motion of Mr. Reynolds the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following joint resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That the two Houses meet in joint session in the Hall of the House of Representatives, on Thursday, the seventh day of January, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 11:30 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the election for State officers, held on the third day of November, A. D. 1908, as required by the Constitution of this State.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Behrens offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Speaker be and is hereby authorized to appoint a Chaplain, to open the sessions with prayer at a per diem of \$3.00.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Curran offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be and is hereby authorized and required to furnish to the Clerk of the House upon his written order, all such printed matter as is necessary for the transaction of the business in his office.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Smejkal offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be authorized and required to furnish to the Clerk of the House upon his written order, all stationery, blank books, postage stamps, and such other supplies as may be necessary to enable him to perform his duties.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Kittleman offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House be authorized to draw orders on the Secretary of State for such printing, stationery, and other supplies as may be necessary for the transaction of the business of his office and the Secretary of State is hereby authorized to honor said orders.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Dudgeon offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the papers now and hereafter on the Speaker's desk, relating to contested suits in this House, presented by the Secretary of State, and all matters concerning said contest, be and the same are hereby referred to a committee to be known as the Committee on Election. Said committee to be appointed by the Speaker of the House and to have power, when appointed, to send for persons and papers, to take testimony, to employ a clerk, if found necessary, and to report to this House at any time.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Zipf offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Speaker be and is hereby authorized to appoint cloak-room attendants at a per diem of \$2.00.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Ireland offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be, and is hereby authorized, under the Statute, to appoint a minute clerk, a resolution clerk, a bill clerk, two typewriters, and a custodian of bills at the per diem allowed by law to assistant clerks and one messenger at a per diem of three dollars, and one janitor at a per diem of two dollars, and the Speaker is authorized and required to place the names of said appointees on the pay-roll of the House and the Auditor of Public Accounts is authorized and directed to draw warrants in favor of said appointees.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Beckemeyer offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Speaker be and is hereby authorized to appoint two clerks and a stenographer for the Committee on the Rights of the Minority, who shall be paid the per diem allowed to assistant clerks, and one janitor at the per diem of two dollars.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Stearns offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Speaker be and is hereby authorized to appoint a private secretary, clerk, two stenographers and a messenger at the same per diem as allowed to assistant clerks of the House, and a janitor to the Speaker's room at a per diem of two dollars.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted:

Mr. Erickson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House be and is hereby authorized to appoint one extra policeman of this House and detail him to take charge of the press galleries and the accommodation of the press.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House now proceed to the election of a postmaster of the House.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon Mr. McMackin placed in nomination for that office the name of Mrs. Millie Jackson, of Marion county.

There being no other nominations Mrs. Jackson was declared unanimously elected Postmaster.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House now proceed to the election of a door-keeper.

And the motion prevailed.

Thereupon Mr. Shanahan placed in nomination for that office the name of Capt. Edwin Harlan of Clark county.

Mr. King placed in nomination for the same office the name of Capt. J. B. Bush of Putnam county.

There being no other nominations a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

For Mr. Harlan..... 87 votes
For Mr. Bush..... 50 votes

Those voting for Mr. Harlan are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Shaw,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler.	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal.
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Murray,	Stearns.
Beckmeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Myers.	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Blair,	Espy,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh.
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Werdeil,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Lederer,	Parker,	White,
Bush,	Foster,	Link,	Poulton.	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Galligan,	Luke,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Richter,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Glade,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	
Curran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	
DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McNichols,	Shanahan,	—87

Those voting for Mr. Bush are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Terrill,
ApMadoc,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montkins,	Welborn,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick.	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Black,	Grace,	King,	Pierson,	Wright,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	York,
Brownback,	Hagan,	Kowalski,	Reynolds,	
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Rigney,	
Butts,	Holaday,	Logan,	Scanlan,	
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F.W.	
Church,	Hull,	Maclean,	Sollitt,	—50

Mr. Harlan was declared elected door-keeper of the House of Representatives.

At the hour of 11:05 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:30 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:30 o'clock, a. m. having arrived.

The House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following joint resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That the two Houses meet in joint session in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Friday, the eighth day of January, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the election for State officers, held on the third day of November, A. D. 1908, as required by the Constitution of this State.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Clerk notify the Senate that the House is organized by the election of a Speaker and other officers and is now ready to proceed with the business of the session.

And the resolution was adopted.

A message from the Senate by Mr. George W. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That a joint committee be appointed consisting of three members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker, and three members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, to have charge of and make all necessary arrangements for the inauguration of the Governor and other State officers on Monday, January 11, next, and that all necessary expense of the same be paid by vouchers signed by the Secretary of State when approved by said joint committee.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate provided for by the foregoing resolution, Senators Juul, Hay and Funk.

Adopted January 6, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, was ordered to lie upon the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

WHEREAS, A most appalling calamity has overtaken Southern Italy and Sicily, earthquake, flood and fire devastating a wide territory and causing an unprecedented loss of life and property; and,

WHEREAS, The suffering from the widespread want and destitution is far beyond the ability of their own fellow countrymen to alleviate and relieve; and,

WHEREAS, The spirit of our free American institutions recognizes in each and every suffering being, a brother and neighbor and commits our people and our State to the broadest principles of humanity; and,

WHEREAS, This country owes a debt of gratitude not only to its discoverer, Christopher Columbus, one of Italy's sons, but also to the sturdy character of the men and women who have left Italy's shores to become worthy and loyal citizens of our Republic; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring, That we appeal to the people of this State, urging them to give of their bounty for the relief of the sufferings of the people of Southern Italy and Sicily; and, be it

Resolved, That the Governor appoint a committee of three citizens to receive and transmit to the sufferers in the stricken district, all money collected for that purpose by them; and further, be it

Resolved, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Italian government by the Secretary of State.

Adopted January 6, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 was ordered to lie upon the Speaker's table.

Mr. Terrill offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, The Honorable William H. Neece, a former member of the Illinois General Assembly, departed this life on January 3, 1909; and

WHEREAS, He was a sincere, capable and efficient member and entitled to and commanded the respect of all; therefore, be it

Resolved, By this House that we express our regret in his death and tender our sincere sympathy to his family, relatives and friends; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution, suitably engrossed be forwarded to his family and as a further mark of our respect that the House do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 11:55 o'clock a. m., the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

At the hour of 10:15 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn until 5:00 o'clock, p. m., Monday, January 11, 1909.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 1909, 5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Behrens, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the Chair.

The Journal of Friday, January 8, 1909, was read and approved.

At the hour of 5:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Lane moved that this House do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, that the two Houses meet in joint session in the hall of the House of Representatives, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the election for State officers, held on the third day of November, A. D. 1908, as required by the Constitution of this State.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Behrens offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That a committee of nine, of which the Speaker shall be chairman be appointed by the Speaker to prepare and report rules for the government of this House during its present session.

And the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Chipperfield offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the rules of the House of Representatives of the 45th General Assembly be adopted as the rules of this House pending the adoption of the report of the Committee on Rules.

Pending consideration of the foregoing resolution Mr. Hull offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend motion to adopt rules of the House in the Forty-fifth General Assembly as the temporary rules of this House by adding to the rules of the 45th General Assembly and the temporary rules of this House paragraph numbered 62 to read as follows:

"Upon the report of the Committee on Rules being made to this House, it shall be in order for this House to accept or reject such report in full or to modify or amend the proposed rules reported back by such committee."

Mr. Chipperfield moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the resolution offered by Mr. Chipperfield it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted:

At the hour of 11:05 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the House do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock, a. m., tomorrow.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. Oliver W. Stewart.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 15.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate notify the House of Representatives that on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1909, at 11:00 o'clock a. m., the Senate will attend and be present in the Hall of the House of Representatives so that the returns of the election for State officers held on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1908, sealed up and transmitted by the returning officers to the Secretary of State, directed to the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall be opened and published in the presence of a majority of each house who shall for that purpose be there assembled as required by the Constitution.

Adopted by the Senate January 12, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

At the hour of 10:30 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the House do now take a recess until 10:55 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 10:55 o'clock a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

The hour of 11:00 o'clock, a. m. having arrived, being the time heretofore fixed by a joint resolution adopted by the House on January 12, 1909, and transmitted to the Senate on that date as follows:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, that the two houses meet in joint session in the Hall of the House of Representatives, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the election for State officers, held on the third day of November, A. D. 1908, as required by the Constitution of this State.

And also in a resolution adopted by the Senate and transmitted to the House January 13, 1909, which said resolution is as follows:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 15.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate, notify the House of Representatives that on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1909, at 11:00 o'clock a. m. the Senate will attend and be present in the Hall of the House of Representa-

tives so that the returns of the election for State officers held on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1908, sealed up and transmitted by the returning officers to the Secretary of State, directed to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, shall be opened and published in the presence of a majority of each House who shall for that purpose be there assembled as required by the Constitution.

The Senate preceded by its President, appeared in the hall of the House of Representatives, and by direction of the Speaker, were assigned seats.

Thereupon the joint assembly was called to order by the Speaker of the House, who declared that this was a meeting of the House with a majority of the Senate present to witness the canvass of the election returns for State officers.

The President of the Senate directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate, whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain.
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Deflenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee.	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson.	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw.	McCormick,	Womack,

Present—50

The President of the Senate announced a quorum of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of members, whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton.	Macleam,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
AbMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler.	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kerrick.	Myers,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Trover,
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Neill,	Werdell,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Parker,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Perkins.	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gray,	Liggett,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Link,	Richardson,	York,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Richter,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Riley,	

Present—144

The Speaker of the House announced a quorum of the House present.

A majority of each House of the General Assembly being present, the Speaker of the House, pursuant to section four (4) of article five (5) of the Constitution, proceeded to open the returns of the election held on the Tuesday next, after the first Monday of November, the same being the third day of November, A. D., 1908, for the election of the following State officers to-wit: for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor of Public Accounts, Treasurer and Attorney General, and to publish the same.

The returns having been duly opened and published in the presence of a majority of the members of each House of the General Assembly, the Speaker announced the result of the canvass of the votes cast at the election aforesaid for the above named State officers as follows, to-wit:

FOR GOVERNOR.

Charles S. Deneen received	550,076
Adlai E. Stevenson received	526,912
Daniel R. Sheen received	33,922
James H. Brower received	31,293
Gustav A. Jennings received	1,526
Geo. W. McCaskrin received	10,883

And it appearing from the canvass that Charles S. Deneen had received the highest number of votes cast for any person for the office of Governor, the said Charles S. Deneen was declared elected to the office of Governor of the State of Illinois for the term of four years beginning on the second Monday in January, being the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1909, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

John G. Oglesby received	602,357
Elmer A. Perry received	468,608
Wm. A. Brubaker received	31,588
John Collins received	33,202
Joseph Kohler received	1,603
C. E. Beach received	8,202

And it appearing from the canvass that John G. Oglesby had received the highest number of votes cast for any person for the office of Lieutenant Governor, the said John G. Oglesby was declared elected to the office of Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois for the term of four years beginning on the second Monday in January, being the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1909, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

James A. Rose received	621,371
Xelpho F. Beidler received	448,925
H. A. DuBois received	30,809
Frank J. Hayes received	33,803
Gottlieb Renner received	1,592
Frederic Greer received	7,884

And it appearing from the canvass that James A. Rose had received the highest number of votes cast for any person for the office of Secretary of State, the said James A. Rose was declared elected to the office of Secretary of State of the State of Illinois for the term of four years beginning on the second Monday in January, being the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1909, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

FOR AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

James S. McCullough received	620,994
Ralph Jeffris received	448,930
Louis F. Gumbart received	30,991
Robert H. Howe received	33,685
John M. Francis received	1,596
E. T. Lister received	8,293

And it appearing from the canvass that James S. McCullough had received the highest number of votes cast for any person for the office of Auditor of Public Accounts, the said James S. McCullough was declared elected to the office of Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois for the term of four years beginning on the second Monday in January, being the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1909, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

FOR TREASURER.

Andrew Russell received	619,698
John B. Mount received	449,978
Albert S. Spaulding received	31,037
Wm. Bross Lloyd received	33,707
Carl Koechlin received	1,612
Lewis E. Hamburg received	7,933

And it appearing from the canvass that Andrew Russell had received the highest number of votes cast for any person for the office of Treasurer, the said Andrew Russell was declared elected to the office of Treasurer of the State of Illinois for the term of two years beginning on the second Monday in January, being the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1909, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Wm. H. Stead received	621,181
Ross C. Hall received	448,759
Frank S. Regan received	31,471
Marcus H. Taft received	33,789
Michael H. Schaynin received	2,480
Scattering votes	287

And it appearing from the canvass that William H. Stead had received the highest number of votes cast for any person for the office of Attorney General, the said William H. Stead was declared elected to the office of Attorney General of the State of Illinois for the term of four years beginning on the second Monday in January, being the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1909, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Mr. Browne presented a petition signed by Adlai E. Stevenson and stated that he wished to present the same at this time for no other purpose than that of having it filed and of giving notice of the contest of the election of Charles S. Deneen for the office of Governor. The petition was thereupon received, in the presence of the Senate, read at large by the Clerk and ordered placed on file.

The Senate retiring, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Thereupon Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 was taken from the Speaker's table and read at large by the Clerk for the information of the House as follows:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Resolved, By the Senate the House of Representatives concurring herein, That a joint committee be appointed consisting of three members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker, and three members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, to have charge of and make all necessary arrangements for the inauguration of the Governor and other State officers on Monday, January 11th next and that all necessary expense of the same be paid by vouchers signed by the Secretary of State when approved by said joint committee.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 by striking out the words "three" in lines three and four providing for the number of members on the committee to have charge of the arrangements for the inaugurations and insert in lieu thereof the word "five" and further by striking out the figures "11" in line eight and insert in lieu thereof the figures "18."

And the amendment was adopted.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the resolution as amended it was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the amendment thereto.

The Speaker appointed as such committee on the part of the House. Messrs. Church, Crawford, Cliffe, Allison, English.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 5.

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two Houses adjourn on Thursday, January 14, 1909, they stand adjourned until Monday, January 18, 1909.

Adopted January 13, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing joint resolution.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. McNichols offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 4.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in his infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst our colleague and friend, the Honorable Paul I. Zaabel, of Chicago, Illinois, who was an honored member of the 44th, 45th and 46th General Assemblies; and

WHEREAS, By his integrity, his genial disposition and his consistent application to his duties as a member of this body as well as by his upright and honorable conduct as a man and a citizen, he has endeared himself to all; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That we hereby express our profound sorrow at the untimely end of our friend and brother, and that we hereby extend to the bereaved wife and family our heartfelt sympathy in the loss of a kind and loving husband and father; and be it further

Resolved, That as a further mark of esteem for the deceased and our sympathy for the bereaved family, a joint committee of the House and Senate be appointed, consisting of nine members, six from the House and three from the Senate, to make all necessary arrangements in regard to the funeral, and the said committee is hereby authorized to draw on the contingent expense fund for any necessary expense incurred in relation thereto; and be it further

Resolved, That the members of the House and the Senate are hereby invited to attend the funeral services in a body; and be it further

Resolved, That said committee be and is hereby authorized to arrange for suitable memorial services to be held in the Hall of the House of Representatives, and that, as a further mark of respect, that when the General Assembly adjourns today it stands adjourned until tomorrow.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

In accordance with the provisions of the foregoing resolution the Speaker appointed as a committee on the part of the House the following named gentlemen:

Messrs. McNichols, Schumacher, Smejkal, McConnell, Werdell, Griffin.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 4.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in his infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst our colleague and friend, the Honorable Paul I. Zaabel, of Chicago, Illinois, who was an honored member of the 44th, 45th and 46th General Assemblies; and

WHEREAS, By his integrity, his genial disposition and his consistent application to his duties as a member of this body as well as by his upright and honorable conduct as a man and a citizen, he has endeared himself to all; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That we hereby express our profound sorrow at the untimely end of our friend and brother, and that we hereby extend to the bereaved wife and family our heartfelt sympathy in the loss of a kind and loving husband and father; and be it further

Resolved, That as a further mark of esteem for the deceased and our sympathy for the bereaved family, a joint committee of the House and Senate be appointed, consisting of nine members, six from the House and three from the Senate, to make all necessary arrangements in regard to the funeral and the said committee is hereby authorized to draw on the committee expense fund for any necessary expense incurred in relation thereto; and be it further

Resolved, That the members of the House and the Senate are hereby invited to attend the funeral services in a body; and be it further

Resolved, That said committee be and is hereby authorized to arrange for suitable memorial services to be held in the Hall of the House of Representatives, and that, as a further mark of respect, that when the General Assembly adjourns today it stands adjourned until tomorrow.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate; Senators Ball, Cruikshank and Broderick.

Concurred in January 13, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House of Representatives in the adoption of their amendments to Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, which resolution is as follows:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1.

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That a joint committee be appointed consisting of three members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker and three members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, to have charge of and make all necessary arrangements for the inauguration of the Governor and other State officers on Monday, January 11th, next, and that all necessary expense of the same be paid by vouchers signed by the Secretary of State and approved by said joint committee.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amend said Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 by striking out the words "three" in lines three and four providing for the number of members on the committee to have charge of the arrangements for the inauguration and insert in lieu thereof the word "five" and further by striking out the figures "11" in line eight and insert in lieu thereof the figures "18."

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as a committee on the part of the Senate, as provided for by the amendment, Senators Juul, Hay, Funk, Lish and Manny.

Amendment concurred in January 13th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

At the hour of 11:40 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until 10:00 o'clock, a. m. tomorrow.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, instant, at 11:00 o'clock a. m. each House shall by itself, and in the manner prescribed by sections 14 and 15 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, name a person for senator in the Congress of the United States, from the State of Illinois, for a term of six years, from the fourth day of March A. D., 1909, and on Wednesday, the 20th day of January, instant, at 12:00 o'clock Meridian, the members of the two Houses shall convene in joint session in the Halls of the House of Representatives and in the manner prescribed by law declare the person who has received a majority of the votes in each House. If any person has received such majority, duly elected Senator to represent the State of Illinois in the Congress of the United States for the term aforesaid; and if no person has received such majority, then proceed as prescribed in said law in joint assembly to choose a person for the purpose aforesaid.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 1.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the payment of employes of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

SENATE BILL No. 2.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and for the care and custody of the State House and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for."

SENATE BILL No. 12.

A bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of 'An Act to provide for and fix the compensation of the members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois,' approved December 6, 1907, in force July 1, 1908."

Passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote, January 12, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills Nos. 1, 2 and 12 were taken up, and by unanimous consent, read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading without reference.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 16.

A bill for "An Act for the relief of the suffering and destitute people of Southern Italy and Sicily."

Passed by the Senate January 13, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 16 was taken up, and by unanimous consent, read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading without reference.

At the hour of 10:20 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned until 10:00 o'clock, a. m., Monday, January 18, 1909.

MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 1909—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the chair.

The Journal of Thursday, January 14th was read and approved.

Mr. Cliffe offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 6.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, that the two Houses meet in joint session in the House of Representatives on Monday, the 18th day of January, A. D., 1909, at 12:00 o'clock Meridian, for the purpose of witnessing the inauguration of Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the other State officers elect of the State of Illinois.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Fulton offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that a committee of five be appointed by the Speaker to notify the State officers elect that the official vote has been canvassed and that they were declared elected to their respective offices.

And the resolution was adopted.

The Speaker appointed as such committee the following named gentlemen:

Messrs. Fulton, Zinger, Bardill, Abrahams and McCollum.

Mr. Kleeman offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the Speaker of the House appoint a committee of seven to invite Mr. Chief Justice Cartwright of the Supreme Court to be present and administer the oath of office to the Governor elect and also to invite the Associate Justices to be present and witness the inauguration.

And the resolution was adopted.

The Speaker appointed as such committee the following named gentlemen:

Messrs. Kleeman, ApMadoc, Durfee, Flannigen, Werdell, Blair and Griffin.

At the hour of 10:45 o'clock a. m. Mr. Shanahan moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker thereupon announced that the hour had arrived for witnessing the inauguration of the Governor, and other State officers elect and inquired if the Senate were present.

Whereupon, Senator Hamilton, president *pro tem.*, of the Senate, arose and stated that a quorum of the Senate was present for the purpose of witnessing the inauguration.

The Speaker of the House then announced that a quorum of the House was present.

Prayer was then offered by the Reverend Mr. Higley.

Mr. Fulton from the Committee on Notification of State Officers, reported that they had notified the State officers elect and the retiring State officers that the House and Senate were convened for the purpose of witnessing the inauguration of the Governor and other State officers elect and that they are present and ready to take the oath of office.

Mr. Kleeman from the committee heretofore appointed for the purpose of waiting upon the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and requesting his presence to administer the oath of office to the State officers elect, reported Chief Justice Cartwright present for that purpose, accompanied by the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois.

Thereupon Chief Justice Cartwright of the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois administered the oath of office provided by section 25 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Illinois separately to Charles S. Deneen, Governor; John G. Oglesby, Lieutenant-Governor; James A. Rose, Secretary of State; James S. McCullough, Auditor of Public Accounts; Andrew Russel, Treasurer, and William H. Stead, Attorney General.

The Speaker of the House then introduced the Governor, the Hon. Charles S. Deneen, who thereafter delivered his inaugural address as follows:

GOVERNOR'S BIENNIAL MESSAGE TO THE FORTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, January 18, 1909.

Gentlemen of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly:

In compliance with the Constitutional provision requiring the Governor, at the commencement of each session and at the close of his term of office, to give to the General Assembly information by message, of the condition of the State and to recommend such measures as he may deem expedient, I submit the following matters for your consideration:

DEEP WATERWAY.

The Forty-Fifth General Assembly (1905), enacted a statute providing for the appointment of an Internal Improvement Commission. The act imposed upon the commission the duty of investigating "the various problems associated with a projected deep waterway from Lake Michigan to the Gulf of Mexico and the reclamation of lands subject to overflow or inundation."

The law creating the commission also provided that a report of its investigations and conclusions should be submitted to the General Assembly. The report so submitted was a comprehensive showing of the present condition and future possibilities of development of Illinois waterways.

The subject to which the report chiefly devotes attention is the practicability of establishing water communication between the Great Lakes and the Gulf of Mexico. This it demonstrates to be entirely feasible. It gives an outline of the work necessary to construct a waterway of depth and other dimensions suitable to the highest commercial uses.

The Federal rivers and harbors act of June 13, 1902, appropriated the sum of \$200,000 "For making such surveys, examinations and investigations as may be required to determine the feasibility of and prepare and report plans and estimates of cost of a navigable waterway fourteen feet in depth from Lockport, Illinois, * * * * to St. Louis, Missouri."

The survey thus provided for, so far as it related to the Mississippi river, was conducted by the Mississippi River Commission, whilst that from Lockport to the mouth of the Illinois river was conducted by three United States Army engineers.

The reports of the Mississippi River Commission and of the United States board of engineers submitted to Congress in 1905, show the practicability of a fourteen-foot channel from Chicago to St. Louis, but do not limit the attainable depth to that figure. On this subject the report says:

"In a future not remote, larger volumes of water may be needed for sanitary purposes, and channels deeper than fourteen feet will then become practicable in the open alluvial section of the Illinois river."

The Federal reports are based upon the minimum flow of water called for by the Chicago sanitary district act, or 600,000 cubic feet per second, whilst the actual capacity of the Chicago sanitary district canal is forty per cent greater than that called for by the act, or 840,000 cubic feet per second. When, therefore, the requisite volume of water from Lake Michigan is available, under the terms of the Chicago sanitary district act, it will permit of a correspondingly greater depth in the proposed waterway between Chicago and St. Louis.

These matters will be found exhaustively discussed in the report of the Internal Improvement Commission transmitted by me to the Forty-fifth General Assembly April 10, 1907.

No argument is needed to demonstrate the commercial importance of a waterway between the Great Lakes and the Mississippi. It was recognized in the act creating the Sanitary District of Chicago, which provided that the Chicago drainage channel should also be a ship canal and should be subject to the control of the Federal Government for purposes of navigation "when-ever the general government shall improve the Desplaines and Illinois rivers for navigation" and has been alluded to in numerous enactments, Federal and State, and in historical documents from the period of discovery onward.

The feature of main interest to Illinois in the report of the Internal Improvement Commission is the discussion of the possibilities of water power development in the proposed extension of the waterway between Lockport and Utica. This power is estimated by the commission at approximately 140,000 gross electrical horse power. For the sake of conservatism, however, this was estimated, in its calculations showing the relation of revenue derivable from water power to the cost of waterway construction, at 100,000 electrical horse power. At the market price of \$25.00 per horse power per annum, this would provide a net annual income to the State of from \$2,500,000 to \$2,750,000. As the total estimated cost of construction of this division of the waterway and the development of all water power possibilities incident thereto is \$18,652,986, it is estimated by the Internal Improvement Commission that this revenue will repay the cost of waterway construction and water power development in from fourteen to seventeen years from the inception of the work. The work itself can be completed in from four to five years and it is believed a revenue from water power will be afforded at the end of the third year. When, therefore, the report of the Internal Improvement Commission made evident the fact that the water power could be made to dig the waterway, the Forty-fifth General Assembly submitted to the voters the constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of \$20,000,000 in bonds, which was adopted at the last general election.

The vote on the amendment was 675,898 for and 193,296 against—a majority of 482,602, the largest ever recorded in favor of any proposition submitted to the voters of this State.

In this connection, attention is directed to the fact that the calculations of the Internal Improvement Commission with reference to revenue from water power sources were based upon the assumption that all water power to be developed would belong to the State and this assumption was made the basis of the discussion before the General Assembly of the proposed submission to the voters of the constitutional amendment referred to.

Shortly after the submission of the amendment however, it was found that a private corporation, the Economy Light & Power Company, had begun the construction of a dam at Dresden Heights, on the Desplaines river four hundred feet from the point where the Desplaines and Kankakee join to

form the Illinois, for the utilization of the water power there to be developed, and had entered into contracts for the completion of the work before July 1, 1908, the date at which preventive legislation, in the absence of an emergency clause, would become effective.

The situation at Dresden Heights was called to the attention of the General Assembly by me in a special message dated November 6, 1907, and the attempt on the part of this private corporation to forestall State action was met by the adoption by the General Assembly on November 27, 1907, of a joint resolution denying the validity of its pretended rights and by the passage of an emergency measure directing the Governor and the Attorney General to take such other steps as might be necessary to remove obstructions from the Desplaines and Illinois rivers.

The Economy Light & Power Company based its claims upon certain contracts entered into by the Canal Commissioners of the State with Harold T. Griswold and his assigns. The company as assignee of Griswold, and in its own right, asserted the right to construct a dam across the Desplaines river at Dresden Heights with a view to the utilization of the water-power to be created at that point by the construction of the deep waterway and began to construct such dam. Apart from any question as to future water-power, this act was a breach of public right.

On December 12, notice to stop work was given to that company. On December 30, 1907, an information on behalf of the State was filed in the Circuit Court of Grundy county, where the proposed dam was to be located and where the work was begun; and a temporary injunction was issued by the court (Judge Samuel C. Stough presiding) stopping the work, which has remained discontinued. Evidence was thereupon taken. The hearing of the case began April 20, 1908, Hon. Julian W. Mack, of the Cook County Circuit Court temporarily sitting as Judge of the Grundy Circuit.

It was averred on behalf of the State that the contracts held by the defendant were void, for several reasons:

That they were beyond the power of the Canal Commissioners to grant;

That they were against the laws of the State, in granting rights in perpetuity in some of the canal property, and for terms of more than 20 years in other of the canal property;

That they were in substance contracts leasing water-power and lands and lots connected therewith, which were the property of the canal, and were in violation of the statute requiring public advertisement and letting to the highest bidder and limiting such contracts to 20 year terms;

That these contracts were so framed as illegally to assume to confer authority to dam the Desplaines river at its mouth and perpetually to maintain a dam across it, and to permit the dam to be attached to—and perpetually maintained attached to—the tow-path bank, and to permit the 90 foot reserve strip of canal land bordering the canal and the other canal lands bordering the river to be perpetually flooded for several miles up stream from the proposed dam;

That they were so framed as to permit the tow-path bank of the Illinois and Michigan Canal to be used as a retaining wall and part of the company's dam, and a line of power-poles and wires 25 miles long to be maintained on the tow-path, and the canal itself to be partially filled in at this place;

That the contracts illegally assumed to lease portions of the old lateral canal known as the "Kankakee Feeder," which formerly fed the waters of the Kankakee river into the Illinois and Michigan canal, and authorized the company to convert it into a feeder of its water-power pool (and so appropriate the waters of the Kankakee river also), and to excavate and remove portions of the feeder and the piers of the State aqueduct, which formerly conveyed the feeder over the river, and use these materials upon the works of the company, and to turn back from the Desplaines river the tributary stream known as the Kankakee cut-off, and make it run backward into the Kankakee river as an outlet for high waters from the water-power pool.

That the contracts further operated to encumber certain riparian lands of the State; that these lands at first had been advertised for sale and then withdrawn from sale and then encumbered by these contracts without notice and then re-advertised for sale, subject to the encumbrance, in such a way that no one but the company or person holding the contracts would bid, and were sold illegally to the holder of the contracts.

The State further claimed that by virtue of the canal statute of Feb. 26, 1839, which provided that:

"Land situated upon streams which had been meandered by the surveys of public lands by the United States shall be considered as bounded by the lines of those surveys and not by the stream;"

(L. 1839, p. 177, section 2, cl. 11.)

the bed of the stream at the site of the proposed dam remained the property of the State.

The State further maintained that the Desplaines river at the place in question and above was a navigable stream and that the erection of the dam would interfere with the public right in the stream, obstruct its use, and constitute a nuisance.

The company denied the contentions of the State, insisted that the contracts by the Canal Commissioners were valid; that the river was not navigable, and that it had the right to build the proposed dam and maintain the works so authorized.

June 27, 1908, the hearing was concluded and a decree was entered dismissing the information of the State without prejudice to the right of the State to claim in any future proceedings that the provisions of the lease of Griswold of September 2, 1904, relating to the making of a renewal at the expiration of the term of said lease, are void and of no effect.

This decree was accompanied by an opinion in which the court held that the perpetual features of the contracts were void and limited the company's rights thereunder to a term of 20 years from September 2, 1904.

The State carried the case by appeal to the Supreme Court of the State, where it is now pending. Notwithstanding the dissolution of the temporary injunction sued out by the State, work upon the company's dam has not since been renewed.

The adoption of the constitutional amendment brings before the General Assembly at its present session the consideration of plans for carrying on the constructive work involved in this great public undertaking, and a bill, prepared at the instance of the Internal Improvement Commission, providing for the creation of a commission to be placed in charge of this work, will be submitted for your consideration.

It is proposed to construct a navigable channel, fourteen feet in depth through earth cuttings, which, as has been stated, is sufficient to accommodate the present volume of water, but to construct the locks with 24 feet depth over the miter sills and rock divisions of the route at a depth of twenty feet, so as to meet the largest future demands of deep draft navigation and to accommodate the larger volume of water which will be ultimately available.

As a navigable waterway, the completed channel will be under Federal control for navigation purposes, and it is hoped that the State may be able to secure Federal aid in the construction of locks, thus decreasing materially the construction cost to the State.

Federal action, if taken at the present session, must be taken before the fourth of March, next. Since it is improbable that the Illinois General Assembly will be prepared to act on so important a matter at an earlier date, no delay is likely to result from awaiting such action as may be taken in this matter by the Federal government at the present session of Congress.

I am advised by the Internal Improvement Commission that this work should be so planned and prosecuted as to insure the building of the waterway and water power out of the proceeds of the State bond issue, and the building of the locks as far as that money will suffice for their construction.

This work I am informed by the commission can proceed in advance of the building of the locks, the sites for which can be shut off from the channel and water power construction by temporary dams of timber or other suitable construction. By pursuing this method the water power and channel construction need not wait upon the building of the locks.

In my judgment, it is of great importance, however, that the State take definite action at the present session of the General Assembly. Throughout the United States public interest has been aroused and attention is at present directed to the improvement of the navigable waterways of the country, and numerous waterway associations have been formed with a view to promoting State and Federal activity in carrying forward the work of construction and development. The attitude of the representatives of the Federal Government is now more friendly to a broad policy of waterway development than ever before and should Illinois show a disposition to enter vigorously upon the work of waterway construction, it cannot but affect favorably the Federal situation.

The decisive endorsement given to this undertaking by the people furnishes one of the strongest reasons for prompt action by the General Assembly. This is also prompted by other considerations. If, for any reason, the sole ownership of the water power to be developed, which has been assumed to vest in the State, should be questioned, it is of the greatest importance that the State should avail itself of the very earliest opportunity to invest itself with the title thereto by such prompt legislative and legal action as may be necessary to effect that end.

Aside from the water power, the commercial advantages which are to accrue to our State from such a policy cannot be over-estimated. They afford in themselves ample reason for the prompt consideration of this subject by your Honorable Body.

The main line of development for the domestic waterways of the United States is the line which unites the Great Lakes to their eastern and southern outlets, through the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico and through the St. Lawrence river to the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the Atlantic Ocean. Illinois occupies a most favorable position on this great trunk line of the waterway and its development in response to the demands of domestic commerce will favor the industries of no State more than those of Illinois.

As pointed out in the report of the Internal Improvement Commission, our position with reference to the great subsidiary branches of this waterway is equally advantageous. All the waters which drain the western slopes of the Alleghenies, from northern Alabama and Georgia to Western New York, come to our shores through the Tennessee and Cumberland and Ohio, with their many navigable tributaries. The Missouri, draining the eastern slopes of the Rocky Mountains and the great plains from Kansas to the Canadian northwest; the Winnipeg basin in the far north, drained southward through the Minnesota and Upper Mississippi, and all possible water routes between the valleys of the St. Lawrence and the Mississippi trail our borders. On half the waters of the United States gravitate to the shores of Illinois and our State is the natural focus of a waterway system continental in its scope.

It seems furthermore to be now an established fact that the Canadian government is seriously considering the construction of the Georgian Bay canal which will give to Canada a deep waterway from the lakes to the Atlantic seaboard, affording to our northern neighbor and its mother country a great advantage over the United States in the matter of commerce between the Atlantic and the inland lakes. There should be a speedy beginning on the part of the United States and the states interested in the construction of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Waterway, in order that this country may stand upon an equality in all commercial advantages with Canada and Great Britain.

Our State, therefore, should take a leading part in the present movement for waterway development and set an example of prompt and vigorous action which will command the attention and elicit the coöperation of the other states and the national government.

It will be necessary to conduct the waterway construction work with scrupulous economy in order to complete it within the amount made available by the bond issue authorized by the people. The magnitude of the undertaking and its great cost emphasize the necessity for its prompt execution. The item of interest alone upon the bonds when issued will amount at 3 per cent to \$600,000, or at 4 per cent to \$800,000 per annum. Every year's delay after the issuance of the bonds, therefore, means the imposition upon the tax-payers of the State of an additional burden of taxation amounting to 12 to 16 per cent of the present taxation for State purposes.

Other and higher considerations urge the completion of the work without unnecessary delay. The benefits to follow the building of this great waterway and the development of water-power incident to its construction are of such a momentous character that the interests of the people demand the laying aside of all differences, bias or prejudice, on the part of the members of the General Assembly, in an effort to frame a law under which the work can proceed with celerity, while affording the amplest guaranty of the honest and efficient conduct of the enterprise.

Only through the enactment of such a law can we meet the high expectations of the people or carry to successful and speedy completion this great enterprise. The accomplishment of this work will be a monument to our State and furnish a worthy example for other states to emulate in meeting the demands imposed upon them in this great era of waterway development.

STATE CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

With the beginning of the present State administration (1905-9), a comprehensive policy was adopted for the improvement of the State charitable service. The scheme of improvement included:

1. The enactment of a civil service law, applicable to the State charitable institutions.

2. The reorganization of the medical, nursing, attendance and teaching service therein.

3. The physical rehabilitation of buildings and equipment, including the construction of new buildings at existing institutions and the creating and construction of new institutions as required; and

4. The inauguration of modern, economical methods of purchase and of general business administration.

CIVIL SERVICE.

The civil service law passed by the Forty-fourth General Assembly became effective November 1, 1905. From that date to December 1, 1908, the Civil Service Commission received 10,684 applications. Of those making application, 8,292 were notified to appear for examination. One thousand seven hundred twenty-seven applications were withdrawn or rejected for cause, the remainder being still on file in the office of the Civil Service Commission awaiting future notification of examinations. One thousand two hundred nine examinations were held in 43 different cities. In those tests, 4,965 applicants were examined and 3,394 passed. There have been 4,550 appointments under the law. Because of the change in the method of appointment, it was necessary at first to make a number of temporary appointments from applications, as is provided for under the law. Many of these resigned before they could be examined, particularly attendants, domestics and laborers.

Since November 1, 1905, there have been 918 discharges for cause, on written statements specifying the charges made.

The Forty-fifth General Assembly amended the law giving the Civil Service Commission the right to investigate removals and making it mandatory to order an investigation when the commission was satisfied an injustice had been done the employé.

During the year 1908, 279 discharges occurred and four employés were ordered reinstated after an investigation by the commission.

The most noticeable improvements in the service have taken place in the medical, engineering and nursing branches. Young men have been appointed in the medical service who have had practical experience as internes in the leading hospitals of the State.

When the law became effective in 1905, there was one chief nurse and fourteen graduate nurses in the State charitable institutions. On December 1, 1908, there were seven chief nurses and twenty-nine graduate nurses in the different institutions. In 1905, there was one graduate nurse in the hospitals for the insane. On December 31, 1908, there were five chief nurses and ten graduate nurses in the hospitals for the insane and the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children. The appointment of these nurses has benefited the attending service materially, as the chief nurses act as instructors to the attendants in the training schools for nurses and attendants, being assisted by the graduate nurses. For the first time, the State's charges have had trained nurses in the various hospitals.

In the engineering service, competent chief engineers and assistants have been placed in charge of the State's plants.

Specially equipped instructors and teachers have been appointed in the schools, with the view of teaching the feeble minded and the insane some useful and diverting occupation.

While the commission found it difficult at first to obtain satisfactory applicants for the service, the advantages of training in nursing and attendance now afforded in the State institutions has attracted a larger number and the commission is now in a position to fill all demands upon it.

The commission has been unable to obtain competent teachers of the deaf in Illinois. The commission has tried for three years to fill the positions at the School for the Deaf with competent teachers who reside in this State. There is no training school for teachers of the deaf in this State that will supply sufficient teachers for the Illinois School for the Deaf; consequently these positions must be filled by non-residents. The commission believes it should be given authority to open important technical positions at its discretion to persons who are not residents of Illinois.

Believing that Civil Service has demonstrated its value to the public service in the institutions, I recommend its extension to other branches of the service and to that end I commend to your careful consideration the recommendations of the State Civil Service Commission, as set forth in its report.

MEDICAL, NURSING AND ATTENDANCE SERVICE.

For the reorganization of the medical service, a Psychopathic Institute has been established at Kankakee. This institute affords to the physicians in the State hospitals in the insane group thorough instruction in the nature, diagnosis and treatment of nervous and mental disorders, and scientific research into their causes and prevention. The institute has been established at a cost of \$25,000 for installation and maintenance for two years. It has the best laboratory equipment the markets of the world afford. Attendance of from six weeks to three months per annum is compulsory upon physicians in the service of State hospitals for the insane and of the institution for the feeble-minded. Today, the entire medical service is administered by a uniform system which seeks the greatest efficiency in each institution. There is no like system in operation anywhere that offers superior advantages.

For the education of the nurses and attendants who come into most intimate contact with the patients, compulsory courses of instruction have been provided in training schools for nurses and attendants which are now in operation in the hospitals for the insane and the institution for the feeble minded. Nurses from the training schools of general hospitals have assisted our institution officials in inaugurating the new system and a movement is already well under way to establish reciprocity between our hospitals for the insane and general hospitals, so that, by an interchange of nurses, the wards of the State will receive the best possible care and the public outside State institutions will have a more competent nursing service than would be possible in any other way. Women nurses are superseding men wherever feasible.

In the matter of attendance upon the chronic insane and the duller feeble-minded, the State is indebted to the Chicago School of Civics and Philanthropy for the free training in handicraft given by it last summer to selected attendants from our hospitals for the insane and our institution for the feeble-minded.

Two agencies of great efficiency which have been introduced into the insane hospital service, are the water treatment of the insane and industrial re-education. The water treatment reduces to a minimum chemical and mechanical restraint and is an efficient curative process in many forms of acute insanity and other forms of physical disease. Industrial re-education, now well advanced, provides employment for hitherto idle insane patients at light manual work which diverts their minds from hallucinations and delusions. There is some economy in such employment, but the chief reason for the employment of patients is its medical value.

Psychopathic hospitals have been established at four of the seven hospitals for the insane, namely those at Kankakee, Watertown, Bartonville and Anna, in new buildings erected on modern lines and providing curative treatment. At the fifth hospital (Elgin) the appropriation was too small to complete the building, but psychopathic work is done on existing wards pending the receipt of additional funds. At the sixth hospital (Jacksonville), psychopathic work is done on the wards. At the seventh (Criminal Insane) like work is done on the wards, as a new institution is to be erected.

The value of this hospital service lies in the fact that in insanity, as in other forms of disease, cures are most frequent in the early stages. In the psychopathic hospitals immediate treatment is given to each individual case as soon after admission as observation and other methods determine the nature of the particular form of insanity and what the treatment should be.

I am informed that from five to seven per cent of admissions to hospitals for the insane recovered under the old system, many curable cases lapsing into chronic insanity. Under the new hospital system, according to eminent medical authority, from forty to seventy per cent of acute curable cases may be cured.

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION AND NEW BUILDINGS.

Surveys made by the State Architect and a consulting engineer showed the necessity for a physical overhauling of the older institutions and for the erection of new buildings to increase capacity and for other purposes. The report of the State Architect and the engineer, covering all institutions, indicated the need of an expenditure of \$2,669,961, to place existing buildings and equipment on a satisfactory basis. In view of the large sum found to be necessary to complete this work, a conference of the State Board of Charities, the superintendents of the various State charitable institutions and the Governor was held to eliminate therefrom all items of expenditure not immediately required to procure and maintain safe, sanitary and healthful conditions in the institutions and to absorb into customary appropriations all such items as could be so recommended. The elimination left as urgently needed for extraordinary purposes the sum of \$637,380, which was recommended to the Forty-fifth General Assembly as extraordinary appropriations necessary to the comprehensive scheme of rehabilitation proposed. The Forty-fifth General Assembly appropriated as extraordinary funds \$331,916. Much of the work recommended by the State Architect and much even of that urged as indispensable to the maintenance of safe, sanitary and healthful conditions in these institutions remains to be done.

The reports of the various institutions show in detail the great extent to which the physical condition of the buildings and their equipment have been improved with the funds available. These details are too extensive to be recited here. They are set forth in the reports referred to in which you will find a vast amount of information which may aid you in your discussion of this subject.

NEW FORM OF PUBLIC CHARITY ADMINISTRATION.

In supplying the needs of the charitable institutions, those changes were first effected which brought the quickest improvement of conditions surrounding the wards of the State. The original program, however, covered every branch of the service, and included the consideration of the need of a coördinated business administration, and in October, 1907, the State Board of Charities authorized its president to appoint a committee of business and professional men to advise it in this important matter. In their twentieth biennial report will be found recommendations embodying the suggestions of this committee.

Expert opinions were collected from twenty-five sources and the conclusions reached have been passed upon and amended by a committee of citizens, including eminent men in business, finance, medicine, law and the church. The final recommendations, briefly stated, include:

1. A central system of administration by a paid board of three men covering the charitable, penal, reformatory and correctional State institutions.

2. A central system of visitation, inspection, investigation and recommendation, maintained by the State Board of Charities (non-salaried) increased from five to seven members, with its powers of visitation, inspection, investigation and recommendation extended to the two prisons and the reformatory, its present auditing service transferred to the State Auditor and its few executive and administrative powers transferred to the new administrative board.

The purpose of the proposed administrative and inspection system, is:

To provide humane and scientific treatment and care and the highest attainable degree of individual development for the dependent wards of the State.

To provide for delinquents and prisoners such wise conditions of modern reformatory education and training as will restore the largest proportion of them to useful citizenship.

To promote the study of the causes of dependency and delinquency, or mental, moral and physical defects, with a view to cure and ultimate prevention; and

To secure the highest attainable degree of economy in the business administration of the institutions consistent with the objects above enumerated.

The Board of Charities and eminent persons associated with the board have given this subject careful study and in reaching their conclusions have investigated the best methods of charity administration in this country and in Europe and the recommendations submitted are worthy of the earnest consideration of the General Assembly.

FUTURE NEEDS OF THE INSANE.

Insanity presents the most serious numerical problem confronted by the State in the care of its wards. At the close of the fiscal year, 1908, the wards of the State, in State as distinguished from county institutions, numbered 17,921. Of these 9,985 or 56 per cent were insane wards.

From 1878 to 1908 the insane population in Illinois State and county institutions increased from 2,576 to 12,084, or an increase of 369 per cent. During the same period, the population of the State increased from 2,968,200 to 5,617,700, an increase of 89 per cent. At first glance, this is an appalling comparison. It indicates that insanity is increasing at an alarmingly greater rate than is the population. I am informed that, in all probability insanity is increasing, not only in Illinois but throughout the United States, at a greater rate than the population, but that the great disparity in the rates of increase for Illinois exists because in recent years, the people of the State are placing more and more confidence in our public institutions and are committing to, and, when able, are paying for the care of their insane in State hospitals, instead of sending them to private institutions or keeping them in homes.

The growth of insane population in public institutions places two great responsibilities upon the State:

First—To provide curative treatment in State hospitals for all the insane in public institutions, and,

Second—To address itself to energetic measures for prevention.

Our State is making an earnest effort to meet the first of these responsibilities. At the end of the fiscal year 1904, there were 1,139 insane in county almshouses. At the end of the fiscal year 1908, there were 365 insane in county almshouses; a reduction during the four years of 774. These figures do not include Cook county, which has a hospital for the insane. At the end of the fiscal year 1908, forty-six of the ninety-eight counties, outside of Cook county, having almshouses, had been relieved entirely of their insane.

The appropriations requested for new buildings at State hospitals contemplate sufficient room to clear all almshouses outside of Cook County of their insane, and to care for the normal net increase of cases directly committed, numbering 317 per annum.

THE PROGRESS MADE BY ILLINOIS.

In seeking to secure the most efficient treatment and care of the public insane, Illinois proceeded first to take over acute cases into State hospitals, when necessary leaving so-called incurable cases in county almshouses. Next it created the Illinois Asylum for the Incurable Insane at South Bartonville and moved chronic insane from State hospitals and from county almshouses into that institution, so far as its capacity would permit. The last General Assembly enacted measures which place this part of the insane service on the highest plane yet attained. These measures provided for the curative treatment of all the public insane in the State in State hospitals and made the Bartonville Asylum a district hospital to receive all forms of insane cases, changing its name from "Illinois Asylum for Incurable Insane" to "Illinois General Hospital for the Insane."

In working out the problem of the public care of the insane, it is apparent that the time has come for the State to plan for a new hospital. I recommend that \$100,000 be appropriated by your Honorable Body to locate and purchase a site of about 1,000 acres and to prepare plans and specifications for buildings.

AT LEAST FOUR YEARS WORK REMAINS.

There is not space in this message to enumerate at length the needs of the feeble-minded, the wards in our institutions for the blind, for our delinquent boys and girls or our deaf.

Nor am I able to call the attention of the General Assembly to the various needs of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy, the Soldiers' Widows' Home at Wilmington, or the Soldiers' Orphans' Home at Normal. All will be found set forth in the reports of the institutions referred to, to which I direct your attention. I desire, however, to call your attention to the request of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy for an appropriation for the erection of an electric light plant. I am informed that there is very great need of this, as, with the present lighting facilities, the veterans are frequently unable to read after nightfall.

The appropriation for an electric light plant has been twice defeated in the appropriation committees of the General Assembly. The erection of an electric light plant by the State for this institution would be economical and would contribute to the comfort of the veterans.

At a conference at Springfield on December 22, last, attended by the State Board of Charities, the superintendents and trustees of the several institutions and myself, all items needed to complete the work of regenerating our public charity equipment and service were discussed. The conference deemed it impracticable for the State to attempt to do the remaining work in two years. Therefore an agreement was reached to endeavor to complete the program during the next four years, with the assistance of two General Assemblies.

APPROPRIATIONS ASKED FOR NEXT TWO YEARS.

The conference agreed upon the items which, in the judgment of those attending the meeting, were essential to proper progress during the next two years. The Board of Charities, acting as a clearing house for the

institutions, will provide your Honorable Body with the several items making up the totals asked for each institution.

A growing State such as ours must expect to increase its expenses from year to year, as its population and public activities and obligations expand. The average daily population of our State charitable institutions in 1905 was 12,695. For the fiscal year 1908 the average population was 14,172; an increase of 1,477 or 11.63 per cent over that of 1905. The average per capita cost for maintenance in the State charitable institutions for the year ending June 30, 1908, was \$165.96 net. To provide for this increase of 1,477 at a per capita cost of \$165.96 for maintenance requires an expenditure of \$245,113 per annum. To provide for the housing of this increase at a per capita cost of \$500.00 per bed, an expenditure of \$738,500 is necessary. A total increase of \$983,613 is required to provide new buildings and maintenance for one year for the actual increase of population noted.

Because of the criticism to which the administration of the State charitable institutions has been subjected and the unfounded aspersions which have been cast upon the service, I have been led to deal with this subject at greater length than I would otherwise have done. I venture to assert that no public charitable institutions in this country, or elsewhere, have made greater progress during the past four years than that which has been witnessed in those of our own State, in the betterment of their equipment, the reorganization of their service and in the improved care bestowed by them upon the unfortunate wards of the State.

INQUIRY INTO THE CONDITION OF THE BLIND.

I direct your attention to the report of the commission appointed by the State Board of Charities on July 16, 1908, to make inquiry into the condition of the blind. From statistics gathered, the report of the commission shows that blindness is on the increase in Illinois at a greater rate than the population of the State because of inadequate laws, and that from forty to forty-five per cent of all cases of blindness are preventable. The largest amount of blindness comes from what is known as "blindness of new born," and this disease is usually preventable.

It is recommended in the report of the commission:

First—That a census of the blind in Illinois be taken and that steps be taken to improve their condition.

Second—That more effective laws be enacted for the prevention of blindness; and

Third—That the adult blind be removed from the School for the Blind at Jacksonville to the Industrial Home for the Blind at Chicago; that the aged and infirm blind be cared for at the Chicago home, and that such increase in equipment and facilities of the Chicago institution be provided as is necessary to accomplish this purpose and to aid blind persons to become wholly or partially self-supporting.

I call your attention to the report of this commission and solicit for its recommendations the careful consideration of your Honorable Body.

EPILEPTIC COLONY.

The Forty-first General Assembly created the Illinois State Colony for Epileptics in 1899. Succeeding Legislatures have not appropriated funds to establish this institution. Experts state that epilepsy is nearly as widespread as insanity. The obligation of the State to assume the care in special institutions of its unfortunate people suffering from this disease has been recognized and acted upon by Ohio, New York, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Kansas, Texas, Indiana and Missouri. Two other states, Virginia and North Carolina, have taken steps to provide similar institutions.

The most recent census of the State Board of Charities, (November, 1908) shows that there are 913 epileptics in the State charitable institutions. The census of epileptics in the almshouses, taken during the summer of 1908, shows the presence of 129. In all there are 1,042 epileptics in our public

institutions. Of this number, 677 are in hospitals for the insane, all of them a source of injury to the insane patients and eleven of them not insane at all but kept among the insane because there is no other place for them. Appeals for State care for epileptics are constant.

The establishment of a new institution for improvable epileptics and the erection of buildings at two of the existing hospitals for the insane for insane epileptics is recommended. The idea is to remove epileptics from other hospitals for the insane to the two having epileptic colonies.

I approve this plan and commend the consideration of it to your Honorable Body.

TUBERCULOSIS.

I call your attention to the increase of tuberculosis. This dread disease is reaping a harvest of ten thousand lives annually in Illinois. The battle to wipe it out is worldwide. I recommend to the Forty-fifth General Assembly the creation of a State Sanatorium for Consumptives.

The General Assembly enacted a law permitting cities and villages to create local sanatoria and authorizing them to make the necessary tax levy therefor. Experts differ as to the more efficient method of dealing with this disease, whether by a State sanatorium or by local sanatoria, or by both.

The present law did not go into effect until last July. In the short interval elapsing since that time, adequate opportunity has not been afforded to cities and villages to establish local sanatoria under the law. While the State Board of Health will again strongly recommend the establishment of a State Sanatorium for Consumptives, it may be that a longer time is necessary to afford a fair test of the measure creating local sanatoria, a view which is entertained by the State Board of Charities.

CONDITION OF THE STATE TREASURY.

The Auditor's report covering the last biennial period ending September 30, 1908, gives the following summary of receipts and disbursements of funds in the State treasury covering said period:

FUND.	Amount in State treasury Oct. 1, 1906.	Amount re- ceived from Oct. 1, 1906, to Sept. 30, 1908, inclusive.	Amount dis- bursed from Oct. 1, 1906, to Sept. 30, 1908, inclusive.	Amount in treasury Sept. 30, 1908.
Revenue.....	\$4,990,041 32	\$14,697,077 73	\$16,332,679 71	\$3,354,439 34
State school.....	292,709 84	1,991,563 55	2,103,143 19	181,130 20
Unknown and minor heirs.....	7,020 07		214 00	6,806 07
State Game protection.....	32,064 89	293,152 03	319,632 87	5,584 05
State Fish protection.....	1,279 46	12,487 96	6,242 89	7,524 53
State Food Commissioners.....	213 00	3,350 00	2,917 99	645 01
Aggregate State funds.....	\$5,323,328 58	\$16,997,631 27	\$18,764,830 65	\$3,556,129 20
Local bond funds.....	225,898 07	2,591,210 79	2,513,974 62	303,134 24
Totals.....	\$5,549,226 65	\$19,588,842 06	\$21,278,805 27	\$3,859,263 44

WARRANTS DRAWN ON THE TREASURY.

On the 1st day of October, 1906, there were treasurer's warrants outstanding, amounting to.....	\$ 76,863 87
During the two years ending Sept. 30, 1908, warrants were drawn on the several funds aggregating.....	21,290,737 72
Total.....	\$21,367,601 59
Of the above the State Treasurer paid, prior to Oct. 1, 1908.....	21,278,805 27
Leaving warrants outstanding Oct. 1, 1908.....	\$88,796 32

The following estimate of demands on the State treasury to July 1, 1909, so far as the same pertains to the general revenue fund, is made by the Auditor of Public Accounts, showing the balance in the State treasury October 1, 1908, the receipts from October 1, 1908, to the present date, and an estimate of the probable receipts up to July 1, 1909.

RESOURCES:

Amount in State treasury Oct. 1, 1908.....	\$3,354,439 34	
Received from Oct. 1, 1908, to Jan. 1, 1909.....	1,545,214 59	
Estimated receipts from the Secretary of State to July 1, 1909.....	200,000 00	
Estimated receipts from Insurance Department to July 1, 1909.....	200,000 00	
Estimated receipts from inheritance tax to July 1, 1909.....	200,000 00	
Estimated receipts from Illinois Central R. R. to July 1, 1909.....	560,000 00	
Estimated receipts from miscellaneous sources to July 1, 1909.....	75,000 00	
Estimated receipts from taxes year 1908.....	4,980,000 00	
		\$11,114,653 93

LIABILITIES.

Unpaid appropriations Oct. 1, 1908.....	\$7,079,547 82	
Outstanding warrants Oct. 1, 1908, drawn on General Revenue Fund.....	77,029 54	
Total.....	\$7,156,577 36	
Deduct appropriations that will probably lapse by virtue of law..	300,000 00	
Total net estimated liabilities.....		6,856,577 36
Probable balance unappropriated revenue July 1, 1909.....		\$4,258,076 57

The estimate of receipts on account of State taxes for the year 1908 is placed by the Auditor of Public Accounts at \$4,980,000. This is the estimated net amount that will probably be collected for that year. It is improbable that the entire amount will be paid into the State treasury on or before July 1, as final settlements of many of the collectors will not be made until after that date.

As appears from the foregoing statement, the probable balance of unappropriated revenue in the State treasury on July 1, 1909, will be \$4,258,076.57. The deduction of \$3,000,000, which is deemed by the State Auditor a reasonable working balance, leaves \$1,258,076.57 available to meet appropriations to be made by the present General Assembly. The receipts from miscellaneous sources for the two years beginning July 1, 1909, are estimated by the Auditor of Public Accounts at \$5,500,000, making a total of \$6,758,076.57, derivable from sources other than taxation. As the amount of revenue which can be raised at the present rate of taxation upon the present property valuation of the State is, approximately, \$12,500,000, it is apparent that if the appropriations made by the present General Assembly shall exceed \$19,000,000, either the assessed valuation of property or the rate of taxation will have to be increased for the next biennial period over those obtaining for the past four years.

INTEREST ON PUBLIC FUNDS.

The law providing for the payment of interest on the public funds into the State treasury, enacted at the last session of the General Assembly and approved March 7th, went into effect on July 1, 1908. The retiring State Treasurer, Hon. John F. Smulski, has paid the interest on public funds received by him as State Treasurer into the State treasury. The amount of interest so turned into the State treasury up to September 30, 1908, the end of the last quarterly period, was \$153,158.55. It is estimated that by the close of the term of office of the retiring State Treasurer this amount will be brought up to \$180,000.

Prior to January 1, 1905, the amount of interest received on balances to the credit of other State departments and institutions was \$614.38. With the beginning of my administration, the policy was adopted of requiring State departments and institutions to collect interest on funds deposited to their credit in various banks. Since the adoption of this policy, interest has been received from this source amounting approximately to \$66,720.

REVENUE COMMISSION.

The admitted inequalities of the present State revenue system led to the recommendation in my biennial message of 1907 of the appointment of a Revenue Commission. In the session following, a measure providing for the appointment of such a commission was enacted. Unfortunately the pro-

visions of the bill requiring the appointment upon the commission of members of the General Assembly were found to be unconstitutional and, solely upon this ground, it became necessary to veto the measure.

Under the defective measure passed by the General Assembly, it was provided that the work of the proposed Revenue Commission should be: An investigation of the system of assessments and taxation for State and local purposes; a complete compilation of laws now in force in Illinois bearing upon the subject of taxation; the hearing of complaints and obtaining information showing the inequalities of the present system; an inquiry into systems of taxation in other states; and a report to the Governor with drafts of bills embodying the recommendations of the commission, to be transmitted by the Governor to the General Assembly.

I am thoroughly convinced of the necessity for revenue revision and again urge upon the General Assembly the consideration of the question of appointing a Revenue Commission with duties similar to those embodied in the measure referred to.

The cause of present inequalities in our revenue system is due, to some extent, to conditions in this State which have outgrown the present law. To meet these conditions, many of the provisions of the present revenue act have been amended from time to time with the result of introducing conflict into its provisions, making many sections of the law susceptible of misconstruction by assessing officers.

In addition to this, since the original law was passed, several of its sections have been held unconstitutional by the Supreme Court while others have been declared so by the Attorney General.

For these reasons, I think the entire law should be revised.

An additional reason for revision is that, in recent years, new interests have developed in the State that have brought into existence a large class of property which can hardly be reached for purposes of taxation under the present revenue laws. On this account, the revision of the laws, should any be made, should include provisions to cover this defect.

It is furthermore evident that measures must be adopted whereby the State revenues may be increased to meet the growing demands for State expenditures.

I submit for the consideration of the General Assembly the question of the adoption of the policy of segregating State from local taxes by providing for a system of State licenses and for the taxation of corporate capital and earnings to provide a revenue for the support of the State government.

Policies similar to this have been adopted by New York, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Connecticut, Michigan, Wisconsin, California and Washington. The financial report of the State of New York, in which the policy of segregating State from local taxes has been most completely carried out, shows that the system has yielded sufficient revenue to maintain the State government without resorting to the levying of a direct tax on the property of the State for that purpose.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

The first practical test of the present primary election law was made at the primaries held on August 8th, last. As was anticipated, the test disclosed certain defects in the law. Chief among these defects, was the opportunity afforded members of one party to vote at the primary elections, and thus in a measure to control the nominations of another.

No defect more grave than this could be found under a system of party government and the law should be amended so as to preserve to members of each party the exclusive right to select their party candidates. The baneful consequences following a violation of this obvious principle of party government reach far beyond party organizations. They affect the principle of majority rule. Everybody is aware of the effect produced by the nomination of weak or unworthy candidates in the resulting apathy of party voters. The foisting of such candidates upon a majority party through the participation of members of a minority party in its primary elections, must frequently result in the election of candidates representing the minority,

not the majority, of the voters. If, on the other hand, candidates thus nominated by the aid of members of the minority party with a view to their subsequent defeat, be elected, the public service suffers.

So long as such a practice is allowed to continue, political organizations will be the easy prey of combinations of the worst elements of all parties, for it plays directly into the hands of the men who traffic in political offices and in legislation and administration for other than the public benefit. Any amendment to the present law which will curtail or destroy such evils, cannot fail to be a move in the right direction. In my judgment, there is no way to escape the conclusion that, so long as ours remains a government by party, the autonomy of the party must be preserved and the participation of members of one party in the selection of the candidates of another must be prohibited.

To this end, provisions permitting candidates before the primaries to have watchers at the polling places and prohibiting members of one party from voting at the primaries of another should prove effectual. I recommend the enactment of a corrupt practices act, prohibiting unlawful practices and undue expenditure of money in the conduct of primary elections.

With the correction of the defects made manifest in the last primary campaign, our present nominating system will be a great improvement over the old system, which, in any event, has been repudiated by popular vote. I therefore urge upon the General Assembly, the early consideration of amendments to the present primary election law.

RAILROAD AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSION.

The Railroad and Warehouse Commission has become one of the most important departments of the State government. It was originally created by statute enacted in 1871. There were then only nineteen railroad companies reporting to the commission with a total mileage of single track main line of 3730 3-8 and a total of all description of tracks of 5,066 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles. For the year ending June 30, 1908, 150 steam railroad companies and 51 electric interurban railroad companies reported with an aggregate single track mileage (main line and branches) of 13,332.24, and a total of all description of tracks of 23,045.57 miles.

The total capital represented by the nineteen railroad companies reporting to the commission in the year 1871 was \$307,521,422.00. The total capital represented by the 192 railroad companies reporting to the commission last year was \$5,574,720,000.00.

In 1889 the commission was given partial jurisdiction over the crossings of one road by another, but only when objection was made by either party interested. This jurisdiction was further extended in 1907 to include all crossings and conditions. Under both these statutes the commission has adopted a uniform policy of separation of grades, wherever the same is practicable and feasible. This policy was adopted to protect the lives and property of the people.

In the year 1885 the commission was directed by statute to make "a schedule of reasonable maximum rates of charge for the transportation of passengers, and freights and cars" for each of the railroads operating in the State and from time to time, as often as circumstances might require, to change and revise the same. In pursuance of this requirement the commission has held many meetings to act on petitions for changes in the schedule made by both shippers and railroads, and has issued ten supplements containing such changes as were authorized after exhaustive hearings, at which all parties interested were given opportunity to present their arguments.

On December 8, 1906, the Illinois Central Railroad Company filed a petition for a modification of Rule 23 of the Commissioners' Classification and schedules of rates, relating to switching charges, which action was later followed by other railroads. Copies of this petition and notice of hearing were served on all the Shippers' Associations and Traffic Bureaus in the State, who joined issue with the railroad companies. Extended hearings were had nearly every month during the two years since the date of filing

and the railroad companies and shippers were represented by the best legal talent in the State. A mass of testimony was presented, both oral and documentary, which developed the existence of conditions, more especially in what is known as the Chicago switching district, which were inequitable.

On September 16, 1908, an order was entered of record by the commission establishing a boundary for the Chicago switching district and defining different switching services and making what the commission considered a reasonable maximum rate for each class of service. This order was to be effective October 1, 1908, but at the solicitation of the railroad companies the time was extended to November 1, 1908. On October 30, 1908, several bills for an injunction were presented to the U. S. Circuit Court at Chicago by a number of railroads doing business in the State, and an order entered by the court restraining the commission from enforcing its order as to such railroads until the case could be heard before the court. In this proceeding will probably be tested the authority and jurisdiction of the commission.

The commission has received complaints as to exorbitant charges made by the express companies operating over the railroads of our State, in some cases equalling the value of the property, but as the statute requiring the commission to make a schedule of reasonable maximum rates does not specifically name express companies as coming within its purview, the commission has not exercised that authority. If it be thought proper to place express companies under the jurisdiction of the commission its authority should be made perfectly clear by appropriate action by the General Assembly.

The first Board of Railroad Commissioners (1871) in making report to the Governor made special mention of the necessity and desirability of the control of stock and bond issues by the commission, and after explaining at some length the conditions as they believed them to exist at that time they used the following language:

"These additional issues of stock or 'stock dividends' as they are called, are made upon the pretext usually that they 'represent' earnings of the road which have been capitalized in improving its condition and enlarging its capacity for business. The truth is that in the cases alluded to, the earnings have been capitalized years before they were made."

They close their statement by adding:

"Thus it will be seen that the fictitious capital and not the real money employed in the construction of the roads, is mainly benefited by a practice of the theory of capitalizing earnings."

"The commissioners are not prepared to recommend a remedy for these alarming evils, but have been impelled to the foregoing earnest suggestions as to the actual workings of railroad construction and transportation in their bearings upon the business and prosperity of the people of the State, by the vital importance of early and effective action by the Legislature."

That these conditions are no less true today than they were when the above report was written thirty-seven years ago is abundantly proven by the case of one of our railroads, whose indebtedness a few years ago was approximately \$80,000.00 per mile of road and the same mileage is now carrying an indebtedness of nearly \$124,000.00 per mile.

In my judgment a statute should be enacted specifically providing that interurban railroads are to be considered railroads within the meaning of the statute, and that all laws applicable to railroads shall be applicable to interurban roads: (so-called) whether operated by steam or any other motive power.

The Railroad and Warehouse Commission should be given power to prescribe by rules and regulations the method of installing telegraph and telephone wires, and more especially trolley wires, and the conditions of their crossing over each other and over the railroad tracks. The high voltage carried by some of these wires is a constant menace to life if not properly protected. The supervision ought also to be extended to wires carrying power for commercial purposes.

The commission should be given power to compel railroad companies to construct and maintain physical connections with each other at crossings and junctions for the interchange of business. Complaints have been frequently made that traffic is required to be moved long distances and at considerable loss of time and expense for lack of connections at junction points.

The commission should have authority to establish joint through rates for the movement of freight over two or more railroads. The present method of charging the sum of the local rate for each of the railroads involved makes, in many cases, an exorbitant charge. All railroad companies should also be compelled by law to file their tariffs with the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, and no increase of rates be permitted to become effective in less than thirty days from the date of filing notice of such increase.

The Railroad and Warehouse Commission should also be given authority to compel all railroad companies operating in the State to provide reasonable facilities at all stations on their lines for the transaction of business, and no railroad should be permitted to discontinue station or track facilities without the consent of the commission.

STATE GRAIN INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

From 1871 when our State, for the first time in this or any other country, assumed control of the classification into standard grades of the grain arriving at the principal primary markets within the State, the work of the Grain Inspection department has been carried on with hardly any change until within the last two years. Up to that time, it was the custom to inspect the grain in the cars on the track. This method, which left the determination of the grade of grain to a single inspector, subject to an appeal involving delay, has, especially in recent years, proved unsatisfactory.

The essential elements of satisfactory grain inspection are uniformity and accuracy. Under the old system, neither uniformity nor accuracy could be obtained. To remedy the defect of the old system, the department, about two years ago, began an investigation of the systems of inspecting grain in Minneapolis, Duluth and Buffalo, where modern and progressive systems of grain inspection had been adopted with great success. Under the system thereafter adopted by the Illinois Grain Inspection Department, grain is no longer inspected on the track, but all of the grain received from the twenty-three railroads engaged in the Chicago grain carrying trade, is inspected at a central point by three expert inspectors who pass judgment on representative samples drawn from the cars by experienced grain examiners.

The result has been eminently satisfactory. The new method has overcome the former lack of uniformity in inspections which formed one of the chief causes of complaint on the part of shippers of grain and tended to bring the State Grain Department into disrepute.

The new system has met with the approval of both shippers and grain dealers, as well as of the railroads, because of the fairness, promptness and finality of its inspections which have done away with delays in unloading and releasing cars arising from the appeals taken from former unsatisfactory inspections. The result has been a harmonious and friendly relationship between these interests heretofore unknown in the history of the department.

The business of grain inspection is steadily increasing. During the period 1901-1904 there were inspected at the Chicago grain inspection office 805,395,470 bushels, while during the period 1905-1908 there were inspected 996,693,477 bushels; an increase of 191,298,007 bushels.

Along with the great increase of business has gone on a steady improvement in the accuracy and uniformity of inspections. This is shown by a comparison of the number of reinspections demanded under the old system with those demanded under the new. Formerly the reinspection of 300 to 400 cars per month was necessary, while at present the average number of reinspections has been reduced to fifty per month.

Altogether, the work of the Grain Inspection Department has been greatly improved in all its features and is giving greater satisfaction to all interested in grain inspection than ever before. The transition from the old system, like every change of method, has aroused some criticism, but this has occurred in few instances and is in no way directed at the general excellence of the new method, which is admittedly a great improvement upon the old method.

ANTI-PASS LEGISLATION.

In my last biennial message, I called the attention of the General Assembly to the subject of legislation prohibiting the issuance or use of railroad passes. The national government has prohibited the use of such passes in interstate transportation and various states have adopted measures modeled on the lines of the national law for the abolition of the use of railroad passes on their intra-state railways.

I therefore again recommend the enactment of a measure prohibiting the use of railroad passes, modeled after the national law.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD CASE.

On February 10, 1851, the General Assembly passed an act incorporating the Illinois Central Railroad Company and granted to the company 2,595,000 acres of land to aid in the construction of the road. Subsequently, the company sold the greater portion of the land granted and realized therefrom a sum in excess of \$30,000,000.

In consideration of the grants, privileges and franchises conferred by the State upon the company, it was agreed that the company should pay into the State treasury on the first Mondays of June and December of each year a sum equal to at least seven per cent of the gross receipts of the company, and for the purpose of ascertaining the amount of the gross receipts, the company was required by its charter to keep an accurate account, and to furnish a sworn copy thereof to the Governor of the State, who was authorized to verify the same.

An investigation of the accounts of the Illinois Central Railroad Company conducted by the Executive office in the years 1906-7 led to the filing by the Attorney General of a bill for accounting against the company in which claims were made on behalf of the State to certain sums alleged to be due from the railroad company under its obligation to pay into the treasury of the State seven per cent of its gross receipts.

The claims of the State are based upon the charge that for many years past the railroad company has failed to include in its reports numerous items of gross receipts, amounting in the aggregate to many millions of dollars. In the bill filed, these are enumerated, and include the following items:

Receipts of Cairo bridge	\$ 7,497,720
Receipts of Dubuque bridge	3,155,696
Receipts from investments	61,902,358
Receipts from express	5,000,000
Receipts from restaurants, hotels, etc.	1,500,000
Receipts from Chicago real estate	68,133
Receipts for use of equipment by foreign lines	5,000,000
Receipts from grain elevators in Chicago	788,374
Receipts from grain elevators in Cairo	97,185
Receipts from interest on loans and deposits.....	3,000,000

It is claimed that certain amounts were deducted by the company from the gross receipts without any authority of law, and particularly that there was deducted:

On account of drayage	\$ 2,000,000
On account of switching	5,000,000
On account of rebates	10,000,000

It is claimed that the company should have collected for services performed the following sums:

For carrying coal and supplies for non-charter lines.....	\$10,000,000
For freights diverted from charter lines.....	2,000,000
For mileage books delivered in payment of newspaper advertising, etc..	1,295,000
For use of equipment by non-charter lines.....	3,000,000
For use of Chicago terminals by non-charter lines.....	2,140,000
For use of other terminals by non-charter lines.....	1,500,000

It is claimed in behalf of the State that in the division of earnings between the charter and non-charter lines the railroad company adopted numerous fraudulent schemes and devices which have resulted in defrauding the State out of several millions of dollars, and, finally, it is claimed that there is now due the State not less than \$15,000,000.

The suit was begun in the Supreme Court under the constitutional provision conferring upon that Court original jurisdiction in all "cases relating to revenue."

In behalf of the railroad company a motion was filed to dismiss the case for want of jurisdiction and at the April term, 1907, the motion to dismiss was sustained by a divided court. The court in its opinion sustaining the motion to dismiss said:

"As to whether this court as a matter of fact has original jurisdiction of the subject matter of this case or not, the members of this court are not all of the same opinion, but it is the view of the majority, however, that this motion should be allowed and the State allowed to prosecute this suit in the Circuit or Superior Courts. Accordingly the case will be dismissed. The State will have the right to withdraw its bill in this case without prejudice to the right of complainant to maintain suit elsewhere."

The bill was thereupon, withdrawn by the Attorney General and immediately filed in the circuit court of LaSalle county to the June term, 1907, where the case is now pending.

The bill as filed in the circuit court of LaSalle county was later amended, so as to include certain irregularities reported subsequently to the filing of the bill by the accountants employed by the Executive Department to investigate the accounts of the railroad company. Demurrer was filed by the railroad company to the amended bill and arguments were heard upon the demurrer beginning November 18th and ending December 6, 1908, when the case was taken under advisement by the presiding Judge, Hon. Samuel C. Stough.

The labor involved in the preliminary investigation and in the preparation for trial of this suit has been enormous, but from the facts brought to light during the investigation and the preparation of the suit it is believed that the judicial determination of the proper basis for and method of accounting by the railroad company are of such importance to the State that the results will justify all the labor and expense which have been involved.

Of the appropriation of \$100,000 made by the General Assembly to the Governor for the conduct of the investigation, \$13,368.15 has been expended, all of which has been paid to the firm of certified accountants in charge of the work, leaving a balance on hand of \$86,631.85.

It is likely that there will be such a disposition of the case now pending before the circuit court of LaSalle county that it will be known before the adjournment of the present General Assembly whether any additional expenditure will be required for the continuation of the investigation by the Executive office.

INSURANCE.

We have in the State of Illinois, of domestic and foreign origin, more than seven hundred insurance companies, collecting a little more than seventy-five millions of dollars annually in premiums. The business touches every household and enters into every financial and business relation.

Changes in the laws governing this subject should be very carefully and judiciously considered, and no existing condition should be disturbed unless there is a well defined and evident necessity for such change.

LIFE INSURANCE.

In my message to the Forty-fifth General Assembly, I took occasion to call attention to a number of important matters which, in my opinion, required at that time the attention of the Legislature, the chief and most important of which was the subject of life insurance.

Fourteen bills relating to this subject were proposed by the Insurance Department pursuant to the recommendations of the message, embracing a number of highly important changes in, and additions to, the life insurance code of this State.

These measures all became laws and have now been effective for approximately one year. Their operation has been highly beneficial to the insuring public and satisfactory to the companies.

No better evidence of the thorough and efficient work done on these laws could be produced than this action by the New York companies.

FIRE INSURANCE.

(a) All the laws upon our Statute books should, as far as possible, be so framed as to be easily understood and to need little interpretation. Where, by reason of frequent amendment or otherwise, any law has become involved or obscure, it should be re-written, so that its purpose may be made evident and compliance with its provisions simple.

Section 6 of the amended Act of 1869, relating to the organization of mutual fire insurance companies is, as I indicated in a former message, uncertain in meaning and would seem to permit the organization of mutual companies with a capitalization of \$10,000 and no further liability upon the part of members, while stock companies, organized under the same act, issuing the same form of contracts and upon substantially the same plan, must have a capital of \$100,000.00.

Formerly the law regulating mutual fire insurance companies provided for an additional or contingent liability not less than three times, nor more than five times, the cash payment mentioned in the policy contract.

It does not seem to have been the legislative intention to abandon entirely the contingent liability of the membership of these mutual companies.

The law, as it stands, is in several ways obscure and should be revised so as to provide for a substantial contingent liability for members of mutual fire companies, sufficient in amount and under such conditions as to ensure the safety of this form of indemnity against fire loss.

(b) The subject of fire waste is one of first importance to the people of this State. The losses by fire in Illinois during the past year (1908), as computed by what appears to be competent authority, amounted to more than fifteen millions of dollars, and only about sixty per cent of this enormous loss was covered by insurance.

It is probably true that we cannot in this country expect as low a loss ratio as in older countries, but we certainly should not find the fire losses to be more than \$3.00 per capita in Illinois, against 45 cents in France and 60 cents in England.

The best way to secure a low fire insurance rate is by having a good risk, and the recent efforts of the fire insurance companies to reduce the fire waste by the organization of a fire prevention bureau should be recognized and encouraged, and such assistance as is found possible rendered by the State. Inspection, enforcement of proper building regulations, and prompt and vigorous prosecution for the crime of arson, are all proper means to this desirable end. The enactment of a law creating the office of fire marshal should receive your favorable consideration.

Such an office, clothed with proper power of inspection, would do much in a very short time to decrease the cost of insurance by reducing the fire waste. This has been done in Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Ohio, Alabama, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Virginia and Washington, and the experience has been such as fully to warrant the conclusions above expressed. As the services of the fire marshal and his as-

sistants would be paid for by the companies, the creation of this office would involve the imposition of no additional burden upon the tax-payer, while affording to the public generally, no less than to the insured, a greater protection against fire loss than under the present system.

(c) *Lloyds*.

If State supervision of the business of insurance is to be effectively accomplished, its purpose contemplates all forms of the business and all persons engaged in it should come within the operation of the insurance laws.

An unfortunate wording of a portion of section 22 of the general law governing fire insurance companies rendered the act void, by the decision of the Supreme Court, so far as it relates to Lloyds unincorporated associations and individual underwriters. They are not under State supervision and are not under legal obligation to make financial statements to the Insurance Department or to disclose the condition of their business, and persons representing them as agents are not licensed.

The operation of these concerns has in many instances been a disgrace to the State and is constantly a menace to the insuring public. A proper law should be passed prescribing the conditions upon which they may be authorized to do business in the State and providing a penalty for its violation. All forms of this business, and all persons engaged in it, should be brought under the supervision of the State Insurance Department.

(d) Section 8 of the fire insurance law, as amended in 1891, relates to the investment of the funds of domestic companies. Some portions of the act are obsolete, and some forms of investment provided for which are not now known to the commercial world. Some of the terms used are of very uncertain meaning.

The law should be revised and fashioned upon the lines indicated by the act of 1907 regulating the investments of domestic life insurance companies.

FRATERNAL INSURANCE SOCIETIES.

The remarkable growth and development of the fraternal insurance business, the amount of indemnity in force, the number of societies, and the variety of plans, in operation and proposed, for the conduct of this business, call for careful consideration by the General Assembly.

These fraternal societies should be encouraged and assisted in every way possible consistent with safety and soundness. Our act of 1907 provided for the examination of fraternal societies by the State Insurance Department, and for greater publicity of their business and financial affairs.

There should be further legislation providing that expense and mortuary funds should be separately levied and accounted for and a severe penalty provided for violation thereof by the use of mortuary funds for expense purposes.

There should also be established by law some test of solvency, so that the Insurance Department may intervene before a failing society becomes hopelessly bankrupt or in a condition where the membership declines to pay further assessments and all claims of the beneficiaries of deceased members are thereby lost.

I am informed by the Superintendent of Insurance that the rates hitherto charged by fraternal societies have not been adequate and that the assessment charges have been insufficient to furnish sound indemnity.

The more conservative of the societies recognize this and I am advised are considering legislation in the several states looking to the correction of this infirmity in their plan of operation.

They should be encouraged in this effort, but with higher rates and greater assessments will come increased responsibility and such legislation should be provided as will safeguard the increased assets.

The more nearly the fraternal societies approach the plan of insurance and the premium charges of legal reserve companies, the more nearly must the legislation applicable to both branches of this business coincide.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

In my inaugural message, I recommended the organization of an efficient Geological Survey. The Forty-fourth General Assembly passed the necessary legislation creating such a bureau and appropriated \$25,000.00 per annum for its support. The Forty-fifth General Assembly, after reviewing the work accomplished, added a special appropriation of \$15,000.00.

The general object of the Geological Survey is to make studies of the geological and mineral resources of the State with a view to their efficient and economical development.

Illinois now ranks third in its mineral industries, the total output of our mines in 1907 being \$152,122,648.00. Any legislation touching so extensive an industry must be based upon exact knowledge. This it is the province of the Geological Survey to furnish.

The work is of particular importance at the present time in view of the aroused public interest in the conservation of our natural resources. Mineral resources differ from others in that they are stored products. Within certain limits, the fertility of a worn-out soil may be restored, deforested areas may be replanted, one year's water supply is followed by another; but such products as coal, gas and oil, once taken out, cannot be replaced. They should, therefore, be conserved with special care.

The study of lands subject to overflow, provided for by the special appropriation made by the Forty-fifth General Assembly, has been undertaken in coöperation with the Internal Improvement Commission of the State and the United States Department of Agriculture. Surveys have been made of the Kaskaskia river from Cowden to Chester; of the Big Muddy from Benton to Murphysboro, and of portions of the Sangamon, Little Wabash and Embarrass, and it has been estimated that over \$100,000,000.00 will be added to the land values of the State if the lands subject to overflow in all Illinois river valleys can be reclaimed and protected.

Besides extensive studies related to our most important mineral product, coal, in which we rank as a producing State second only to Pennsylvania, many other minor mineral products have been made the subject of investigation by the commission, such as oil, natural gas areas, deposits of fire-clay and clays especially suitable for paving brick, silica deposits, material for the manufacture of Portland cement, limestone for building and other construction purposes and for use in the treatment of the extensive areas of acid soils of which 6,000,000 acres are found in twenty-three counties in the southern part of the State.

The importance of these studies may be illustrated by the direct bearing they have upon the improvement and development of our coal mining industry. Our present coal mine equipment is idle approximately forty per cent of the time. The coal studies of the Geological Survey Commission have been devoted to an investigation of methods for more thorough sampling for the prevention of depreciation and improved schemes for the storage of coal, for the securing of smokeless combustion and various other matters affecting the more thorough and economical consumption of coal, with a special view to the broadening of the markets for the Illinois product.

The great fuelless states to the northwest are bound, as their population and industries grow, to demand more coal. Whether this is to be supplied from Illinois or from competing fields will depend largely on the extent to which our local producers understand the demands of the northwest and are able so to prepare and ship their coal as to meet those demands.

In addition to this phase of the coal studies of the commission, preliminary studies have been made of the occurrence of gas and dust in the mines of the State and their relation to mine accidents. A thorough study of this subject should be made, through the Geological Survey, with a view to decreasing the great loss of life and property in our mines.

The necessity for a wise conservation of our natural resources has been recently brought prominently before the nation by President Roosevelt. At the conference at the White House in May last, the desirability of a more orderly planning of our development and for the coöperation of the states

and the Nation in a definite program to that end were discussed. It is clear that any general policy with regard to the use of our soils, waters, minerals, plants and animals, must be based on exact knowledge of their character, extent and distribution. Fortunately Illinois already has accumulated much of this preliminary information and in its Agricultural Experiment Station, Engineering Experiment Station, Soil Survey, Water Survey, Geological Survey, Natural History Survey, Fish Commission, Game Commission, Internal Improvement Commission, Highway Commission and similar organizations, is exceptionally well equipped to study this problem in its broadest aspects. Only minor gaps exist and they may be easily closed. In order to insure the best possible correlation of the work of these commissions, and, acting on the request of the President for a local body to coöperate with the National Conservation Commission, I have recently constituted the heads of several of the State bureaus, together with representatives of certain important outside organizations, a State Conservation Commission. A temporary organization has been effected and permanent plans will be later laid before you. Illinois is in the lead in this great movement and is already receiving large benefits from intelligent study of its resources. It is of the highest importance that this leadership be maintained.

The extent and importance of the work of the Geological Survey can be seen from what has been said. The faster this work can be done, the sooner the State will reap the benefit.

At the rate permitted by the present annual appropriation, it will necessarily be many years before the whole State can be covered. I therefore submit to the General Assembly the consideration of the question of devoting to this work such additional appropriations as you may deem desirable and as the finances of the State will permit. In the great era of creative work upon which we are now entering, the development of our water power, the reclamation of our swamps, the protection of our soil and the reduction of waste in our mining and manufacturing, the best aid of science is needed at every point, and this should be made available as far as possible through the liberal maintenance of the Geological Survey Commission and other agencies which are engaged in the work of conserving our natural resources.

EDUCATIONAL COMMISSION.

The educational system of Illinois involves the control of 13,042 city, village and rural schools, employing 28,524 teachers and attended by 988,078 pupils. In the management of the public schools of this State, the services of 45,000 school officers are employed and in their maintenance \$32,227,605.06 is annually expended.

A general revision of the law under which this important branch of the public service is now administered is highly desirable on account of the confusion into which the school laws of the State have fallen by reason of their multiplicity and lack of uniformity and consistency. As stated in my previous message, the school laws of Illinois now include the general school law, containing 301 sections, thirty-seven special charters, eight supplemental acts and twenty-one additional acts. Moreover, besides the statutes and charters which constitute the substantive school law of the State, there are four hundred court decisions construing them. The necessity for simplifying and coördinating the various parts of the law is manifest.

To the Educational Commission created by an act approved May 25, 1907, was assigned the task of revising and codifying the school law and of recommending such improvements in the school system as might seem advisable. It has revised, simplified, condensed and codified the general school law so that the thousands of school officers who have frequent occasion to use it may find it clear and explicit where it has been ambiguous or contradictory. In the opinion of those who are best informed upon the subject, this revision of the school laws is the necessary preliminary to any general improvement of our educational system.

The commission has also, after exhaustive studies, proposed certain recommendations in regard to improving the public school system of the State. Among these are the creation of a State Board of Education, a new plan for the certification of teachers, the township system of school organization and a minimum salary law for teachers.

Both the revision and the recommendations of the commission will be presented in detail in a report of the commission to your Honorable Body. They should receive your most careful consideration. Such improvements in the school law and the school system should be made as will meet the educational needs of the State and secure the general approval of our citizens.

THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

The needs of the State University are respectfully commended to your attention. The University has already become one of the largest institutions of learning in the United States. It should be our aim to make it one of the best. The University should be so complete in its organization and equipment as to supply every facility for the acquirement of higher education which can be found in any similar institution in the country.

The University is the foundation of our educational system. Without the work which it performs in the way of advancing our knowledge and training our citizens, it would be impossible to develop a sound system of public education.

Many branches of the instruction afforded by our State University are of the most immediate practical importance. This is notably the case with respect to the work of the College of Agriculture and the Agricultural Experiment Station which have revolutionized farming methods in this and other states. Much the same benefit has been conferred upon the engineering work of the country through the means of education afforded along engineering lines by the Engineering College and the Engineering Experiment Station. These are now doing for engineering what the Agricultural College and Experiment Station have been doing for agriculture.

The College of Education strongly supplements the work of our normal schools. The Courses in Commerce afford to those who seek training for business careers a liberal education along related lines, such as trade and commerce, domestic and foreign, and the course of industrial development.

The work of the Graduate School, for the establishment of which the last General Assembly made the first appropriation, has promoted original research and investigation of all subjects which are of interest to the people of the commonwealth and has raised the University to the plane occupied by the great universities of this and other countries.

The Chemical Laboratory is turning out trained men for our chemical industries. No more striking example can be found of the advantage of the application of science to industrial processes than has been afforded by Germany in the up-building of its chemical industries. That country has obtained a practical monopoly in certain important branches of industry by the development of its scientific laboratories. We can break that monopoly, in Illinois at any rate, by the wise fostering of this most important department of the University.

Excellent work is being done also by the State Water Survey in testing our water supplies and investigating the best methods of making them available for public and industrial purposes.

The report of the State University will present to the General Assembly a request for appropriations to enlarge the present university library which, as the report states, is entirely too small to meet the requirements of such an institution. The present library ranks only with those of smaller colleges of the better types.

To accomplish the large aims of this great institution adequate appropriations are necessary and the recommendations contained in its report are well worthy your careful consideration.

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION.

The work of the State Highway Commission shows a steady increase since its formation three years ago. That there has been a very general interest aroused in all sections of the State concerning road improvement is shown by the large number of public meetings to which the commission has been invited to send speakers. In 1906, 48 meetings were attended; in 1907, 111; in 1908, 128. In addition to public meetings very many requests have been received from local officials concerning road and bridge improvement. In 1908 there were 228 road inspections made; 173 bridge inspections; and 137 conferences to which representatives of the commission were sent to confer with local officials on matters pertaining to road and bridge work.

The majority of the public meetings attended were Farmers Institutes, invitations being received from nearly every county in the State for a speaker on the institute program.

The commission furnishes without charge to the local officials estimates, plans and supervision for bridge construction, thereby enabling the various communities to secure properly designed bridges at a price considerably less than has hitherto been paid in many instances for structures very much poorer in design. This one feature alone has saved to the taxpayers of the State many times the total appropriation made for the commission.

Particular emphasis has been laid upon the advisability of constructing all small bridges entirely of concrete, replacing cheap steel and worn out wooden bridges with this form of construction, thereby eliminating future cost of maintenance.

The maintenance of earth roads has received special consideration from the commission, and the use and advantage of the earth road drag has been explained in bulletins of which more than 100,000 have been distributed. It has been estimated that 15,000 road drags have been brought into use since the commission first drew the attention of local road authorities to the effectiveness of this form of earth road maintenance, and 15,000 miles of road have been thus maintained during the past year. Much study has been given by the commission to some cheap form of construction to render earth roads in good condition throughout the year. Special attention has been given to the effect of oil for this purpose. The results of the experiments of the commission will determine whether the cost of this work will be prohibitive and whether the results obtained will be worth the expense.

The commission has received many requests for experimental work of various kinds but has been able to undertake only a small part of the work requested. The character of the work undertaken by the commission in local road construction and improvement has been in every instance at the request of the local authorities, and carried out as nearly as possible in accordance with their desires.

THE STATE FOOD COMMISSION.

The passage by the national government in 1907 of a food inspection law, led to the revision of food inspection laws by a number of states. Our State, which occupies the foremost place in the manufacture and sale of food products, was among the first to enter upon such revision. The revision answered a double purpose. It improved the body of the law by bringing its requirements up to modern standards of food inspection and increased the facility of its administration by conforming the provisions of the State to those of the national law.

The result has been complete and harmonious coöperation between the State and federal food authorities since the passage by the last General Assembly of the new State food inspection law.

During 1908, the State Food Commission has published and distributed among manufacturers and dealers in food products 5,000 copies of its last annual report, 20,000 copies of the new State food law, 50,000 bulletins setting forth the work accomplished by the department and 15,000 copies of the new rulings and tentative standards adopted by the department. In

this way, the trade has been made familiar with the provisions of the new law and the very general disposition to comply with its requirements has been gratifying.

Within the past year also the State food inspectors have taken over 6,000 samples of foods. All these have been subjected to chemical analysis with the result that 4,200 were found to be pure and 1,800 either adulterated, misbranded or in some other particular failing to conform to the food law.

Prior to the passage of the new national and State food laws, food adulteration had become very general. Lack of jurisdiction of the states beyond their own borders and the ease with which adulterated and misbranded foods could enter a state under the provisions of the interstate commerce law, made it nearly impossible to prevent the flooding of the markets with such food products. The conforming of standards, State and national, and the cooperation of Federal and State food departments, have greatly simplified the duties and furthered the work of both. The detection of adulterations and the fixing of legal liability therefor has now become merely a question of analysis by the chemist and a comparison of the samples with the labels and standards fixed by both national and State food laws. On the other hand, conformity with the requirements of the law on the part of manufacturers and dealers has been equally simplified, and they are complying more generally than ever before in the State's history with the law's requirements.

It is estimated that eighty-five per cent of the manufacturers and packers of food products are not only complying with the provisions of the law themselves, but are rendering the department substantial aid in securing its enforcement against those who seek to evade its provisions. This means the eventual withdrawal from the market of all food products containing chemical preservatives or made from impure, inferior and unwholesome ingredients and a corresponding improvement in health conditions.

The report which the commission will submit to the General Assembly contains recommendations in regard to an increase in the working force of the department and calls attention to the fact that Illinois is not only the foremost manufacturer of food products but is the chief distributing point of food products as well, and that while the volume of work of our food department is as great as that of any other state, New York employs forty-five, Pennsylvania thirty-six and Ohio twenty-nine, while Illinois employs but twelve inspectors. The report shows that New York appropriates for this purpose \$225,000, Pennsylvania \$175,000 and Ohio \$95,000, whilst Illinois appropriates but \$37,500. The report therefore urges the appointment of at least thirty inspectors and fifteen chemists with the necessary increase of appropriation, in order thoroughly to meet the demands upon the department.

I trust that the General Assembly will give these questions the consideration which their merit and importance require.

FISH COMMISSION.

During the past two years, the State Fish Commission has made great progress in the work of stocking Illinois rivers and lakes with high-class food fishes. Twenty-five million fertilized eggs were received by the commission during 1908 from the United States Food Commission, sixty-six per cent of which were successfully hatched out and distributed in Illinois waters.

A new hatchery has been erected at Havana, fully equipped for the hatching of the finer varieties of native fish.

The important service rendered to the State by the Illinois Fish Commission is evident from the volume of business transacted by the fisheries along the Illinois river, which is second only to the Columbia river in the extent of its fish industries. During the two years just passed, there have been shipped from nineteen towns on the Illinois river more than 34,000,000 pounds of edible fish, worth more than three quarters of a million dollars.

The Supreme Court has declared unconstitutional certain provisions of the law, passed at the last session of the General Assembly, relating to fish and game including the section requiring the payment of a license fee by any person desiring to fish in any of the waters of the State. The commission has been deriving a portion of its revenue from such licenses and the law should be so amended as to provide sufficient funds for the maintenance of the department.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

The increasing interest taken by the State in the regulation of conditions surrounding labor has resulted in the gradual imposition of additional duties upon the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The last General Assembly enacted a law requiring employers of labor to report to the bureau all fatal accidents and all non-fatal accidents involving a loss of thirty days employment or more, which data the bureau is required to tabulate and publish in yearly reports.

The present biennial report of the Bureau of Labor Statistics presents the results of an investigation of establishments employing women, covering thirty-seven industries and eighty-six establishments, employing 2,500 female employes out of a total of 13,000 employed in such establishments.

The report also shows that there was received at the different free employment offices during the year 1908, 45,373 applications for employment, of which 34,736 were placed in positions at a cost to the State of eighty-five cents per capita.

The report on the coal industry shows that Illinois continues to hold her place as the second coal producing State in the country. There are now in operation in Illinois 922 coal mines, employing 71,000 men and producing, last year, 49,500,000 tons the value of which at the mines was nearly \$51,000,000. Compared with the record of 1882, the first year after the passage of the State mining law providing for reports, the number of mines has increased 31 per cent, employes 249 per cent, production 347 per cent and the value 273 per cent.

Since the passage of the law enacted at the last session of the General Assembly requiring employers of labor to report accidents occurring to their employes, 3,012 accidents, of which 622 were fatal and 2,390 were non-fatal, have been reported.

In view of the unusual number of accidents which have occurred in the coal mines of our State during the past year, I have directed the chairman of the Mining Board to order a number of the State Mine Inspectors to any mine where a serious accident may occur to make a joint investigation of the causes thereof and to submit a joint report thereon. Such reports will furnish data upon which to base remedial legislation. These reports will be submitted to the appropriate committees of the General Assembly. It is my earnest hope that some means may be found to afford more adequate protection to human life and limb in our coal-mining industry.

DEPARTMENT OF FACTORY INSPECTION.

Under the law enacted by the Forty-fifth General Assembly, the Illinois Department of Factory Inspection was made a distinct and separate department of the State government.

Various bills amendatory of the factory inspection law were submitted to the General Assembly at the same session. Of these, two were enacted into law, an act relating to the manufacture of butterine and ice cream, and an act providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in and about of the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, viaducts and other structures. Other bills submitted by the department failed of passage. This failure led in two instances to the presentation of resolutions, one of which provided for the appointment by the Governor of a commission to investigate the most advisable method or methods of providing for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, known as the Hazardous and Dangerous

Machinery Commission; the other for the appointment by the Governor of a commission to investigate the causes and conditions related to diseases peculiar to certain occupations, known as the Occupational Diseases Commission.

These commissions will report to your Honorable Body at the present session the result of their investigations and will, no doubt, accompany their report with such proposed bills as they deem necessary to remedy existing abuses.

Other matters which will be submitted to you by the State Factory Inspection Department are, the enactment of a law relative to public buildings and places of amusement, requiring additional safeguards against fire and panic, especially in buildings occupied by moving picture devices, which are at present without statutory regulation; the amendment of the law relative to fire escapes, requiring the installation of modern equipment and mechanical devices for the prevention of fire; the enactment of a law for the supervision of the manufacture of clothing, for the better protection of those employed in such work and for the safeguarding of the public health against contagion, and a law for the regulation of the employment of women and their hours of labor.

All proposed legislation and other matters coming under the jurisdiction of the Factory Inspection Department you will find discussed at length in the report of the department. The report also presents in detail the work accomplished during the past two years. Some of the more important features follow:

In the last two years the Factory Inspectors' Department has inspected 135,209 establishments under the child labor law; the percentage of child labor to the number of adults is 1.2 per cent. This is the greatest reduction shown in any industrial state. Through the enforcement of the child labor law during the past two years the school attendance has been considerably increased, the inspectors having dismissed from the factories several thousand children who have been returned to the school room. Two years ago children between fourteen and sixteen, who were dismissed from factories, because of the failure to have proper school papers, or working certificates on file, or who had been working more than the legal limit of eight hours a day were not under the control of the school authorities, as the compulsory school attendance law's maximum limit was fourteen.

During the last regular session of the General Assembly this age limit was raised to sixteen, so that today all children under fourteen must attend school, and all children between fourteen and sixteen must either attend school or go to work. This has been a great benefit, and has increased the school attendance by many thousands.

During the past eighteen months the Department of Factory Inspection has inspected 801 establishments where ice cream and butterine are manufactured; all these establishments required re-inspections, because alterations along the line of sanitation had to be made in all except four. This has brought about an exceptionally clean and healthy condition in the manufacture of ice cream.

The act providing for the protection of metal polishers has been so uniformly enforced throughout the State during the past few years by the Department of Factory Inspection, that only a few months ago, the Polishers' Journal—the official organ of the National Metal Polishers' Union—printed an editorial setting forth the condition of the metal polishers in the United States in detail, and in such editorial appears the statement that "metal polishers are better protected today in Illinois than in any other state in the Union." The death rate of metal polishers in Illinois has been reduced 60 per cent in the last year through the enforcement of this law.

The death rate in Illinois in the structural iron workers' trade two years ago was 31 per annum. Through the enforcement of the law for the protection of the structural iron workers, the death rate has been reduced more than two-thirds.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

I call your attention to the advantages of the enactment of a law providing for better methods of registration of vital statistics, such as will be in conformity with those adopted by leading states and in accordance with the provisions of the Census Bureau of the United States Government. The value of such statistics is lost, unless they be accurate, complete and uniform with similar data with which they are constantly subject to comparison. Inasmuch as fifteen of the states, representing approximately one-half the population of the nation, have adopted the methods of uniform registration employed by the Census Bureau, it is important that Illinois should employ similar methods. At present Illinois is not classed by the United States Census Bureau with the registration states.

There is also need for the revision of one section of the act to regulate the practice of medicine. Through a decision rendered by the Supreme Court, the State Board of Health is without jurisdiction over those physicians and other practitioners who were licensed prior to the enactment of the present medical practice act, July 1, 1899. This decision renders the board powerless to revoke the licenses of any one of the large majority of those now in practice within the State, however justifiable such action would be. An amendment to the medical practice act giving the board jurisdiction over all those now licensed by the State, was introduced in the Forty-fifth General Assembly, at the instance of the State Board of Health. The bill passed the House, but was amended in the Senate so as to limit the board's authority to those licensed since July 1, 1899. I recommend that the desired amendment be now enacted so that the people may be adequately protected, and so that the authority of the State Board of Health may be uniform in its application to all practitioners.

I further recommend the continuation of the appropriation made by the Forty-fifth General Assembly for the free distribution of antitoxin for the treatment and prevention of diphtheria. The distribution of antitoxin has proven most effectual as a means of preventing the spread of this deadly disease. During the past two years, free antitoxin in Illinois has unquestionably saved the lives of many hundreds who would otherwise have perished. It has also brought about the prompt suppression of the disease when serious epidemics must otherwise have occurred.

Two hundred stations outside of Chicago, have been established by the State Board of Health, for the distribution of antitoxin. Through these agencies 11,352 packages of the antitoxin, prepared in syringes ready for use, have been distributed to physicians in all parts of the State. The aggregate cost of the antitoxin distributed has been less than \$13,000.00. I am informed by the State Board of Health that if this had been purchased at ordinary current prices by individual families, it would have cost \$48,000.00.

Reports made by physicians to the State Board of Health show that during the year ending September 30, 1908, 2,552 patients were treated with the antitoxin and 4,211 treatments were administered. Of the 2,552 patients, 180 died, a death rate of 7.05 per cent. Medical statistics show that the death rate from diphtheria, previous to the introduction of the antitoxin treatment, was forty per cent of the ordinary cases, while in the most serious cases there were no recoveries. In addition, the antitoxin has been used as a preventive and has been administered for this purpose to 2,250 persons who were not suffering from diphtheria but had been exposed to the disease, 1,272 residing in the same houses with diphtheria patients, 642 in the same rooms and 141 occupying the same beds. Out of the 2,250 persons thus treated for preventive purposes, but 37 afterwards contracted the disease.

THE LIVE STOCK COMMISSION.

The Forty-fifth General Assembly enacted legislation giving the Board of Live Stock Commissioners jurisdiction over animals suspected of being affected with any disease that might render their carcasses unfit for human consumption. This is the first legislation conferring upon the commission powers which are to be exercised in the protection of the public health. It

has resulted in a great enlargement of the work of the commission and necessitates the employment of a much larger force in disposing of the increased volume of business. A detailed account of the work of the commission will be found in its report, but special attention is called to a few important features.

Bovine tuberculosis, which for years worked unchecked among the dairy and breeding herds of the State, and which is now attacking other classes of animals brought in contact with diseased cattle, is yielding and may be eradicated with the intelligent use of tuberculin and the prevention of new infection by closing the channels through which it is brought into the State.

The commission has, with the aid of the State Veterinarian, made tuberculin tests of all cattle belonging to the State at the various State institutions, aggregating nearly 1,000 head. All reacting animals have been destroyed and the depleted herds built up by the purchase of healthy cattle after their subjection to the tuberculin test. No cattle, except such as show entire freedom from tuberculosis are now admitted to any of the State institution herds. The pressing necessity for work of this character is manifest from the fact that in some of the institution herds as many as sixty per cent of the cattle were found to be affected with tuberculosis.

An outbreak of foot and mouth disease in several of the other states during the month of November, 1908, made it necessary to quarantine against the localities where the disease was known to exist and to prohibit the importation therefrom of all animals which were subject to infection. This emergency disclosed the inadequacy of existing laws for the protection of the live stock of the State. Amendatory legislation will be submitted by the commission to the General Assembly during the present session and should receive your favorable consideration.

A bill for the inspection of slaughter houses throughout the State was introduced in the Forty-fifth General Assembly, but failed of passage. Legislation of this character is of great importance. Under the present law, the beneficial effects of inspection are almost entirely confined to the great packing centers where government inspection is maintained and the markets supplied by them. One of the consequences of this limitation upon inspection is that cattle known to be infected with disease are freely taken to private abattoirs, where they may be slaughtered without inspection, and sold in the local markets for human food. The conditions at some of these private abattoirs are intolerable. At many of them, twenty-five to fifty head of cattle are slaughtered weekly. The products of these animals which are not utilized are allowed to remain undisturbed until the next animals are slaughtered and, in the summer time, when all kinds of insects abound, they carry and disseminate this infected material. Such conditions should not be allowed to continue. The same necessity for cleanliness exists here as in the great packing centers and the public is as much entitled to protection against infection from this source as from any other.

Measures correcting the defects referred to should be enacted at the present session.

STATE ARCHITECT.

The report of the professional work for the State of Illinois undertaken by the State Architect during the last two years shows that plans and specifications for all of the buildings and improvements for which the last General Assembly made appropriations were completed in due time. Nearly all of the buildings thus planned, as well as the proposed improvements, are entirely completed and the buildings occupied. Others are now nearing completion and the few remaining ones are well under way. In addition to this new work, the buildings which the last report described as unfinished have been fully completed.

The State was extremely fortunate in its building operations during the past year. The decided decrease in the cost of building materials, due in large part to the financial disturbance of a year ago, made it possible to erect buildings of a higher type of construction, as well as of larger size

than would have been the case under ordinary circumstances. An unusual and thoroughly active competition among contractors, together with this low cost of material, resulted in the building of all of the hospitals, as well as other structures requiring high class fireproof construction, without diminishing the desired size or needed capacity of the buildings.

Unusual interest must attach also to the extensive rehabilitation in the physical condition of the State charitable institutions undertaken and accomplished during the last year. A decided improvement has been effected in connection with the heating and ventilating of many of these buildings. The danger of destruction or loss by fire has been materially lessened by supplying additional fire-escapes, creating new exits and installing improved water supply systems and apparatus for extinguishing fires. The sanitary conditions of all the buildings have been greatly bettered by a thorough overhauling of the plumbing and complete cleaning and refinishing of all plaster and wood surfaces.

It is important to observe that a part of this work at the institutions was accomplished by the inmates and patients, thus furnishing them with healthy exercise and desirable productive occupation while at the same time securing for the State a saving in the cost of labor.

Among the important buildings erected and improvements made during the last two years are the following:

<i>State Training School for Girls—Geneva—</i>	
Four cottages	\$ 80,000 00
<i>St. Charles School for Boys—St. Charles—</i>	
Two cottages	40,000 00
Hospital building	15,000 00
<i>Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home—Quincy—</i>	
Hospital building	17,500 00
Two cottages	115,000 00
<i>Illinois General Hospital for the Insane—Peoria—</i>	
Two hospital buildings	100,000 00
<i>Department of Justice—Springfield—</i>	
Completing Supreme Court building	450,000 00
<i>Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane—Elgin—</i>	
Farm cottage	25,000 00
Woman's cottage	25,000 00
Industrial building	10,000 00
Hospital building	25,000 00
<i>Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane—Watertown—</i>	
Hospital building	100,000 00
<i>Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane—Kankakee—</i>	
Hospital building	70,000 00
<i>Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children—Lincoln—</i>	
Gymnasium	20,000 00
Heating system	10,000 00
<i>Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane—Jacksonville—</i>	
Tuberculosis hospital	6,000 00
Additions and alterations to hospitals	25,000 00
<i>Illinois School for the Blind—Jacksonville—</i>	
New boilers and boiler house alterations	15,000 00
Hospital building	6,000 00
<i>Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane—Anna—</i>	
Hospital building	50,000 00
<i>State Militia—Illinois National Guard—Camp Logan—</i>	
Three barracks buildings	25,000 00
<i>Southern Illinois Penitentiary—Menard—</i>	
New dining hall and kitchen	20,000 00
<i>Illinois State Normal University—Normal—</i>	
Auditorium and manual arts building	100,000 00
<i>Eastern Illinois State Normal School—Charleston—</i>	
Dormitory building	100,000 00

Southern Illinois Normal School—Carbondale—

Model school building	\$ 50,000 00
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<i>Seventh Regiment Armory—Illinois National Guard—Chicago...</i>	150,000 00
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Illinois Naval Reserve—Chicago—

Boat house	12,000 00
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University of Illinois—Urbana—

Physics laboratory building	250,000 00
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Natural history building	150,000 00
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I desire again to call the attention of the General Assembly to the urgent necessity for a revision of the statute creating the office of State Architect, defining his duties and fixing his compensation, to which I had occasion to call attention in my special message of October 8, 1907. No final action in this matter was taken by the General Assembly before its adjournment. The feature of the law in which revision is sought is that relating to percentage of compensation. It is not proposed to change the salary of the State Architect. The percentage allowed to the State Architect under the present law is one and one-half per cent, which I am informed is entirely inadequate to meet the necessary expenditure for high class architectural service, such as the work of the State demands.

The State Architect has submitted to me a statement showing that the net cost to an architect for services rendered in private practice averages more than 3 per cent of the cost of the work. The cost to the office of the architect of the school board of Chicago for preparing plans and specifications and for general supervision exceeds 3 per cent of the cost of the building. The cost to the architect under whose supervision the Federal government printing office was built for draughtsmen and office expenses, amounted to 6-10 per cent of the cost, exclusive of the cost of experts in heating, ventilation, plumbing, electrical installation and the architect's salary. In England 5 per cent of the cost of the work is paid the architect for expenses, and for other work usually done in this country by an architect the owner pays 2 per cent additional to a surveyor. In the state of New York the State Architect receives a salary of \$7,500 and the expenses of his office are unlimited, being paid from special appropriations. As only in New York and Illinois the office of State Architect really exists, no further comparison can be made.

The building of modern fire-proof structures, such as are now being erected for State purposes, requires the highest class of architectural skill. The compensation offered by the State should be sufficient to attract such skill to the State's service. This cannot be secured and permanently retained when the compensation is inadequate. The State should be protected in the construction of its public buildings by the best professional supervision.

To this end, the Executive Department should be afforded the means of employing and retaining the services of a skillful architect. The value of retaining such services must be apparent. In the course of his official experience, a State Architect becomes familiar with the conditions obtaining in the State institutions and makes a study of their needs. He is thus enabled to adopt a uniform style of building for similar institutions throughout the State, which permits the construction work to be carried on more economically and efficiently than could otherwise be done. It is manifest, for instance, that had the Executive Department been obliged to employ different architects in the erection of the many buildings covered by the above statement, it would have resulted in lack of uniformity of construction, great additional labor and a largely increased expenditure of the public money.

Moreover, the State Architect, in the course of his official experience, acquires an acquaintance with building contractors and is thus enabled to secure a much keener competition among them than it would be possible to secure under other circumstances, with great advantage to the State.

Owing to the inadequacy of compensation, the State Architect, whose report will be filed with the present General Assembly, tendered his resignation more than six months ago, but at my urgent solicitation, continued in the State's service until December 31st. His work has been performed in the most efficient manner, with scrupulous honesty and at financial sacrifice and it is unfortunate that the State has not been able to retain his services.

The General Assembly should provide such compensation as will enable the State to procure and retain the services of a competent, experienced and thoroughly reliable official in this important office.

NATIONAL GUARD.

The organization of the National Guard is at this time the same as that of the United States Army, comprising divisional, brigade and regimental organization. Its equipment is nearly the same as that of the regular army, and should be made the same.

During the present administration an armory building has been erected to house the Seventh Infantry, at a cost of \$150,000.00, this amount being used for the building alone, the ground site having been donated to the State. A boat-house has been erected for the Naval Reserve at a cost of \$7,500.00, and the ground on which the Second Infantry armory is located has been purchased for \$35,000.00.

The National Guard has been incorporated as a part of the national forces and the United States is exerting every effort to perfect its efficiency.

During the summer of 1907, a battalion of the Fourth Infantry, U. S. A., was detailed to participate in the annual encampment of the Guard at Springfield and was of great benefit to the troops there encamped. It was the first time that a battalion of the Federal troops had been assigned to any State to assist in training the National Guard. Three regiments, the First Infantry, the Fourth Infantry, the Eighth Cavalry, and a detachment of the Signal Corps from this State took part in the army maneuvers at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis during the past summer, and acquitted themselves with great credit to the State.

Rifle practice has been greatly encouraged and the officers and men are becoming proficient in the use of the arm furnished by the United States Government.

Before being commissioned, the officers of the Guard are required to pass a very rigid examination and boards for this purpose are convened monthly.

The Illinois National Guard is recognized by the War Department as one of the most efficient organizations of its kind in the United States and it is entitled to the earnest and liberal support of the citizens of Illinois.

The efficiency of the National Guard was signally demonstrated during the recent riots at Springfield, a detailed account of which is contained in the report of the Adjutant General. A situation entirely beyond the power of the local civil authorities and which threatened to culminate in the loss of many lives and the destruction of much property, was quickly brought under control with the arrival of the first companies of the National Guard. From the moment the rioters were brought face to face with the troops, the disturbance abated and normal conditions were speedily restored. The National Guard can be depended on to meet such emergencies. Its effective work in restoring order will result in permanent good, however, only when followed up by the successful prosecution, by the civil authorities, of participants in the destruction of life and property.

INCREASED APPROPRIATIONS.

The increased work imposed upon various institutions and departments by the growth of the public business, has led many of them, in their reports, to submit to the General Assembly requests for additional appropriations. I call the attention of your Honorable Body to this matter, which should receive careful consideration at your hands.

EXECUTIVE EXPENDITURES.

For a statement of expenditures made by me for this department from funds subject to my order, your attention is directed to the biennial report of the Auditor of Public Accounts for the period ending September 30, 1908. Vouchers for all such expenditures have been filed in the Auditor's office.

CHARLES S. DENEEN.

Mr. Shanahan moved that 5,000 copies of the Governor's message be printed for distribution.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House be at ease while the inaugural party, the Chief Justices, and members of the Senate retire.

And the motion prevailed.

At the hour of 1:15 o'clock p. m. Mr. Shanahan moved that the House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1909—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

By unanimous consent Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 1 in the order of second reading;

Whereupon Senate Bill No. 1, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the payment of employes of the Forty-sixth General Assembly,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 2 in the order of second reading;

Whereupon Senate Bill No. 2, a bill for "An Act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois and for the care and custody of the State house and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent Mr. Abrahams called up Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 and moved its adoption, which said resolution is as follows:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2.

WHEREAS, A most appalling calamity has overtaken Southern Italy and Sicily, earthquake, flood and fire devastating a wide territory and causing an unprecedented loss of life and property; and,

WHEREAS, The suffering from the wide-spread want and destitution is far beyond the ability of their own fellow country men to alleviate and relive; and,

WHEREAS, The spirit of our free American institutions recognizes in each and every suffering being, a brother and neighbor and commits our people and our State to the broadest principles of humanity; and,

WHEREAS, This country owes a debt of gratitude not only to its discoverer, Christopher Columbus, one of Italy's sons, but also to the sturdy character of the men and women who have left Italy's shores to become worthy and loyal citizens of our republic; therefore be it

Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring, That we appeal to the people of this State, urging them to give of their bounty for the relief of the sufferings of the people of Southern Italy and Sicily; and be it

Resolved, That the Governor appoint a committee of three citizens to receive and transmit to the sufferers in the stricken district, all money collected for that purpose by them, and further be it

Resolved, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Italian government by the Secretary of State.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 16 in the order of second reading;

Whereupon Senate Bill No. 16, a bill for "An Act for the relief of the suffering and destitute people of Southern Italy and Sicily,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Shanahan the time for the drawing of seats by the members was fixed for Thursday, January 21, immediately after the reading of the Journal.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Byers, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 5.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, that on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, instant, at 11:00 o'clock, a. m., each house shall by itself, and in the manner prescribed by sections 14 and 15 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, name a person for Senator in the Congress of the United States, from the State of Illinois, for a term of six years, from the fourth day of March, A. D. 1909, and on Wednesday, the 20th day of January, instant, at 12:00 o'clock Meridian, the members of the two houses shall convene in joint session in the hall of the House of Representatives and in the manner prescribed by law declare the person who has received a majority of the votes in each house, if any person has received such majority, duly elected Senator to represent the State of Illinois in the Congress of the United States for the term aforesaid; and if no person has received such majority, then proceed as prescribed in said law in joint assembly to choose a person for the purpose aforesaid.

Concurred in January 19, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m. having arrived, the time heretofore fixed by joint resolution to name a person for Senator in the Congress of the United States to represent the State of Illinois.

The Speaker announced that nominations for that high office were in order,

Whereupon, Mr. Flannigen, in appropriate remarks, placed in nomination the name of Albert J. Hopkins for the office of Senator in the Congress of the United States to represent the State of Illinois, for the term of six years, beginning on the fourth day of March, A. D. 1909.

Mr. Luke placed in nomination the name of Lawrence B. Stringer for the same office for the same term.

Mr. Church placed in nomination the name of George Edmund Foss for the same office for the same term.

Mr. Sollitt placed in nomination the name of William E. Mason for the same office for the same term.

The nomination of Albert J. Hopkins was seconded by Mr. Shepherd of Kane county.

The nomination of Lawrence B. Stringer was seconded by Mr. Kannally.

The nomination of George Edmund Foss was seconded by Mr. Hagan and Mr. Price.

The nomination of William E. Mason was seconded by Mr. Lederer.

There being no other nominations, the Speaker announced that the roll of members would now be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member *viva voce* for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States for the term of six years from March 4, A. D., 1909.

The roll was then called for the aforesaid purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received 61 votes; George Edmund Foss received 15 votes; William E. Mason received 4 votes; Lawrence B. Stringer received 63 votes; Edward D. Shurtleff received 3 votes.

Those voting for Mr. Hopkins were: Messrs.

Adkins,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beck,	Flagg,	Keck,	McNichols,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Black,	Gillespie,	King,	Nelson,	Wilson, D. H.
Brady,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Brownback,	Grace,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Wright,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	York,
Bush,	Hamilton,	Lane,	Richter,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	
Crawford,	Hope,	Liggett,	Schumacher,	—61
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F.W.	

Those voting for Mr. Foss were: Messrs.

Abbey,	Church,	Hagan,	Pierson,	Stearns.
ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Hull,	Price,	Zipf
Butts,	Fulton,	Maclean,	Reynolds,	Mr. Speaker,
				—15

Those voting for Mr. Mason were: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Mr. Stringer were: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby, Jr.,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdel,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	—63

Those voting for Mr. Shurtleff were: Messrs.

Curran,	Shanahan,	Smejkal,	—3
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The Speaker announced that no one having received a majority of the votes of the members of the House, there was no choice for United States Senator by the House.

Mr. ApMadoc offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, The Hon. Luther Laffin Mills, father of our esteemed member Hon. Matthew Mills of Chicago, departed this life on the 18th day of January, 1909, and,

WHEREAS, Hon. Luther Laffin Mills, was one of the eminent and able citizens of the State and country beloved by all for his manly courage and Christian principles, and,

WHEREAS, Hon. Luther Laflin Mills gave to the cause of bettering and uplifting humanity many years of his noble life, and by the superior power of his eloquence graced many occasions where citizens were gathered to assist the needy, educate and care for the boys of the street, and reclaim the fallen, and,

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has lost a patriotic and worthy citizen and his family a loving and devoted husband and father,

Therefore, be it resolved, That the House of Representatives of this Forty-sixth General Assembly, tender to his family and friends their sincere sympathy, in the loss of so upright a citizen who rendered such distinguished services to the people of the State of Illinois, and be it further,

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, and that a copy, suitably engrossed, be forwarded by the Clerk of the House to the family of the deceased, and that as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn until Wednesday, January 28, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and in accordance therewith at the hour of 12:00 o'clock m., the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1909—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the chair.

Prayer by the Rev. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 1, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 1, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the payment of employes of the Forty-sixth General Assembly,"

Was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas—132; nays—0.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Abrahams.	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Adkins.	Donahue.	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison.	Durfee,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F.W.
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler.	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Beckmeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Black,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Tippit,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Bolin,	Finley,	King,	Nelson.	Troyer,
Brady,	Flags,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	York,
Church,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Clark,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	Zipf
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Robinson,	
Crawford,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	Maclean.	Schumacher.	

Yeas—132

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendering it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 2, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 2, a bill for "An Act to provide for the incidental expenses of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and for the care and custody of the State house and grounds, to be incurred and now unprovided for,"

Was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas—127; nays—0.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWoll,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hruby	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	English,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Beckmeyer,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Black,	Etherton,	King,	Myers,	Tipitt,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Browne,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gray,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Richardson,	York,
Church,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Robinson,	Zipf
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Corcoran,	Holaday,	Macleau,	Schumacher,	
Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Scott,	Yeas—127
Curran,		McConnell,	Shanahan,	

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendering it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed. Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 16 in the order of third reading.

Whereupon Senate Bill No. 16, a bill for "An Act for the relief of the suffering and destitute people of Southern Italy and Sicily"

Was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas—141; nays—0.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Huston,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beckmeyer,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Tipitt,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Brady,	Flags,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flanagan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Rigney,	York,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Riley,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Macleau,	Robinson,	Zipf
Crawford,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Yeas—141
DeWoll,	Hilton,			Nays—0

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the act, rendering it necessary that it should go into effect immediately, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed. Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 10:35 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Behrens moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:45 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:45 o'clock a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the chair.

And at the hour of 12:00 o'clock, meridian, in pursuance of sections 14 and 16 of Title two (2), Chapter one (1) Revised Statutes of United States for 1873 and 1874 and the joint resolution heretofore adopted by both Houses of this General Assembly, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced and assigned seats in the hall of the House of Representatives, for the purpose of electing a Senator in the Congress of the United States to represent the State of Illinois for the term of six years beginning on March Fourth (4th), A. D., 1909.

The two Houses being convened in joint session, the Speaker of the House of Representatives presiding,

The President of the Senate directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,

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The Speaker of the House then ordered the Clerk thereof to call the roll of members.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby, Jr.,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F.W.
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erby,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckmeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murrav,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Browne,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Richier,	York,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanian,	

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the joint assembly, announced that the roll call showed a quorum of each House to be present.

The President of the Senate then directed the Secretary thereof to read that portion of yesterday's Journal relating to the vote of the Senate for Senator to represent the State of Illinois in the Congress of the United States, for the term of six years, beginning on March 4, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives then directed the Clerk thereof to read that portion of the Journal of the House relating to the corresponding vote in the House.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon made the following announcement:

It appearing from the reading of the Journal of the Senate and from the reading of the Journal of the House, of yesterday, that the same person has not received a majority of the votes in each House,

It is in order for this Joint Assembly to now proceed to choose, by a *viva voce* vote of each member present, a person for Senator to represent the State of Illinois in the Congress of the United States, for the term of six years, beginning March fourth (4), A. D., 1909.

And thereupon, the Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of members of the Senate for the election of a United States Senator.

The roll of the Senate was then called for the aforesaid purpose resulting as follows:

Albert J. Hopkins received	31 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
William E. Mason received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Jones,	McElvain.
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie.
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton.
Barr,	Downing,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,	
Cruikshank,	Funk.			

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	Schmitt,	
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Mr. Clark.

Those voting for Mr. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball.

Those voting for Mr. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	58 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	63 votes

Those voting Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hull,	Logan,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beck,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Black,	Gillespie,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. W.
Brownback,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierston,	Wright,
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Lane,	Pichter,	York,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Reynolds,	Zipf,
Butts,	Hagan,	Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker
Church,	Kowalski,			

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleman,	Ledever,	Sollitt,	Ton,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Crawford,				

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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Hrubv.	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Navlor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer announced the result of the joint ballot as follows:

Total vote cast 199, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of.....	89 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of.....	16 votes
William E. Mason received a total of.....	6 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of.....	12 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of.....	76 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the fourth day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly would again be called, for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909 and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	31 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
William E. Mason received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Funk,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailev.	Dailey,	Gardner,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dellenback.	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Downing.	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap.	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Cruikshank,				—31

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Mr. Clark—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick.	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey.
Burton.	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson.	Hearn.	Jandus,		—13

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	56 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
W. B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	63 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Beck,	Gillespie,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wright,
Brady,	Hamilton,	Kowalski,	Richter,	York,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	
Durfee,	Hull,	Logan,	Shepherd, F.W.	—56
Erby,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Stevenson,	

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Reynolds,	Zipf,
Butts,	Hagan,	Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Kowalski,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	Ton,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Crawford,				—11

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,		—63

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the second joint ballot as follows:

Total vote cast 199, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of.....	87 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of.....	16 votes
William E. Mason received a total of.....	6 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of.....	12 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of.....	76 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a Representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each

member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	31 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
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Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Funk,	Hurburgh,	McCormick.
Bailey,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee.	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Cruikshank,				—31

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt.	Hay,	Olson,	Schmitt.	—4
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Mr. Clark—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson.	Hearn,	Jandus,		—13

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	54 votes
George Edmund Foss received	9 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	5 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	63 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hull,	Logan,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill.	Flagg,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beck,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Montelius.	Troyer,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Black,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Gray,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hamilton.	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Kowalski,	Richter,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	—54

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Church,	Maclean,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Butts,	Hagan,	Price,	Zipf,	—9

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson.	Kittleman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols.	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Crawford,				—11

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Messrs.

Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Rigney,	Ton,
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,		

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the third joint ballot as follows:

Total vote cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of.....	85 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	13 votes
William E. Mason received a total of.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of.....	12 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of.....	5 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of.....	76 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate having received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from March 4, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives, composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	31 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
William E. Mason received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Funk,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Cruikshank,				

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Mr. Clark.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	8 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	11 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	5 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	61 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Beck,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Gillespie,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Black,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hamilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Holadav,	Lane,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hull,	Logan,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Butts,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Price,	Zipf,
Church,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker,

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Crawford,				

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Rigney,	Ton,
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Richardson,
Allison,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murray,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,				

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Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Mr. Hilton.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fourth joint ballot as follows:

Total vote cast 195 of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of.....	84 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of.....	14 votes
William E. Mason received a total of.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of.....	12 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of.....	5 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of.....	74 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received a total of.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from March 4, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives, composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert H. Hopkins received	31 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
William E. Mason received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Funk,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Cruikshank,				

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	Schmitt.
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Mr. Clark—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	61 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hutzler.	McMackin,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Montelius.	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Nelson.	Terrill,
Beck,	Fulton,	Keck,	Perkins,	Trover,
Behrens,	Grace.	Kerrick.	Pervier,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	King,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hamilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Holiday,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hull,	Lyon,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Lawrence,	Price,	Zipf.
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Stearns	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Kowalski,			

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Chiperfield,	Glade.	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Crawford,				

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Messrs.

Gillespie,	Reynolds,	Ton,		
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckmeyer,	Fspy,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Forst,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Foster,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wardell,
Cernak,	Galligan.	Luke,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	White,
Daley,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
DeWolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,				

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifth joint ballot as follows:

Total vote cast 195, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of.....	84 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of.....	16 votes
William E. Mason received a total of.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of.....	12 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of.....	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of.....	74 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a Representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from March 4, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 1:45 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until Thursday, January 21, at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable the Senate, withdrew.

The House of Representatives resuming its session.

Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And at the hour of 1:50 o'clock p. m., the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was being read when on motion of Mr. Zinger the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 12 in the order of second reading.

Whereupon Senate Bill No. 12, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of 'An Act to provide for and fix the compensation of the members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois,' approved December 6, 1907 and in force July 1, 1908."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon Mr. Donahue offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate Bill No. 12 in House by striking out all of section 1 in said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois represented in the General Assembly:* That section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for and fix the compensation of the members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois," approved December 6, 1907, in force July 1, 1908, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That the members of the General Assembly elected in the year of 1908 and hereafter elected shall receive for the period for which members of the House of Representatives of the General Assembly are elected, the sum of two thousand dollars payable during the first regular session of the General Assembly held after the general election for members of the House of Representatives and ten cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in going to and returning from the seat of government at each session, to be computed by the Auditor of Public Accounts, and also fifty dollars per session for each member, which shall be in full for stationery, newspapers, postage and all other incidental expenses.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments the foregoing amendment was ordered printed and engrossed and the question being "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Chipperfield offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That as a mark of respect of recognition of the long and distinguished services as members of the General Assembly, Honorables David E. Shanahan, Albert Glade, Lee O'Neil Browne, Democratic leader, Thomas Tippet, Guy L. Bush, Chester W. Church, Carl S. Burgett and Josiah Kerrick be permitted to select their seats in the order named before the general drawing.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

At 12:00 o'clock Meridian the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly announced that a quorum of the Senate and House were present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly would now be called for the purpose of receiving the votes of each member present, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McKenzie,
Bailev,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,	
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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		
				—13

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	54 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	63 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hull,	Logan,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beck,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hagan,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	
				—54

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Pierson,	Stearns,	Zipf,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Price,	Ton,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Maclean,	Reynolds,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols.	Schumacher.	Smejkal,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—12

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue.	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien.	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	—63

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 198, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the

Forty-sixth General Assembly of	87 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	16 votes
William E. Mason received a total of	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of	13 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of	76 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate received the majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburn,	McElvain,	—33

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Wenack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		—13

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F.W.
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Terril,
Beck,	Fulton,	Keck,	Myers,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hagan,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hull,	Logan,	Scanlan,	—54

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Pierson,	Reynolds,	Ton,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Maclean,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,		—13

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Wardell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Cernak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulter,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	
DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	—62

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventh joint ballot as follows:

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the

Forty-sixth General Assembly of	86 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	15 votes
William E. Mason received a total of	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of	14 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of	75 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States for six years from March 4, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of the Senate and the House of Representatives, composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Arbus,	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McKenzie,
Bailev,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton.
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Schmitt.
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,	—33

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		—13

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	54 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	63 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hull,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Hutzler.	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beck,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Montelius.	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kerrick,	Perkins.	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hagan,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter.	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	—54

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Pierson,	Reynolds,	Ton,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Price,	Stearns.	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Maclean,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson.	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher.	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker.		—13

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin.	Scott,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw.
Alschuler,	Donahue.	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan.
Blair,	Espy,	Hrubby,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton.	Huston.	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoc.	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor.	Wardell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	—63

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 198, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	87 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	15 votes
William E. Mason received a total of	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of	14 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of	76 votes

And it appearing from the votes aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the vote of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States for six years, from March 4, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the

Senate and House of Representatives, composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,	—33

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		—13

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	54 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	61 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hull,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beck,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hagan,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	—54

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Pierson,	Reynolds,	Ton,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Maclean,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chipperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,		—13

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Shaw.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan.
Beck,	Dopahue.	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit.
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murray,	Walsh.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Myers,	Werdeil,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	White,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	Richardson,	
Clark,	Galligan,	McConnell.	Riley,	
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Scott,	

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the ninth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 196, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	87 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	15 votes
William E. Mason received a total of	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of	14 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of	74 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from March 4, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives, composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McKenzie.
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gardner.	Juul.	Pemberton.
Baker,	Dalley,	Hall.	Landee,	Potter.
Barr,	Dellenback.	Hamilton,	Lish,	Schmitt.
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick.	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman.	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	54 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	46 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	14 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hull,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beck,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kerrick,	Perkins.	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hagan,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hamilton.	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Pierson,	Reynolds,	Ton,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Price,	Stearns.	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Maclean,			

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson.	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols.	Shanahan,	
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal.	

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Beckemeyer,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Blair,	Donahue,	Hruby.	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Bolin,	English,	Huston,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Etherton,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	White,
Burns,	Fahy,	Link,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Finley,	Luke,	O'Toole,	
Clark,	Foster,	McConnell,	Poulton,	
Corcoran,	Galligan,	McGuire,	Richardson,	

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Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Forst,	Griffin,	Murray,	Werdell,
DeWolf,	Geshkewich,	Hilton,	Sullivan.	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Gorman,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,	

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the tenth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 195, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	87 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	15 votes
William E. Mason received a total of	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of	14 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of	59 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received a total of	14 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years from March 4, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Landee.	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Schmitt.
Brown,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	Stewart.
Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Hay,	Olson,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	43 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	13 votes
Samuel Alschuler received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Beck,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hagan,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hull,	Logan,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Pierson,	Reynolds,	Ton,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Maclean,			

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Daley,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Kannally,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Blair,	Etherton,	Lantz,	Murphy, Wm.	Tipplit,
Bolin,	Finley,	Link,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Luke,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Galligan,	Lyon,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	O'Toole,	White,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Dillon,	Hruby,	McGuire,	Riley,	

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Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Cermak,	Fahy,	Gorman,	Murray,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Forst,	Hilton,		

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Those voting for Samuel Alschuler are: Mr. Donahue—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eleventh joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 192, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	86 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	15 votes
William E. Mason received a total of	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of	14 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received a total of	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of	56 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received a total of	13 votes
Samuel Alschuler received a total of	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in joint session, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, announced that there

was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from March 4, A. D., 1909.

At the hour of 1:35 o'clock, p. m., Senator Gardner moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day.

The motion was lost,

And the Joint Assembly refused to rise.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives, composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dalley,	Hall,	Landee,	Pemberton.
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Schmitt,
Brown,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick.	Stewart,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt.	Hay,	Olson,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Ball—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick.	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack.
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	50 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	43 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	16 votes
Frank J. Quinn received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Parker,	Welborn,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Perkins.	Wilson, G. H.
Beck,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Richter,	Wright,
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Rigney,	York,
Brady,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Robinson.	Zinger,
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Scanlan,	
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Dudgeon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Stevenson,	
Durfee,	Hutzelr.	Montellus.	Terrill,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack.	Maclean,	Reynolds,	Ton,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns.	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Lawrence,	Price,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Chipherfield,	Daley,	Lane,	Schumacher.	Zipf,
Crawford,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan.	—14

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Messrs.

Hamilton,	Holaday,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Allison.	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	McConnell,	Richardson,
Blair,	English,	Hruby.	McGuire,	Riley,
Bein,	Espy,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Browne,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Myers,	Tippit,
Burns,	Finley,	Lewis,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Daley,	Foster,	Link,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
DeWolf,	Galligan,	Luke,	O'Toole,	White,
Dillon,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
				—45

Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan.
Beckemeyer,	Forst,	Hilton,	Murray,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Morris,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,				—16

Those voting for Frank J. Quinn are: Mr. Gorman.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twelfth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 195, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	83 votes
George Edmund Foss received a total of	16 votes
William E. Mason received a total of	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received a total of	15 votes
William B. McKinley received a total of	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received a total of	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received a total of	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received a total of	56 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received a total of	16 votes
Frank J. Quinn received a total of	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from March 4, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 1:55 o'clock, p. m., Senator Gardner moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day, at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 7.

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, January 21, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, January 26, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, A. M.

Adopted January 21, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Kleeman moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Wilson, of Sangamon, offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 26.

WHEREAS, Judge William L. Gross, a former member of this House departed this life at his home in Springfield, Illinois, on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1909, and

WHEREAS, Judge Gross in time of war rendered his country invaluable service as superintendent of United States Telegraph Corps, and

WHEREAS, For more than forty years he was an honored citizen of Illinois, distinguished as a lawyer, jurist, legislator and citizen; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this House express its sympathy and condolence to the family of Judge Gross in their great bereavement; and, be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and that the Clerk forward a copy, suitably engrossed, to the family of the deceased and that as a further mark of respect to his memory this House do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock, A. M., Tuesday, January 26, A. D. 1909.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote,

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 2:00 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of Thursday, January 21 was being read, when on motion of Mr. Hruby, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent Mr. McNichols called up Senate Bill No. 12 in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 12, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of 'An Act to provide for and fix the compensation of the members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois,' approved December 6, 1907, in force July 1, 1908."

Was taken up and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed and engrossed was read at large a third time,

And the question being "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 128; nays, 5.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scott,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	English,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Huston,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Black,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Finley,	King,	Murray,	Ton,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Burns,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Crawford,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Curran,	Griffin,	Logan,	Riley,	Zinger,
Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Scanlan,	Zipf.
DeWolf,	Hagan,	Lyon,		

Yeas—128.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bolin,	Cermak,	Groves, J.	Jewell,	Robinson,
				Nays—5.

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it should go into effect immediately and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the adoption of the amendment thereto.

At the hour of 10:35 a. m., Mr. Erickson moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,

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And there were 50 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Black,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Ton,
Blair,	Feldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brady,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	White,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perrier,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Richardson,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Robinson,	
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	
Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scott,	

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And there were 146 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 196 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker laid before the House the following telegram from the Honorable Thomas Campbell; and asked that it be incorporated in the Journal of the House, to-wit:

ROCK ISLAND, ILL., Jan. 25, 1909.

Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff,
Springfield, Ill.:

It will be impossible for me to attend any meeting of the House this week, on account of sickness.

(Signed)

THOS. CAMPBELL.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	56 votes
George Edmund Foss received	11 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Beck,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Black,	Hagan,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Holaday,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hull,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf,
Erby,				—56.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Kowalski,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,				—11.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Schumacher.	Smejkal,
Crawford,				—11.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Dorahue.	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murray,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Poulton.	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman.			—62.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	34 votes
George Edmund Foss received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McElvain.
Bailey,	Daley,	Hall,	Jones,	McKenzie.
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee.	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish.	Schmitt,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Henson.	Lundberg.	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	—34.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Olson.	—2.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2.
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny.	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn.			—12.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirteenth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	90 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	74 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the

United States from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	60 votes
F. P. Morris received	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius.	Terrill,
Bardili,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn.
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Holaday,	Lane,	Richter.	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Rigney.	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson.	York,
Dudgeon,	Hull,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler.	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf
Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,		—53.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack.	Maclean,	Price,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Kowalski,	Pierson,		—13.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chipherfield,	Glade,			—12.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue.	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hilton.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Blair,	Etherton,	Hruby.	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murray,	Tippit,
Browne,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Lantz,	Navlor.	Verdell,
Cernak,	Foster,	Link,	O'Brien.	Wheelan,
Corcoran,	Galligan,	Luke,	O'Neil.	White,
Daley,	Geshkewich,	McCollum.	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
DeWolf,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton.	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,	—59.

Those voting for F. P. Morris are: Messrs.

Allison.	Bolin,	Clark,	—3.
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The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	32 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Curtis,	Gardner,			—32.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—4.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2.
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fourteenth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 198, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	85 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	72 votes
F. P. Morris received	3 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Charles S. Wharton received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius.	Terril,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Holaday,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hull,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf
Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,		

—53.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Mills,	Price,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Pierson,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Maclean,			

—12.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chipherfield,	Glade,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Charles S. Wharton are: Mr. Kowalski—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murray,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Wardell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,			

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The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	31 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Robert T. Lincoln received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juil,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Curtis,				

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Olson,	Schmitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	— 2
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Those voting for Robert T. Lincoln are: Mr. Henson—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus.	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifteenth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	84 votes
George Edmund Foss received	16 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Charles F. Wharton received	1 vote
Robert T. Lincoln received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	74 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Charles S. Wharton received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius.	Terrill,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Holaday,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hull,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf
Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,		

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoe,	Fieldstack,	Mills,	Price,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Pierson,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Maclean,			—12.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson.	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,			—12.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Charles S. Wharton are: Mr. Kowalski—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams.	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Donahue.	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murray,	Tipplit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley.	Lantz,	Navlor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	White,
Clark,	Galligan.	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,			—62.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	32 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus.	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Curtis,	Gardner,			—32.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2.
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixteenth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	85 votes
George Edmund Foss received	16 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes

William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Charles S. Wharton received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	74 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius.	Terrill,
Bardil,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Holaday,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hull,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf
Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoe,	Fieldstack.	Maclean,	Price,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Stearns.	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Kowalski,	Pierson,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson.	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chipperfield,	Glade,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hrubby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan.
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murray,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	Navlor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Poulton.	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,			—62

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

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George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
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Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Curtis,	Gardner,			—32

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventeenth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	85 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	74 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 1:35 o'clock, p. m., Senator Gardner moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session,

And at the hour of 1:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed and the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was being read when on motion of Mr. Lantz the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon

Mr. ApMadoe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 1, a bill for "An Act in relation to courts."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. ApMadoe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 2, a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation and for compensation of probation officers, and authorizing courts of record to suspend the imposition of sentence on persons found guilty of certain crimes and offenses, and to discharge without arraignment persons found guilty of drunkenness."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Behrens, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 3, a bill for "An Act entitled 'An Act to provide for a State wide system of roads and bridges and to send convicts and convicted persons on the public road, to provide for the appointment or election of road officers, to levy and collect taxes, to pay salaries of road officers, to tax vehicles, to define and punish offenses against the public highways, to repeal existing laws relating to roads and bridges and for other purposes.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Black introduced a bill, House Bill No. 4, a bill for "An Act to amend section fourteen (14) of 'An Act to provide for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, and for the nomination of candidates for public offices, to regulate the manner of holding elections and to enforce the secrecy of the ballot,' approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections, when appointed.

Mr. Cliffe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 5, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Dillon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 6, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the preservation of fish liable to perish from drouth and frost."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 7, a bill for "An Act to provide for compensation for the use of streets, alleys, public places and other public grounds."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Durfee introduced a bill, House Bill No. 8, a bill for "An Act to define and limit the doctrine of fellow servants in actions for personal injuries or death by wrongful act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 9, a bill for "An Act to amend section 519 of 'An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties,' approved February 21, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Primary Elections, when appointed.

Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 10, a bill for "An Act to amend section eighty-three (83) of 'An Act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1873, as amended June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections, when appointed.

Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 11, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl, and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game, when appointed.

Mr. Fulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 12, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families,' in force May 25, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers and Sailors Home, when appointed.

Mr. Gillespie introduced a bill, House Bill No. 13, a bill for "An Act concerning the jurisdiction of circuit courts in cases instituted for the publication of any libel in any newspaper or magazine."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Gray introduced a bill, House Bill No. 14, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization, when appointed.

Mr. O'Toole introduced a bill, House Bill No. 15, a bill for "An Act to regulate and define the liability of any corporation, corporations, firm, firms, company, companies, for pecuniary damages to their employes and to person, or persons and to their personal representatives in case of personal injury or death sustained while in their employ."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. O'Toole introduced a bill, House Bill No. 16, a bill for "An Act to prevent frauds between attorneys, clients and defendants, making agreements between clients and attorneys a lien upon the cause of action."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Price introduced a bill, House Bill No. 17, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges, when appointed.

Mr. G. H. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 18, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of the several military and naval organizations of the Illinois National Guard and the Illinois Naval Reserve located in the city of Quincy, Adams county, Illinois; provided that there shall be deeded to the State suitable ground upon which to erect said armory, the site to be approved by the Governor and Adjutant General."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Wright introduced a bill, House Bill No. 19, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased, indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late Civil War, the Spanish-American War, the Phillipine Insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives, or widows,' so as to increase the sum that may be expended in any one case to \$50.00."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, when appointed.

Mr. Wright introduced a bill, House Bill No. 20, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874 so as to allow an amount not to exceed six thousand dollars to be taken on any one risk."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

At the hour of 10:45 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Smejkal moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Mannv.
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dalley,	Hall,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback.	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack.

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And there were fifty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shaw.
Alschuler,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Espy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terril,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick.	Nelson,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kittleman.	O'Brien,	Trover,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Werdel,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Rigney,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf
Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Hilton,			

And there were 147 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 197 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the House for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	53 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	61 votes
Henry T. Rainey received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Holaday,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hull,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf
Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Price,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Kowalski,	Pierson,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,
Allison,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murray,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Forst,	Lantz,	Naylor,	WerdeU,
Burns,	Foster,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Luke,	O'Neill,	White,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,				

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Those voting for Henry T. Rainey are: Mr. H. A. Shephard—1.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	31 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes
Henry T. Rainey received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Jones,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Curtis,				—31

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12

Those voting for Henry T. Rainey are: Mr. Manny—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighteenth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	84 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	73 votes
Henry T. Rainey received	2 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had receive a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the House for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	50 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	61 votes
F. P. Morris received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick.	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,	

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	McNichols.	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Bolin,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Forst,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Foster,	Link,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	White,
Daley,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
DeWolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,				—61

Those voting for Free P. Morris are: Mr. Allison—1.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	3 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	9 votes
John C. Eastman received	4 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Funk,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	Henson,		—3
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Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Isley,	Tossey,	—9

Those voting for John C. Eastman are: Messrs.

Bröderick,	Glackin,	Jandus,	Manny,	—4
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the nineteenth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	78 votes
George Edmund Foss received	19 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	70 votes
F. P. Morris received	1 vote
John C. Eastman received	4 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the House for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	50 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote

Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	50 votes
F. P. Morris received	3 votes
John C. Eastman received	6 votes
Francis E. Thoman received	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,	

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Richardson,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Groves, W. M.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Morris,	Scott,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	White,
Daley,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
DeWolf,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.

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Those voting for F. P. Morris are: Messrs.

Allison,	Clark,	Shaw,	—3
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Those voting for John C. Eastman are: Messrs.

Cermak,	Griffin,	Hilton,	Murray,	Werdell,	—6
Geshkewich,					

Those voting for Francis E. Thoman are: Messrs.

Murphy, E. J. Sullivan,	Walsh,	—3
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The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	26 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Richard Yates received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	10 votes
John C. Eastman received	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,				—26

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Richard Yates are: Messrs.

Downing,	Potter,	—2
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Those votin for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Funk—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
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Those voting for John C. Eastman are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Jandus,	—3
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twentieth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	76 votes
George Edmund Foss received	19 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	50 votes
Free P. Morris received	3 votes
John C. Eastman received	9 votes
Francis E. Thoman received	3 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the House for the aforesaid purpose.

The Roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	48 votes
George Edmund Foss received	15 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	63 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson.
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer.
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick.	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf
Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,		—48

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,	—14

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,		—13

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Messrs.

Hamilton,	Wright,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Link,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	Luke,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geskewich.	McCollum,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,	McConnell,		—63
		McGuire,		

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	25 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Richard Yates received	2 votes
John G. Oglesby received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	13 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Clark,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Richard Yates are: Messrs.

Downing,	Potter,
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twenty-first joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 198, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	73 votes
George Edmund Foss received	19 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	3 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	2 votes
John G. Oglesby received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	76 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 1:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

Mr. Bush offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 27.

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House, be and he is hereby authorized to appoint the customary number of policemen, pages, janitors, stenographers, clerks, and such other help and employes, as may be reasonably necessary to carry on the work of the House of Representatives. Said employes to be placed on the roll of the House from the first day of the session, and to

continue to the end of the present session, unless removed from said positions before that time; said employés to be paid the usual and customary salaries or wages heretofore paid to employés holding like positions in the House of Representatives.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Curran offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 28.

WHEREAS, Thomas J. McNichols of Chicago, father of Frank J. McNichols a member of this House, by the decree of an all-wise Providence was called from his labors and departed this life on the twenty-sixth day of January, nineteen hundred and nine, and

WHEREAS, The said Thomas J. McNichols was a man of sterling worth and of marked ability along the lines of his business, a useful citizen, a kind husband, a loving father and a man universally liked and esteemed by his business associates, his friends and his acquaintances, and

WHEREAS, The said Thomas J. McNichols had in his life-time contributed materially to the up-building of the city of Chicago, and in recognition of his sterling worth, his ability, his standing as a citizen and as a mark of respect to his memory, be it

Resolved, That this House do tender its heartfelt sympathy to our esteemed fellow member, to the wife and companion of the said Thomas J. McNichols and to the sons of the said deceased in their hour of bereavement, and, be it further

Resolved, That this House stand adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of the said Thomas J. McNichols and that the Clerk of the House be directed to send a suitably engrossed copy of these resolutions to the family of the deceased.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and in accordance therewith.

At the hour of 1:35 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1909—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when on motion of Mr. Cermack, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8.

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, January 28, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, February 2, 1909.

Adopted January 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Kleeman moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 8,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon

Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 21, a bill for "An Act to provide for moral and humane education in the public schools and to prohibit certain practices inimical thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. Gorman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 22, a bill for "An Act to provide for the vaccination of school children and for excluding unvaccinated children from admittance to the public schools."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. Gorman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 23, a bill for "An Act to provide for the vaccination of children, the vaccination and revaccination of all inhabitants of towns or cities, the vaccination of the inmates of almshouses, reform or industrial schools, hospitals, prisons,

jails or houses of correction or any institution which is supported or aided by the State, and for the exclusion of unvaccinated children from the public schools."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. Gorman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 24, a bill for "An Act to compel the publication by common carriers of passengers of the time of the arrival and departure of their trains and other conveyances in the various cities, and villages of this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads, when appointed.

Mr. Gorman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 25, a bill for "An Act to regulate the number of men to be employed and the business of operating engines engaged in switching cars, and to prescribe the qualifications of such men."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads, when appointed.

Mr. King introduced a bill, House Bill No. 26, a bill for "An Act relating to the liability of employers to their employes for personal injuries and providing that in all actions hereafter brought against any employer to recover damages for personal injuries to an employe or where such injuries have resulted in his death, no contract of employment, insurance, relief benefit, pension, or indemnity for injury or death entered into by or on behalf of any employe, after this Act shall become in force nor the acceptance of any such insurance, relief benefit, pension, or indemnity by the person entitled thereto, under any such contract shall constitute any bar or defense to any action brought to recover damages for personal injuries to or death of such employe, and providing that upon the trial of such action against such employer, the defendant may set off therein, any sum such employer has contributed toward any such insurance, relief benefit, pension or indemnity that may have been paid to the injured employe or in case of his death, to his personal representatives."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Scott introduced a bill, House Bill No. 27, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial districts,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment, when appointed.

Mr. H. A. Shephard introduced a bill, House Bill No. 28, a bill for "An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the County of Cook, into judicial circuits."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment, when appointed.

At the hour of 10:45 o'clock a. m., Mr. Curran moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock a. m., having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the chair.

At 12:00 meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate,

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Isley,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Jandus,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jones,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Henson,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McElvain,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,		

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And there were 48 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Lyons,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Bardill,	English,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Beck,	Erby,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Black,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	King,	Nelson,	Ton,
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richardson,	York,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Rigney,	Zipf
Curran,	Groves, Wm.	Luke,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Daley,	Hagan,			—142

And there were 142 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 190 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United

States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Mr. Dudgeon arose and stated that owing to the absence of Mr. McNichols who was called home by the death of his father, he wished to pair his vote with him and by unanimous consent was recorded present but not voting.

The same request was granted Senator Humphrey who wished to pair his vote with Representative Allison who was at home on account of sickness.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	25 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	3 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,	McCormick.
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Juul,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Landee,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Messrs.

Downing,	Henson,	Potter,	—3
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Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Funk—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flannigen,	Keck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Brady,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Erby,	Ireland,	Lyons,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Flagg,	Jewell,			

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoe,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,	

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Curran,	Parker,	Shanahan,	Zipf
Chiperfield,	Glade,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Lane—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	Werdel,
Cernak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	White,
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Griffin,			

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twenty-second joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 193, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	72 votes
George Edmund Foss received	19 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	4 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	74 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, an-

nounced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now arise and adjourn until the next legislative day, at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Fieldstack offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the following named persons be, and the same hereby are, chosen and elected by the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, to fill the following named positions, in said House, with salaries as now provided by statute:

First Assistant Clerk of the House, John Hogan.

Second Assistant Clerk of the House, Charles McBride.

Third Assistant Clerk of the House, Thomas J. Hickey.

First Assistant Door-keeper, Edwin Gantz.

Second Assistant Door-keeper, Frank Landmasser.

Third Assistant Door-keeper, John J. Gilligan.

Assistant Postmistress, Miss Mollie McCabe.

Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, Chas. Baldwin.

First Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, C. P. Sullivan.

Second Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, George Thorpe.

Pending consideration Mr. King offered the following resolution as a substitute and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the following named persons be elected as permanent officers of the House of Representatives:

First Assistant Clerk, J. H. Hogan.

Second Assistant Clerk, W. W. Fuller.

Third Assistant Clerk, John Gardner.

Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, Chas. W. Baldwin.

First Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, James Kinney.

Second Assistant Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, C. P. Emerick.

Assistant Postmaster, Mrs. Henrietta Vest.

First Assistant Door-keeper, John Butrick.

Second Assistant Door-keeper, David Lewis.

Third Assistant Door-keeper, Geo. A. Kretzinger.

Mr. Browne moved to lay the foregoing substitute resolution offered by Mr. King upon the table.

And on this question on demand of five members present a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Griffin,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Walsh
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	White,
Bush,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Foster,	Lane,	Scanlon,	Zinger,
Chipfield,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zipf
Clark,	Gillespie,	Link,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Glade,	Luke,		Yeas—68

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	McMackin.	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Grace,	King,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Ton,
Brownback,	Hagan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Holaday,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Durfee,	Hull,	Lyon,	Robinson,	York.

Nays—50

The motion prevailed and the substitute resolution offered by Mr. King was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the resolution offered by Mr. Fieldstack a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Glade,	Luke,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Beck,	Curran,	Griffin,	Morris,	Shepard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Black,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	White,
Cermak,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Foster,	Lane,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Scanlon,	Zipf
Cliffe,	Gillespie,	Link,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—70

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Espy,	Hull,	McCollum,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Etherton,	Huston,	McConnell,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Finley,	Jewell,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Galligan,	King,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Grace,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Ton,
Burns,	Gray,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Butts,	Groves, W. M.	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Church,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Donahue,	Holaday,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wright,
English,	Hubry,	Maclean,	Riley,	York.

Nays—75

And the motion to adopt the resolution was lost.

At the hour of 1:00 o'clock, p. m.

Mr. Smejkal moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, February 2, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of Thursday, January 28, 1909, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Kleeman, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Abbey, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 29, a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation for adults, and authorizing courts to suspend the execution of sentence in certain cases, and for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and the establishment of a State Probation Commission."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Butts introduced a bill, House Bill No. 30, a bill for "An Act to amend section five of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Libraries, when appointed.

Mr. Butts introduced a bill, House Bill No. 31, a bill for "An Act to provide for fees of clerks of probate courts in counties of the second class."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries, when appointed.

Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 32, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 33, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats,' approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Cliffe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 34, a bill for "An Act making appropriations to the Northern Illinois State Normal School, DeKalb."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 35, a bill for "An Act relating to the manner of placing names of candidates for judicial offices on ballots provided for the use of electors at elections held at which any such officers are elected."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections, when appointed.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 36, a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877, so as to allow persons other than members to be appointed treasurer."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Hilton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 38, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) for the construction and erection of a monument in Sherman Park in the city of Chicago, in honor of the memory of the late John P. Altgeld."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Ireland introduced a bill, House Bill No. 39, a bill for "An Act to amend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so as to include the complete administration of testate estates."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. King introduced a bill, House Bill No. 40, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article five of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section one of article five of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved March 30, 1887, by adding thereto a new paragraph to be known as paragraph number 97.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 41, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a State education building, and to make an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Lewis introduced a bill, House Bill No. 42, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Primary Elections, when appointed.

At the hour of 10:30 o'clock, a. m., Mr. McNichols moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Browne moved that a committee of three members be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Chief Justice and request him to administer the oath of office to Honorable B. F. Staymates, a member elect of this House,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Speaker appointed as such committee Messrs. Browne, Robinson, Perkins.

Mr. Browne from the committee heretofore appointed to wait upon the Chief Justice and request him to administer the oath of the office to Honorable B. F. Staymates announced that Justice J. P. Hand, one of the justices of the Supreme Court, was present and ready to perform that duty.

Whereupon the oath was administered by Justice Hand to the Honorable B. F. Staymates, a member elect of this House.

The Speaker directed the Clerk of the House to place the name of Honorable B. F. Staymates on the roll of the House.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,

And there were 50 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beck,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Black,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Blair,	Flags,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neill,	Walsh,
Brady,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Burgitt,	Geshkwick,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipertfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hagan,	Macleam,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	
Daley,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scott,	
DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	

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And there were 145 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 195 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Mr. Behrens arose and stated that owing to the absence of Mr. Lederer who was unavoidably detained from being present at the session, he wished to pair his vote with him and by unanimous consent was recorded present but not voting.

The same request was granted Representative Brady who wished to pair his vote with Representative Kowalski who was at home on account of sickness.

The same request was granted Representative Nelson who wished to pair his vote with Representative Bush, Mr. Nelson having been detained at home on account of sickness.

The same request was granted Representative Flannigen who wished to pair his vote with Representative Ton who was at home on account of sickness.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Fellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Funk—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	64 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Trover,
Adkins,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Bardill,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Hope,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Flags,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.	—43
Grace,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Stevenson,	

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Sollitt,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,		—13

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Staymates.
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	WerdeU,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	—64

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twenty-third joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 191, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	74 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	76 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Tellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olsen,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball, Cruikshank, —2

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Funk—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick, Glackin, Holstlaw, Jandus, Tossey,
Burton, Gorman, Isley, Manny, Womack,
Gibson, Hearn, —12

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes
Henry S. Dixon received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyons,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.	—44

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoe,	Fieldstack,	Macleam,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson, Kleeman, Sollitt, —3

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chilverfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,		—13

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black, Terrill, —2

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Murray,	Staymates.
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hruby,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Huston,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Link,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wheeler,
Burns,	Forst,	McCollum,	Poulton,	White,
Cermak,	Foster,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	
Daley,	Gorman,	Morris,		—62

Those voting for Henry Dixon are: Mr. Kannally—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this the twenty-fourth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 190, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	74 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	62 votes
Henry Dixon received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon, directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
William E. Mason received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Mr. Henson—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Funk—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	57 votes
Francis E. Thoman received	6 votes
John W. Eckhart received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montellus,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.	—44

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Price,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Reynolds,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Pierson,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Sollitt,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are : Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,		—13

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Geshkewich.	McCollum,	Richardson,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Blair,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bolin,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Staymates.
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Huston,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Wardell,
Burns,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Forst,	Link,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Foster,	Luke,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Galligan,			—57

Those voting for Francis E. Thoman are: Messrs.

Hilton,	Naylor,	Sullivan,	Walsh,	Wilson, R. E.
Murphy, E. J.				—6

Those voting for John W. Eckhart are: Mr. Murray—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this the twenty-fifth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 192, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of	73 votes
George Edmund Foss received	18 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
W. B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	69 votes
Francis E. Thoman received	6 votes
John W. Eckhart received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 1:00 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

Mr. McCollum offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, It has pleased divine Providence to remove from our midst on January 27th, H. H. Chesley, a former member of this body from Clay county; and

WHEREAS, By his death our country has lost one of her battle scarred heroes, the State one of her ablest law makers, the legal profession one of her most esteemed advocates and his family a loving and faithful member; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we extend to his bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy, that this resolution be entered upon the Journal of the House of Representatives; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed be forwarded to his family, and that as a further mark of esteem this House do now adjourn.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 1:05 o'clock p. m., the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1909—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when on motion of Mr. Hruby, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions Mr. Finley presented a petition relating to an appropriation for the cleaning and straightening of Bumpas creek, the boundary line between Wabash and Edwards county.

Which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon

Mr. Briscoe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 43, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to sell diseased horses and mules and to provide a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, when appointed.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 44, a bill for "An Act to amend section thirty-six entitled, 'An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties,' approved February 21, 1908, and in force July 1, 1908, so as to read as follows:"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Primary Elections, when appointed.

Mr. Grace introduced a bill, House Bill No. 45, a bill for "An Act to provide turn-pike, gravel on macadam roads, and to provide a penalty for its violation."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges, when appointed.

Mr. Hruby introduced a bill, House Bill No. 46, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to attorneys' fees and liens.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 47, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of an Act, entitled, 'An Act to revise the law

in relation to the election of county commissioners in Cook county and to fix their term of office,' approved June 15, 1893, in force July 1, 1893."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections, when appointed.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 48, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of article one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, an Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections, when appointed.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 49, a bill for "An Act to regulate the civil service of counties."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Civil Service, when appointed.

Mr. Pervier introduced a bill, House Bill No. 50, a bill for "An Act to amend section three (3) of an Act to revise the law in relation to fences, approved April 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and to lie on Speaker's table.

Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 51, a bill for "An Act to prevent the drinking of intoxicating liquor on passenger trains and coaches and interurban cars and coaches in this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads, when appointed.

Mr. Wright introduced a bill, House Bill No. 52, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Normal University."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Wright introduced a bill, House Bill No. 53, a bill for "An Act making a special appropriation for the Illinois State Normal University for the purposes herein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations, when appointed.

Mr. Durfee introduced a bill, House Bill No. 54, a bill for "An Act concerning the roads, highways and bridges and repealing other acts concerning the same subjects."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges, when appointed.

At the hour of 10:35 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Lewis moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the presiding officer of the joint session, announced that a quorum of the Senate and the House were present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Mr. Behrens arose and stated that as on yesterday he wished to again pair his vote with Representative Lederer, who was absent, and by unanimous consent was recorded as present but not voting.

The same request was granted Representative Flannigen who wished to pair his vote with Representative Ton, who was at home on account of sickness.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Funk—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	40 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote

Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	53 votes
Carter H. Harrison received	10 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montellus,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Brady,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.,
Burgett,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Durfee,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Erby,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Flagg,				

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,	Reynolds,	

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Kittleman,	Etherton,	Sollitt,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	

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Those voting for Mr. William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	English,	Groves, W.	M. Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Hruby,	Myers,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Toole,	White,
Cermak,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,	
Dillon,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	

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Those voting for Carter H. Harrison are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Forst,	Link,	Murray,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twenty-sixth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 194, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received	19 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	65 votes
Carter H. Harrison received	10 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:20 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now arise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Browne offered the following House Joint Resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That a joint committee consisting of nine members of the House of Representatives and nine members of the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, to inquire into, hear and report to the House of Representatives as provided by law, the contest of election now pending in this General Assembly of Adlai E. Stevenson against Charles S. Deneen for the office of Governor of the State of Illinois; and, be it further

Resolved, That such committee, when appointed, shall proceed at once to elect a chairman and to take testimony of any witness or witnesses on the part of the petitioner as well as on the part of the person whose place is contested and such committee so appointed shall have the power to send for and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers, documents, records, to issue commissions under the hand of its chairman to any officer authorized to take depositions, to take the depositions of witnesses upon the points set forth in the petition and at such times and places as the committee shall direct; and, be it further

Resolved, That said committee is hereby authorized to employ all necessary help to enable it to carry out the duties imposed upon it by this resolution, and all necessary expenses incurred thereby shall be paid by warrant drawn upon the Auditor of Public Accounts and signed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate; and, be it further

Resolved, That such committee report its findings and recommendations to the House of Representatives and that a joint meeting of the House of Representatives and Senate is hereby called to be held in the hall of the House of Representatives on the 29th day of April, 1909, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock, A. M., to decide such contest by an aye and nay vote.

Mr. Reynolds moved to lay the foregoing House Joint Resolution offered by Mr. Browne upon the table.

Pending discussion Mr. Shanahan moved that further consideration be postponed until Tuesday, February 9, 1909.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Hollenbeck moved that the foregoing resolution and also the petition heretofore filed in reference to said contest be printed for the use of the members.

The motion prevailed and the resolution and petition were ordered printed.

At the hour of 12:45 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1909—10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was being read when on motion of Mr. Hruby the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Tippit presented a petition relating to fraternal insurance which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The Speaker laid before the House the following communications, to-wit:

From the University of Illinois transmitting a joint resolution in reference to the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, which was ordered placed on file.

And also a communication from the Lincoln Centennial Memorial of Chicago, which was ordered placed on file.

Also a communication from the Illinois Association of Seattle, Washington relative to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon

Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 55, a bill for "An Act to provide for the publication of taxes levied on real property."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Cliffe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 56, a bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed money in the county treasury and for the appointment of administrators or executors in relation thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Murray (by request) introduced a bill, House Bill No. 57, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled 'An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 58, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled: 'An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved March 11, 1869, in force March 11, and July 1, 1869."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

The Speaker laid before the House the report of the following circuit judges, in pursuance to the provisions of section 31 of article 6 of the Constitution of the State, to-wit:

Dorrance Dibell, judge of the twelfth judicial circuit of Illinois.

Emery C. Graves, judge of the fourteenth judicial circuit of Illinois.

W. H. Gest, judge of the fourteenth judicial circuit of Illinois.

George W. Thompson, judge of the ninth judicial circuit of Illinois.

Mr. Riley presented a petition and resolution concerning deep water-way legislation which was read at large by the Clerk and ordered printed.

At the hour of 10:55 o'clock a. m. Mr. Dudgeon moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, F.W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fahey,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Welborn,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Werdeil,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipperfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Riley,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,		

And there were 143 members of the House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dailey,	Gorman,	Isley,	Pemberton,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Jandus,	Potter,
Barr,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Rainey,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Juul,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Hearn,	Landee,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Helm,	Lish,	Tossev,
Burton,	Gardner,	Henson,	Manny, . . .	Womack,

And there were 45 members of the Senate present.

And there were 185 members of the House of Representatives and the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

Mr. Abbey arose and stated that he wished to pair his vote with Representative Reynolds who was absent, and by unanimous consent was recorded as present but not voting.

The same request was granted Representative Behrens who wished to pair his vote with Representative Lederer who was absent.

The same request was granted Representative Troyer who wished to pair his vote with Representative Corcoran who was absent.

By unanimous consent the vote of Senator Humphrey was recorded as paired with that of Representative Allison.

That of Senator Lundberg with Senator Olson, and that of Senator McElvaine with Senator Broderick.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	61 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wright,
Durfee,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Erby,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Flagg,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,	

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,	—14

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Sollitt,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	—14

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Alschuler,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Forst,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Foster,	Link,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	White,
Daley,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
De Wolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,				—61

The roll of the Senate was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	27 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Henson,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,			—27

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Womack,
Glackin,	Holstlaw,			—12

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twenty-seventh joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 186, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received	18 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	73 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:25 o'clock p. m. Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise, and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

The Speaker laid before the House the appointment of the following standing committees, to-wit:

Committee on Appropriations—Messrs. Shanahan, Smejkal, Glade, Dudgeon, Kittleman, Keck, Zinzer, Kirkpatrick, McMackin, Behrens, Sollitt, Campbell, Adkins, Hamilton, Lawrence, Fulton, Pervier, Parker, Lewis, York, Ireland, Gillespie, Price, Zipf, Grace, Terrill, Burgett, Staymates, McLaughlin, Cermak, Murray, Allison, English, Wilson, R. E., Geshkewich, Clark, Corcoran, Gorman, Groves, J., Donahue, Kannally, DeWolf, Dillon, Naylor, Etherton, Wheelan.

Committee on Judicial Apportionment—Messrs. Crawford, Flannigen, Stearns, Durfee, Chipfield, Cliffe, Logan, Bush, Scanlan, McMackin, Behrens, Hollenbeck, Butts, Reynolds, Brownback, Holaday, Robinson, English, Shaw, Alschuler, Luke, Bolin, Werdell, Abrahams, Espy, Blair, Beckemeyer, Lantz, Browne, Shephard, H. A.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood Secretary.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 11.

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, February 4, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, February 9, 1909.

Adopted February 4, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved to amend the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, by striking out the words, and figures "Thursday, February 4, 1909," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Friday, February 5, 1909."

And the amendment was adopted.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the resolution as amended,

It was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the amendment thereto.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Paddock, Secretary.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of their amendment to the following joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 11.

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, February 4, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, February 9, 1909.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 by striking out the words and figures "Thursday, February 4, 1909," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Friday, February 5, 1909."

Concurred in by the Senate February 4, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Hruby offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from the ranks of the living the Honorable John Churan, a former member of the Illinois Legislature from the fifteenth district; and

WHEREAS, John Churan in his life-time was a good citizen, an honored, trustworthy and conscientious public officer, a kind and loving husband and father, and a man who held the esteem and respect of all who knew him; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in his death the State of Illinois has lost an honored citizen, his community a valuable member, and his family a loving husband and father; and, be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and that a copy suitably engrossed be forwarded by the Clerk to his family and that as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 12:50 o'clock p. m. the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of yesterday was being read when on motion of Mr. Jewell the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 10.

WHEREAS, The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, a corporation acting under a charter from the Federal government of the United States, has adopted a plan of granting retiring allowances for long and distinguished service to the professors in those colleges and universities of the United States whose standards of work correspond to the demands set by the trustees of said Foundation; and

WHEREAS, The trustees of said Foundation have provided that, in case state universities desire to secure the advantages of this system of retiring allowances for the members of their faculties, the request of the board of trustees of said universities asking for said privilege shall be approved by the legislature of the state supporting said university; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois has requested said Foundation to place the State University of Illinois on the list of institutions to the members of whose faculties retiring allowances are granted under the rules of said foundation; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, that the request of the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois addressed to the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching to place the State University of Illinois on the list of institutions to the members of whose faculties retiring allowances are granted under the rules of said Foundation be hereby approved.

Adopted February 4th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

At the hour of 10:30 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names: Mr. Logan Hay.

And there was one member of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Behrens,	Erby,	Gorman,	Shanahan,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Fieldstack,	Richardson,	Smejkal,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,				—11

And there were 11 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 12 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received3 votes

George Edmund Foss received2 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received2 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received4 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Behrens,	Erby,	Wilson, H. W.	—3
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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Fieldstack,	Mr. Speaker.	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Shanahan,	Smejkal,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Cermak,	Clark,	Gorman,	Richardson,	—4.
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twenty-eighth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 12, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-

Sixth General Assembly of4 votes

George Edmund Foss received2 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received2 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received4 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint As-

sembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Smejkal moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

Mr. Shanahan, at the hour of 12:15 o'clock, p. m., moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, February 9th, A. D., 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. P. Masden.

The Journal of Friday, February 5th, was being read, when on motion of Mr. Cermak, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Rev. John A. J. Whipple of Waukegan, as Chaplain of the House.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the National Association for the Study of Epilepsy and for the Care and Treatment of Epileptics which was ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 59, a bill for "An Act to provide for the election of town clerks in counties under township organization, except in the county of Cook, and to fix their term of office."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization, when appointed.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 60, a bill for "An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial districts."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 61, a bill for 'An Act to amend section twenty-one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved April 12, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges, when appointed.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 62, a bill for "An Act to amend section forty-nine of an Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 63, a bill for "An Act, to amend section five, as amended by Act approved June 30, in force July 1, 1885, of an Act approved and in force May 29, 1879 entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees, across the lands of others, for agricultural,

sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' also, to legalize and validate certain proceedings hereinafter mentioned.

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage, when appointed.

Mr. McConnell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 64, a bill for "An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 65, a bill for "An Act creating attorneys' lien and for enforcement of same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 66, a bill for "An Act to amend section eighteen of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 67, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety and health of employes and passengers upon street and interurban railroads, and specifying certain equipment for same, with penalty attached for violation of the provisions thereof.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Zipf introduced a bill, House Bill No. 68, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Speaker by unanimous consent, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 69, a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization, and to provide for the adoption of the same,' approved May 10, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and referred to the Committee on Revenues, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 70, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 13, 14, 19, 83 and 119 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and part of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883 and as amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 71, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 62 and 64 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the

organization of road districts, the election and duties of officers therein, and in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved May 4, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 72, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 73, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the rate of taxation in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved and in force May 30, 1881."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 74, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 75, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and as amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 76, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments,' approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, and as amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 77, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control,' approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, and as amended May 18, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

The Speaker called up House Joint Resolution No. 7 introduced on February 3rd, by Mr. Browne, the further consideration of which was postponed until today, and stated the question to be the adoption of the resolution pending a renewal of the motion to lay on the table made by

Mr. Reynolds on Wednesday but which was not stated from the Chair in order that the debate might be had upon the resolution. Pending discussion Mr. Reynolds moved that further consideration be postponed until tomorrow,

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Sollitt offered the following resolution and moved its adoption: *Resolved*, That a committee of three (3) be appointed by the Chair to procure and place a wreath around the portrait of Lincoln which is upon the wall of this House. The wreath to remain during the sessions of this week.

And the resolution prevailed.

The Speaker thereupon named as such committee the following named gentlemen, to-wit: Messrs. Sollitt, King, Browne.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Esby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Briscoc,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Burns,	Geskewich,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Luke,	Rigney,	Wright,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
De Wolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	—142

And there were 144 members of the House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Olson,
Baker,	Curtis,	Hall,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hay,	Landee,	Rainey,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Brown,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Burton,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,		—48

And there were 48 members of the Senate present.

And there were 192 members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

Mr. Behrens arose and stated that he wished to pair his vote with Representative Fieldstack, who was absent, and by unanimous consent was recorded as present but not voting.

The same request was granted Representative Burgett who wished to pair his vote with Representative Chipfield, who was absent.

The same request was granted Senator Glackin who wished to pair his vote with Senator Funk, who was absent.

The same request was granted Senator Jandus who wished to pair his vote with Senator McKenzie, who was absent.

The same request was granted Representative King who wished to pair his vote with Representative Kittleman, who was absent.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	54 votes
Judge P. W. Gallagher received	1 vote
Frank McDermott received	1 vote
L. M. McKinley received	3 votes
Edward J. Rainey received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Fulton,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Durfee,	Hope,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Erby,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Flagg,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	—44

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Ton,
Butts,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Kowalski,	Pierson,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Glade,	Parker,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Lane,			—12

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,

Terrill,

—2

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Poulton,
Allison,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Richardson.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Riley,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Scott,
Blair,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Bolin,	Etherton.	Kannally,	Murray,	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Finley,	Lantz,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Forst,	Link,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Neil,	White,
Clark,	Geshkewich.	McConnell,	O'Toole.	

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Those voting for Judge P. W. Gallagher are: Mr. DeWolf—1.

Those voting for Frank McDermott are: Mr. Hilton—1.

Those voting for M. L. McKinley are: Messrs.

Sullivan,

Walsh,

Wilson, R. E.

—3

Those voting for Edward J. Rainey are: Mr. Wilson, F. J.—1.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	10 votes
John J. Mitchell received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Daley,	Hall,	Juul,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,		

—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,

Brown,

Jones,

Olson,

Schmitt,

—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are Messrs.

Ball,

Cruikshank,

—2

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are Messrs.

Broderick,	Gibson,	Hearn,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,

—10

Those voting for John J. Mitchell are: Mr. Holstlaw—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the twenty-ninth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 184, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of	72 votes
George Edmund Foss received	18 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received	64 votes
Judge P. W. Gallagher received	1 vote
Frank McDermott received	1 vote
M. L. McKinley received	3 votes
Edward J. Rainey received	1 vote
John J. Mitchell received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress' of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

Mr. Fahy offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, The Honorable Charles Foscender, who was a member of the Thirtieth General Assembly, departed this life at his home in the city of Wenona, Marshall county, Illinois, on or about the 24th day of December, A. D. 1907, and

WHEREAS, The said Charles Foscender was an honored citizen of this State who rendered the State and more particularly the community in which he resided invaluable service as a public official, and

WHEREAS, The private life of Charles Foscender was of a nature commendable to all good citizens;

Therefore be it Resolved, That in his death we, the members of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly, sincerely deplore his loss to the State and to the community in which he lived; and to his family and friends we extend our heartfelt sympathy; and

Be it Further Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of this House and that a properly engrossed copy of the same be sent to his family, and that as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when on motion of Mr. Forst, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14.

WHEREAS, February 12, 1909, is the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, and,

WHEREAS, The memory of the words and deeds of Abraham Lincoln of Illinois, have become the priceless heritage of the people of the nation irrespective of sectional lines, racial differences and party affiliations, and,

WHEREAS, The city of Chicago, in which Lincoln received his nomination for the high office of President, is planning a great civic celebration in honor of the memory of Lincoln, and,

WHEREAS, The mayor of Chicago has requested the General Assembly of the State of Illinois to recognize the celebration in the city of Chicago by appropriate resolutions and to appoint a committee to represent the General Assembly at the memorial meeting to be held at the Auditorium, in the city of Chicago, on Friday, February 12th; now therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That the Forty-sixth General Assembly do send greetings to Chicago with the wish that its celebration of Lincoln's character and service to the nation may arouse a new devotion throughout the commonwealth to his sense of loyalty to the Constitution, his faith in the principles of democracy and his devotion to the moral ideals; and, be it further

Resolved, That a committee of ten be appointed, five by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and five by the President of the Senate, to represent the Forty-sixth General Assembly, and to attend the said memorial meeting to be held at the Auditorium in the city of Chicago, February 12th, at 10:00 a. m. I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Brown, Gardner, Pemberton, Glackin and Rainey.

Adopted February 9, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sollitt moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 14.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker of the House thereupon appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Shanahan, Maclean, Sollitt, R. E. Wilson, Cermak.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions.

Messrs. Tippet, Hollenbeck and Blair presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The Speaker called up House Joint Resolution No. 7, the consideration of which was on yesterday postponed until today.

Whereupon Mr. Reynolds renewed his motion to lay the resolution upon the table and on that question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flannigen,	Keck,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Grace,	King,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Black,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Brady,	Hagan,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Terrill,
Butts,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Troyer,
Church,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Weiborn,
Cliffe,	Hull,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Erickson,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Wright,

Yeas—60

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Allison,	Dillon,	Griffin,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	Murray,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Erby,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Blair,	Espy,	Kannally,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wardell,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Lederer,	Poulton,	White,
Burns,	Finley,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Forst,	Luke,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Foster,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zinger,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Scott,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Gillespie,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Glade,	Morris,		Nays—78

And the motion to lay upon the table was lost.

Mr. Shanahan offered the following substitute for House Joint Resolution No. 7, and moved its adoption:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That a joint committee consisting of nine members of the House of Representatives and nine members of the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, to inquire into, hear and report to the House of Representatives as provided by law, the contest of election now pending in this General Assembly of Adlai E. Stevenson against Charles S. Deneen for the office of Governor of the State of Illinois; and be it further

Resolved, That such committee, when appointed, shall proceed at once to elect a chairman and to take testimony of any witness or witnesses on the part of the petitioner as well as on the part of the person whose place is contested and such committee so appointed shall have the power to send for and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers, documents, records, to issue commissions under the hand of its chairman to any officer authorized to take depositions, to take the depositions of witnesses upon the points set forth in the petition and at such times and places as the committee shall direct, and be it further

Resolved, That such committee report its findings and recommendations to the House of Representatives and Senate respectively on the second day of March, 1909, for such action as the respective Houses may desire to take thereon.

Mr. Kleeman moved to lay the foregoing substitute upon the table. And on that question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cermak,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Church,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Clark,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Cliffe,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Corcoran,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	DeWolf,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Bardill,	Dillon,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	King,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	WerdeU,
Brownback,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	White,
Browne,	Gray,	Link,	Riley,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Hagan,	Luke,	.	Yeas—78

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kannally,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Blair,	Etherton,	Keck,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Burns,	Feldstack,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Tipplit,
Bush,	Flagg,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Ton,
Crawford,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Parker,	Welborn,
Curran,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Donahue,	Glade,	Maclean,	Price,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Grace,	McCollum,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Richter,	Zipf,
English,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker,
Erby,	Huston,			Nays—57

The motion prevailed,

And the foregoing substitute was ordered to lie upon the table.

Thereupon Mr. Shanahan offered another substitute for House Joint Resolution No. 7, as follows:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That a joint committee consisting of nine members of the House of Representatives and nine members of the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, to inquire into, hear and report to the House of Representatives as provided by law, the contest of election now pending in this General Assembly of Adlai E. Stevenson against Charles S. Deneen for the office of Governor of the State of Illinois; and be it further

Resolved, That such committee, when appointed, shall proceed at once to elect a chairman and to ascertain whether said petition makes out a *prima facie* case only and to take testimony of any witness or witnesses on the part of the petitioner as to said *prima facie* showing as well as on the part of the person whose place is contested, and such committee so appointed shall for such purpose only have the power to send for and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers, documents, records, to issue commissions under the hand of its chairman to any officer authorized to take depositions, to take the depositions of witnesses upon the points set forth in the petition and at such times and places as the committee shall direct; and be it further

Resolved, That such committee report its findings and recommendations to the House of Representatives and Senate respectively, on the second day of March, 1909, for such action as the respective Houses may desire to take thereon.

The question being on the adoption of the foregoing substitute it was decided in the affirmative,

And the substitute resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Sollitt offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 8.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That appropriate centennial exercises in honor of Lincoln, the Great Emancipator, statesman and former member of the House of Representatives of this State be held on the 11th day of February, 1909, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. in this House, and that the Speaker of the House appoint three members and the President of the Senate two members of a committee to make arrangements for such exercises.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Speaker thereupon appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Sollitt, King and Browne.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Burns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 78, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable railroad companies to enter into operative contracts, and to borrow money,' approved February 12, 1855, in force July 1, 1855."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads, when appointed.

Mr. Church introduced a bill, House Bill No. 79, a bill for "An Act to provide for an increase of the number of judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook, and to designate the date of their election."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 80, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 81, a bill for "An Act to amend section four, as amended by Act filed May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, of an Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 82, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a woman's building and gymnasium and to provide for needed repairs, equipment and furnishings at the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 83, a bill for "An Act to erect suitable monuments to mark the sites of the old Illinois forts, Chartress, Russell and Clark, and to make an appropriation of \$10,000 therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 84, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of hotel-keepers."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Foster introduced a bill, House Bill No. 85, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, by the addition of a section to be known as section one (1) a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Hutzler introduced a bill, House Bill No. 86, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on Speaker's table.

Mr. Lantz, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 87, a bill for "An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

Mr. Logan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 88, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the erection of a monument in memory of John McLain, first representative in Congress from Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Naylor introduced a bill, House Bill No. 89, a bill for "An Act in relation to injuries caused by wrongful act, neglect or default."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Pervier introduced a bill, House Bill No. 90, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 91, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for certain safety appliances upon elevator cages, to provide for the safety of persons entering and departing from elevator cages, and to prevent persons being caught and crushed between the top of the elevator cage and the floor of any building, and providing a penalty for failure to install such safety appliances.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 92, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to reconvey.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Walsh introduced a bill, House Bill No. 93, a bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of precinct election inspectors in cities, villages and incorporated towns; assigning additional duties to the election authorities, requiring them to notify possible voters of time and place of registration and election and giving adequate information as to the issues and providing for the expenses thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 94, a bill for "An Act to regulate and fix the maximum hours of a day's work for conductors and motormen, or operators, on street, elevated, under-ground and interurban electric railroads, so that ten hours shall constitute a day's work, to be performed within twelve consecutive hours, for the purpose of providing for the better safety and welfare of the public, passengers and employes, and providing a penalty for a violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Wright introduced a bill, House Bill No. 95, a bill for "An Act to allow the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home to sell lots two and three in block thirty-seven in Cassidy's addition to the city of Joliet, Will county, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home, when appointed.

At 12:00, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Lardee,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Ossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,		

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And there were 48 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Finley,	King,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Foster,	Lane,	Parker,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Glade,	Lewis,	Poulton,	White,
Butts,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Grace,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Gray,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Griffin,	Luke,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wright,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Riley,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,				Present—141

And there were 141 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 189 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Senator Gibson arose and stated that he wished to pair his vote with Senator Funk, who was absent, and by unanimous consent was recorded as present but not voting.

The same request was granted Senator Manny who wished to pair his vote with Senator McKenzie.

The same request was granted Representative English who wished to pair his vote with Representative York.

The same request was granted Representative King who wished to pair his vote with Representative Kittleman.

The same request was granted Representative Troyer who wished to pair his vote with Representative Chipfield.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	7 votes
John J. Mitchell received	1 vote
John C. Eastman received	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Curtis,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—5
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Hearn,	Rainey,	Tossey,	Womack,	—7
Gorman,	Isley,				

Those voting for John J. Mitchell are: Mr. Holstlaw—1.

Those voting for John C. Eastman are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Jandus,	—3
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	46 votes
John J. Mitchell received	3 votes
John C. Eastman received	10 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Brady,	Grace,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Robinson,	—44

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,	—14

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Glade,	Parker,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Lane,			—12

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for W. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Allison,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Richardson,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Riley,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Scott,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Shaw,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Shepard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Finley,	Link,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Browne,	Forst,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton.	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,				—46

Those voting for John J. Mitchell are: Messrs.

DeWolf,	McGuire,	Morris,	—3
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Those voting for John C. Eastman are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Geshkewich,	Hilton,	Sullivan,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Murray,	Walsh,	Wilson, R. F.
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirtieth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 185, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	73 votes
George Edmund Foss received	19 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
W. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	53 votes
John C. Eastman received	13 votes
John J. Mitchell received	4 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Asesmbly do now arise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

The Speaker laid before the House the appointment of the following standing committees, to-wit:

Committee on Rules—Speaker, Chairman; Erickson, Church, Black, Shepherd of Kane, Werdell, Briscoe, Hilton, Poulton.

Committee on Contingent Expenses—Lewis, Chairman; Liggett, Abbey, Montelius, Lane, McGuire, Bolin, Burns, Sullivan, Forst.

Mr. Poulton offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from this life the Hon. Alexander J. Jones of the city of Chicago, and the State of Illinois, and,

WHEREAS, The Honorable Alexander J. Jones was an honored and able member of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-ninth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, and,

WHEREAS, The Honorable Alexander J. Jones was a valuable and industrious member of the Board of Trustees of the Sanitary District of Chicago for many years and during a portion of said time was the president of said board, and,

WHEREAS, By his death the State of Illinois has lost a conscientious, true and patriotic citizen, society a worthy member and his family a loving husband and father,

Therefore, be it Resolved, That the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois extend to the family and friends of the Honorable Alexander J. Jones its sincere and heartfelt sympathy in the loss of their kind relative and true friend; and, be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the Journal of this House; that the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby directed to transmit a suitably engrossed copy of the same to the family of the deceased and that as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unaimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 12:50 o'clock, p. m. the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of yesterday was being read when on motion of Mr. Zinger the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 8.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That appropriate centennial exercises in honor of Lincoln, the Great Emancipator, statesman and former member of the House of Representatives of this State, be held on the 11th day of February, 1909, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in this House and that the Speaker of the House appoint three (3) members and the President of the Senate two (2) members of a committee to make arrangements for such exercises.

I am also directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate provided for in the foregoing resolution, Senators Gardner and Rainey.

Concurred in February 11, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Montelius and Fahy, presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 96, a bill for "An Act to regulate and define the liability of any common carrier, corporation, firm, company, manufacturer, contractor, railroad or other person or persons for damages to their employes, and to person or persons, and to their personal representatives, their next of kin, or relative, in case of personal injury, or death sustained while in their employ and eliminating any contract that would deprive such employes of their right of action to recover damages."

The bill was taken up. read by title, ordered printed, and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Erickson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 97, a bill for "An Act to erect a building to be used for industrial exhibitions and public gatherings and making appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Erickson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 98, a bill for 'An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 122a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Terrill offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.

WHEREAS, The number and character of serious accidents occurring in the best equipped mines in various states makes it evident that many years of research and educational work on the part of the general government will be necessary to enable the several states to meet by appropriate legislation the requirement that better protection shall be provided for its industrial workers; and

WHEREAS, A bill is now pending in Congress providing for the creation of a National Bureau of Mines charged with the duty of conducting such technologic investigations as will increase safety and efficiency in mining; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of Illinois, the Senate concurring therein, That the Congress of the United States is hereby urgently requested to enact at the earliest day possible the pending bill creating a Bureau of Mines and that the Congressmen and Senators from Illinois be furnished with a copy of this joint resolution and urged to use their best endeavors to secure the passage of said bill at the present session of Congress.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That a joint committee consisting of nine members of the House of Representatives and nine members of the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate, respectively, to inquire into, hear and report to the House of Representatives as provided by law, the contest of election now pending in this General Assembly of Adlai E. Stevenson against Charles S. Deneen for the office of Governor of the State of Illinois; and, be it further

Resolved, That such committee, when appointed, shall proceed at once to elect a chairman and to ascertain whether said petition makes out a *prima facie* case only and to take testimony of any witness or witnesses on the part of the petitioner as to said *prima facie* showing as well as on the part of the person whose place is contested and such committee so appointed shall for such purpose only have the power to send for and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers, documents, records, to issue

commissions under the hand of its chairman to any officer authorized to take depositions, to take the depositions of witnesses upon the points set forth in the petition and at such times and places as the committee shall direct; and, be it further

Resolved, That such committee report its findings and recommendations to the House of Representatives and Senate respectively on the second day of March, 1909, for such action as the respective houses may desire to take thereon.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate provided for in the foregoing resolution: Senators Breidt, Gardner, Jones, Potter, Hurburgh, McKenzie, Hearn, Isley, Holstlaw.

Concurred in February 11, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The hour of 10:30 o'clock, a. m. having arrived, the time heretofore fixed for the holding of the Lincoln Memorial exercises as provided for in House Joint Resolution No. 8, adopted by the House and Senate on yesterday, the two Houses being convened in joint session for that purpose, the Speaker of the House presiding, the following program prepared for the occasion by the joint committee was carried out.

PROGRAM.

Orchestra.

Introductory	EDWARD D. SHURTLEFF:
Address	GOVERNOR CHARLES S. DENEEN.
Song	Illinois
Address	Lincoln, the Altruist
	W. TUDOR APMAJOC.
Address	Lincoln, the Lawyer
	FRANK W. BURTON.
Song	QUARTETTE.
Address	Lincoln and Washington, a Contrast
	FRANK P. SCHMITT.
Recitation	Lincoln's Gettysburg Oration
	OLIVER SOLLITT.
Address	Lincoln as Seen by Union Soldiers
	HARRY D. FULTON.
Song	Selected
	ALBERT GUEST.
Address	Lincoln as Seen by Other Nations
	JOHN HRUBY.
Address	Lincoln's Dedication
	A. K. STEARNS.
Address	Lincoln as a Legislator
	A. M. FOSTER.
Song	America
	BY THE ASSEMBLY.

The memorial exercises having been concluded,

Mr. Shanahan, at the hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m., moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	Manny,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Ball,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Tossey,
Brown,	Gardner,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Womack,
Burton,	Gibson,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Glackin,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	

And there were 38 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, F. W.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	English,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Staymates,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fahv,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Black,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Blair,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Tippitt,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	White,
Burns,	Glade,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Gorman,	Link,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Grace,	Logan,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Luke,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scott,	Zipf
DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.

Present—124

And there were 124 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 162 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States, from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Durfee with Mr. Mills.
 Mr. Flannigen with Mr. Ton.
 Mr. Hutzler with Mr. Forst.
 Mr. Etherton with Mr. Hollenbeck.
 Mr. King with Mr. Kittleman.
 Mr. Troyer with Mr. Chipperfield.
 Mr. Reynolds with Mr. Corcoran.
 Mr. Kleeman with Mr. Richter.
 Mr. Crawford with Mr. Welborn.
 Mr. Holaday with Mr. Hamilton.
 Mr. Hull with Mr. Alschuler.
 Mr. Abbey with Mr. Wheelan.
 Mr. Stewart with Mr. Isley.
 Mr. Allison with Mr. Humphrey.
 Mr. Olson with Mr. Lundberg.
 Mr. Curtis with Mr. Browne.
 Mr. Brown with Mr. Jandus.
 Mr. Glackin with Mr. Barr.
 Mr. York with Mr. English.
 Mr. McKenzie with Mr. Womack.
 Mr. Link with Mr. Bardill.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	21 votes
George Edmund Foss	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	7 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Juul,	McElvain,
Clark,	Gardner,	Helm,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Dailey,	Hall,	Henson,	Lish,	Potter,
Dellenback,				

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Jones,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Hearn,	Manny,	Rainey,	Tossey,
Gorman,	Holstlaw,			

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	35 votes
George Edmund Foss received	11 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	48 votes
John J. Mitchell received	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brady,	Grace,	Kirkpatrick,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Erby,	Jewell,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zinger,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,				—11

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Glade,	Parker,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Curran,				—11

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Tippitt,
Bolin,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Burns,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Richardson,	White,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, E. J.	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Dillon,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.
Donahue,	Hruby,	Murray,	Shaw,	—48
Espy,	Huston,	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.	

Those voting for John J. Mitchell are, Messrs:

DeWolf,	Morris,	—2
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-first joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 147, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	56 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	13 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	55 votes
John J. Mitchell received	2 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the committee provided for in House Joint Resolution No. 7, adopted on yesterday as follows: Messrs. Reynolds, Chairman, Maclean, King, ApMadoe, Price, Donahue, Hruby, Murphy Wm., Walsh.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, February 11, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, February 16, 1909.

Adopted February 11, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 17,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

WHEREAS, It is the evident will of the people of this commonwealth that the University of Illinois shall be made so complete in its organization and equipment that no son or daughter of this State shall be obliged to seek in other states or other countries those advantages of higher education which are necessary to the greatest efficiency of social service either in public or private stations; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has imposed upon this institution in its agricultural and engineering experiment stations, and in its graduate school, the duty of carrying on extensive and important investigations of vital interest to the agricultural industry and education of the State, and the conduct of these investigations calls for the very highest ability and the most thorough training on the part of those entrusted with their supervision; and,

WHEREAS, The great progress of this institution in the last five years has attracted the attention of the whole country and made other institutions desirous of drawing away the members of the faculties in said university; and,

WHEREAS, The present schedule of salaries is not sufficient to enable the institution to compete on equal grounds with other state and private universities in the United States; therefore

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That it is the sense of this General Assembly that the board of trustees of the University of Illinois should adopt such a policy as will in their judgment attract to, and retain in, the service of the University and the State, the best available ability of this and other countries.

Adopted February 10, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, was under the rules referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 13.

WHEREAS, The number and character of serious accidents occurring in the best equipped mines in various states makes it evident that many years of research and educational work on the part of the general government will be necessary to enable the several states to meet by appropriate legislation the requirement that better protection shall be provided for its industrial workers; and

WHEREAS, A bill is now pending in Congress providing for the creation of a National Bureau of Mines charged with the duty of conducting such technologic investigations as will increase safety and efficiency in mining; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That the Congress of the United States is hereby urgently requested to enact at the earliest day possible the pending bill creating a Bureau of Mines and that the Congressmen and Senators from Illinois be furnished with a copy of this joint resolution and urged to use their best endeavors to secure the passage of said bill at the present session of Congress.

Adopted February 10, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining, when appointed.

At the hour of 12:50 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, February 16, 1909.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Thursday, February 11, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Hollenbeck and Durfee presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The Speaker laid before the House the report of the following circuit judges in pursuance to the provisions of section 31 of article 6 of the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

T. M. Harris, Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Illinois;

Albert O. Marshall, Judge of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Illinois.

The foregoing reports were ordered placed on file.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication urging the passage of a bill limiting the right of owners of buildings which was ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 99, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School herein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Cliffe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 100, a bill for "An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks, and deputy county or probate clerks from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 101, a bill for "An Act concerning the taxation of liens and the property affected by such liens."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Huston introduced a bill, House Bill No. 102, a bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons, leaving property in this State, and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Huston introduced a bill, House Bill No. 103, a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State and instruments or writing relating to any obligation enforceable in this State executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Keck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 104, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act, entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries, when appointed.

Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 105, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00), or as much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of constructing an armory building and stables for the use of the First Cavalry Illinois National Guard, located in Chicago, Cook county, Illinois, provided that there shall be deeded to the State suitable ground upon which to erect said armory and stables, the site to be approved by the Governor and Adjutant-General."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Logan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 106, a bill for "An Act to provide for the regulation of express rates, of individuals, partnerships, associations, joint stock company, and incorporations, doing express business within the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Perkins, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 107, a bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, when appointed.

Mr. Pervier introduced a bill, House Bill No. 108, a bill for "An Act to amend section ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 109, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 110, a bill for "An Act to make appropriations to provide for the current expenses of the Supreme Court, and for the care of the Temple of Justice building and ground."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 111, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74 and 75 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Terrill introduced a bill, House Bill No. 112, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Terrill introduced a bill, House Bill No. 113, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Western Illinois State Normal School."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. G. H. Wilson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 114, a bill for "An Act regulating the business of assessment life associations organized under the laws of this State or doing business therein and providing a method whereby such associations may be converted into legal reserve life insurance companies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Resolutions Mr. Butts offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 9-A.

A Joint and concurrent Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to provide by law for the improvement of the rivers, harbors and waterways. and the issuance of bonds therefor,

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Illinois:

WHEREAS, The government should immediately take in hand the improvement of the rivers, harbors and waterways of the country and that a large sum of money should be appropriated for that purpose, and

WHEREAS, It seems fair and right that future generations who will reap the great benefits should share a portion of the expense, and,

WHEREAS, The two per cent bonds of the government sell readily at a premium and at the same time afford an attractive investment to certain classes of people who would otherwise hoard their money and keep it out of circulation, and

WHEREAS, The National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which convened at Washington, in December, 1908, composed of more than 3,000 representatives from all sections of the country, endorsed and recommended the expenditure of \$500,000,000.00 by the general government for these purposes, and the issuance of two per cent bonds therefor and similar action has been taken by other representative bodies.

Therefore, be it resolved, By the Legislature of the State of Illinois that the Congress of the United States be memorialized and earnestly urged to provide by law for the issuance by the government of its two per cent bonds to the extent of \$500,000,000.00 or more to carry forward the work which has already been approved by the engineers of the army and the Committee on Rivers and Harbors of the House of Representatives in the matter of the improvement of the rivers, harbors and waterways of the country, and to carry forward such other new work as may be approved by the engineering department and Congress.

Be it further resolved, That a duly certified copy of this memorial be by the Clerk of the House of Representatives forwarded to each member of the Illinois delegation in Congress.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvement and Commerce, when appointed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, reported the same back with the recommendation that it be adopted.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 10.

WHEREAS, The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, a corporation acting under a charter from the federal government of the United States, has adopted a plan of granting retiring allowances for long and distinguished service to the professors in those colleges and universities of the United States whose standards of work correspond to the demands set by the trustees of said Foundation; and

WHEREAS, The trustees of said Foundation have provided that, in case state universities desire to secure the advantages of this system of retiring allowances for the members of their faculties, the request of the board of trustees of said universities asking for said privilege shall be approved by the legislature of the state supporting said university; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois has requested said Foundation to place the State University of Illinois on the list of institutions to the members of whose faculties retiring allowances are granted under the rules of said Foundation; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That the request of the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois addressed to the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching to place the State University of Illinois on the list of institutions to the members of whose faculties retiring allowances are granted under the rules of said Foundation be hereby approved.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 10:35 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House, and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gorman,	Isley,	Pemberton.
Bailev.	Cruikshank,	Hall,	Jandus,	Potter.
Baker,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Schmitt,
Ball,	Dellenbeck,	Hay,	Juul,	Stewart,
Barr,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee,	Tossey.
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Womack,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Henson,	McCormick,	
Broderick,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McElvain.	
Brown,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,	
Burton,	Glackin.	Hurburgh,	Olson,	

And there were 46 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan.
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols.	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hope,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hrubv.	Morris,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns.
Beck,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Neill,	Walsh.
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick.	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	King,	Parker,	Werdell.
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	White.
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Piereson,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Grace,	Link,	Richter,	York.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Luke,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Robinson,	
Curran,	Groves, W.	M. Maclean,	Scanlan,	Present—137
Daley,	Hagan,	McConnell.	Schumacher,	

And there were 137 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 183 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Olson (present but not voting) with Mr. Lundberg.
 Mr. Behrens (present but not voting) with Mr. Kowalski.
 Mr. Durfee (present but not voting) with Mr. Mills.
 Mr. Flannigen (present but not voting) with Mr. Chipfield.
 Mr. Hamilton (present but not voting) with Mr. Nelson.
 Mr. Logan (present but not voting) with Mr. Scott.
 Mr. McMackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Lane.
 Mr. Reynolds (present but not voting) with Mr. Galligan.
 Mr. York (present but not voting) with Mr. Ton.
 Mr. Rainey with Mr. Funk.
 Mr. Manny with Mr. Curtis.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	10 votes
Peter Reinberg received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Dellenbeck,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt.	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gibson,	Gorman,	Humphrey,	Tossey,
Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Womack,
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Those voting for Peter Reinberg are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	39 votes
George Edmund Foss received	11 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	12 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	39 votes
Peter Reinberg received	19 votes
Michael J. Kennedy received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Grace,	Keck,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	King,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Kirkpatrick,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Erby,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	—39

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Hull,	Pierson,	Stearns.
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean.	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,				—11

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Glade,	Parker,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—12

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Richardson,
Blair,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Bolin,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Huston,	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Browne,	Etherton,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Tippitt,
Burns,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Foster,	Link,	O'Toole,	White.
Daley,	Gorman,	Luke,	Poulton,	

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Those voting for Peter Reinberg are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Ciffin,	Murray,	Verdell.
Allison,	Fahy,	Hilton,	Naylor,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Forst,	McGuire,	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	Morris,	Walsh.	—19

Those voting for Michael J. Kennedy are: Mr. E. J. Murphy—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-second joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 174 of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-Sixth General Assembly of	67 votes
George Edmund Foss received	15 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	49 votes
Peter Reinberg received	20 votes
Michael J. Kennedy received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now arise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The Speaker laid before the House the appointment of the following standing committee, to-wit:

Judiciary Committee—Chiperfield, Chairman, Church, Kleeman, Pierson, Smejkal, Troyer, Reynolds, Hollenbeck, ApMadoc, Flannigen, King, Durfee, Hamilton, Mills, Cliffe, Hull, Shepherd, F. W., Stearns, Holaday, Maclean, Lederer, Perkins, Wilson, G. H., Lyon, Scanlan, Crawford, Logan, Browne, Lantz, Poulton, Hruby, Geshkewich, Beckemeyer, Luke, Blair, English, Murray, Dillon, O'Toole, Donahue, McCollum.

Mr. Fulton offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, Dr. T. D. Bancroft who was present in Ford's Theatre upon the assassination of Abraham Lincoln is now in the city of Springfield, and whereas Mr. Bancroft is engaged in lecturing upon the subject of Lincoln, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Bancroft has offered to give his lecture in this House as a mark of respect to the General Assembly,

Therefore be it resolved, That the use of this room be extended to him and his invitation to hear his lecture be accepted for Tuesday evening, February 16th at 8:00 o'clock.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

At the hour of 12:45 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Erickson moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. DeWolf the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Tippet, Hollenbeck, J. Groves, Etherton, Kerrick, Pierson and Blair presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Adkins introduced a bill, House Bill No. 115, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 116, a bill for "An Act in relation to criminal conspiracy."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gillespie introduced a bill, House Bill No. 117, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the catching of white fish, trout, herring, chubs, long-jaws, black-fins, perch and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 8a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game, when appointed.

Mr. Gillespie introduced a bill, House Bill No. 118, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of fish in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game, when appointed.

Mr. Grace, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 119, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum for free distribution to the swine raisers of the State of Illinois, and for the free administration thereof and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Myers introduced a bill, House Bill No. 120, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs, when appointed.

Mr. Price introduced a bill, House Bill No. 121, a bill for "An Act to amend section one and section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows, minor children and dependent parents of deceased firemen, who authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants having a paid fire department.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Robinson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 122, a bill for "An Act to prevent the intermarriage of people of the white race, blood or lineage with those of the African, Chinese, or Japanese races."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on Speaker's table.

Mr. Robinson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 123, a bill for "An Act to regulate the gearing and speed of automobiles, auto-cabs, taxicabs, and other horseless vehicles."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on Speaker's table.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 124, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 125, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 126, a bill for "An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 127, a bill for "An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shaw introduced a bill, House Bill No. 128, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 129, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for constructing and erecting a monument at Oakwoods Cemetery at the city of Waukegan, Illinois, to the memory of Honorable Elijah M. Haines."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Geshkewich introduced a bill, House Bill No. 130, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named, approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on Speaker's table.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 109, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 110, being a bill for "An Act to make appropriations to provide for the current expenses of the Supreme Court, and for the care of the Temple of Justice building and grounds."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 109 and asked that it be read a first time now.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 109, a bill for an Act entitled, "A bill for an Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois."

Was taken up and read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 110 and asked that it be read a first time now.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 110, a bill for an Act entitled, "A bill for an Act to make appropriations to provide for the current expenses of the Supreme Court, and for the care of the Temple of Justice building and grounds."

Was taken up and read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 10.

WHEREAS, The desks and chairs of the members of the Senate and House of the General Assembly have been in use for the past thirty-three years, many of them are much defaced and in bad order, all are poorly planned and illly suited to their purposes. The desks are so constructed that they are easily opened by thieves and the contents abstracted and the chairs are especially uncomfortable; and,

WHEREAS, Intelligent legislation requires frequent reference to the Revised Statutes, session laws and official State reports; and,

WHEREAS, The members of the General Assembly ought to be provided by the State with chairs which are reasonably comfortable and with desks of sufficient capacity in which can be safely kept under lock and key the statutes, session laws, official reports of the State, and all necessary stationery, writing materials, postage, etc., now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein, That a commission of five persons to consist of the Secretary of State, the Superintendent of the Capitol building and grounds, two members of the House, to be appointed by the Speaker, and one member of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate,

Be, and is hereby created, and is hereby given full power and authority to purchase or cause to be constructed the number of desks and chairs required for the use of the members of the House and Senate, together with suitable chairs for the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate, of reasonable cost, in style harmonizing with the finish and furniture of the hall of the House and Senate chamber and of modern construction suited to the needs of the members, ready for use at as early a date as practicable, such furniture to be constructed in some State institution if found practicable and within the law; and be it further

Resolved, That the necessary funds for the purpose above specified be ascertained and appropriated in the usual manner, and that the commission report its acts in the premises to this or the next General Assembly and file therewith vouchers for all disbursements, all services to be rendered by such commission to be without compensation.

The question being on the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution.

It was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The Speaker laid before the House two communications from the Secretary of State of the state of Oregon transmitting copies of joint resolutions adopted by the legislature of that state, one with reference to an amendment to the Constitution of the United States for the election of United States Senators by popular vote and the other with reference to national aid in the permanent construction of public roads.

Which was ordered placed on file.

At the hour of 10:35 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Chipfield moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin.	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dellenbeck,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton.
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Eroderick,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Brown,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	

And there were 49 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbev.	Daley,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hull,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erby,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Black,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Nelson,	Tippitt,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Trover,
Brady,	Flagg,	King,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Browne,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	White,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson. F. J.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson. G. H.
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson. H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves. J.	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves. W.	M. Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	

And there were 143 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 192 members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. McElvain (present but not voting) with Mr. Rainey.
 Mr. Behrens (present but not voting) with Mr. Galligan.
 Mr. Durfee (present but not voting) with Mr. Mills.
 Mr. Flannigen (present but not voting) with Mr. McCullom.
 Mr. Hamilton (present but not voting) with Mr. Dudgeon.
 Mr. York (present but not voting) with Mr. Scott.
 Mr. Logan (present but not voting) with Mr. Tont.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	10 votes
Charles J. Vopicka received	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailev,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenbeck,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Tossey,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Womack,
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Those voting for Charles J. Vopicka are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Jandus,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	42 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	14 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	39 votes
Charles J. Vopicka received	8 votes
John P. Gibbons received	9 votes
Judge E. F. Dunne received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Adkins,	Gray,	King,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Bardill,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hope,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Erby,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Scanlan,	—42
Flagg,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Stevenson,	

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smeikal.
Bush,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	—14

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Corcoran,	Foster,	Luke,	Riley,
Beckemeyer,	Daley,	Gorman,	McLaughlin.	Shaw,
Blair,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	O'Brien,	Tippitt,
Briscoe,	English,	Huston,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Espy,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	White,
Burns,	Fintheron,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson. F. J.
Clark,	Finley,	Link,	Richardson.	—39

Those voting for Charles J. Vopicka are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Forst,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Werdell,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Hruby,		—8

Those voting for John G. Gibbons are: Messrs.

DeWolf,	Morris,	Murray,	Sullivan,	Wilson. R. E.
McGuire,	Murphy, Wm.	Naylor,	Walsh,	—9

Those voting for Edward F. Dunne are: Mr. Hilton—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-third joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 181 of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	49 votes
Charles J. Vopicka received	10 votes
John P. Gibbons received	9 votes
Judge Edward F. Dunne received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now arise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Cliffe offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have bound into book form, for the use and convenience of the members, the House bills now pending or hereafter introduced, the said book or volume to contain not more than two hundred and fifty bills.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

At the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Smejkal moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hope the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Secretary of State of the state of South Dakota transmitting a copy of a joint resolution adopted by the legislature of that state with reference to the subject of polygamy.

Which was ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Pierson, Burgett, McMackin, Montelius and Lyon presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The Speaker took up House Bill No. 50, heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table, and referred it to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 131, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School herein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Behrens introduced a bill, House Bill No. 132, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in this State, and to punish the same, and prescribe a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto, and to repeal an Act entitled, an Act to prevent unjust discriminations and extortions in the rates to be charged by the different railroads in this State for the transportation of freights on said roads,' approved April 7, A. D., 1871, approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, by amending section two of said Act and adding a new section thereto and amending the title of said Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads, when appointed.

Mr. Black introduced a bill, House Bill No. 133, a bill for "An Act to amend section (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and

agricultural fairs, and to provide reports of the same, approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs, when appointed.

Mr. DeWolf introduced a bill, House Bill No. 134, a bill for "An Act relating to banks and banking, providing for a depositor's guarantee fund, creating a State banking board, providing for the selection of officers to carry into effect the provisions of this Act, and repealing all laws in conflict."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking, when appointed.

Mr. Hilton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 135, a bill for "An Act to provide for the erection, organization and management of a State hospital, to be known as the Union Stock Yards Hospital of Illinois, and making an appropriation for the purchase of land and the construction of the necessary buildings and the maintenance of the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Ireland introduced a bill, House Bill No. 136, a bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois, and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station, and to make appropriations therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Logan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 137, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of drains, ditches and streams constructed for agricultural or sanitary and mining purposes and to require all persons owning lands bordering same and all persons owning land over or through which said drains, ditches and streams may pass or flow to annually remove all obstructions from same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage, when appointed.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 138, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, when appointed.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 139, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game, when appointed.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 140, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of article 2 of 'An Act to establish a military and

naval code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict therewith,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, when appointed.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 141, a bill for "An Act to amend paragraph 7 of section 14 of 'An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article 13 of the Constitution of this State,' approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Warehouses, when appointed.

Mr. McMackin introduced a bill, House Bill No. 142, a bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pervier introduced a bill, House Bill No. 143, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Pervier introduced a bill, House Bill No. 144, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, when appointed.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 145, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property, and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved May 31, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Scott introduced a bill, House Bill No. 146, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game, when appointed.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 147, a bill for "An Act to establish the Illinois State Colony for Improvable Epileptics and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 148, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 149, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 150, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for two (?) colonies for insane epileptics."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 151, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Hospital for the Insane at Dunning, as provided in the seventh section of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 152, a bill for "An Act making additional appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State hospitals for the insane to provide for complete State care of county cases."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 153, a bill for "An Act to establish a new State hospital for the insane and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 154, a bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under and by virtue of 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 155, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereto, approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on Speaker's table.

Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 156, a bill for "An Act to amend section two and three of an Act entitled, 'An Act creating the office of supervising architect of the State of Illinois and defining his

powers and duties,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 157, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, when appointed.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 158, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act defining and declaring the rights of the public in navigable lakes and streams, meandered in the survey by and under the authority of the United States of America.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Brownback introduced a bill, House Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; said section one (1) as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, when appointed.

Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 160, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, when appointed.

Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 161, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act, to be known as section 5a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, when appointed.

Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 162, a bill for "An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act relating to employment offices and agencies,' approved and in force May 11, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, when appointed.

Mr. Hutzler, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 163, a bill for "An Act limiting the right of owners of buildings and others, in the exclusion or expulsion of persons, desirous of calling upon tenants of buildings or space therein, in an orderly manner, and for honorable purposes, and prescribing penalties for violation of this Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 109 in the order of second reading, whereupon,

House Bill No. 109, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 110 in the order of second reading, whereupon,

House Bill No. 110, a bill for "An Act making appropriations to provide for the current expenses of the Supreme Court, and for the care of the Temple of Justice building and grounds."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit: Senate Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of committee expenses of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

Passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote February 17, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan asked that Senate Bill No. 37, be read a first time now.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the payment of committee expenses of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

Was taken up, read at large a first time, ordered printed, and to a second reading without reference.

Mr. Tippit offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, There are several bills pending before this General Assembly for the re-apportionment of the judicial circuits in the State of Illinois, all of which provide for additional judges of said courts, and,

WHEREAS, This General Assembly is wholly without official information of the conditions, requirements and needs of the said courts and circuits as to additional judges, and,

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the State of Illinois in section 31, article 6, provides that, "The judges of the several circuit courts shall report to the next General Assembly the number of days they have held court in the several counties composing their respective circuits the preceding two years;" and,

WHEREAS, The said circuit judges with few exceptions have neglected and wholly failed to make such report in accordance with such provision and that this Legislature may be sufficiently advised and informed in the premises and be enabled to act intelligently on this important subject proposing an additional expenditure by the State of from \$30,000.00 to \$120,000.00 per year in salaries, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be directed to request of every circuit judge in the State of Illinois an immediate compliance with the provisions of said section 31, chapter 6, of the State Constitution with reference to their reports to the General Assembly.

The question being on the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 19.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, February 18, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, February 23, 1909, at 11:50 o'clock, a. m.

Adopted February 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 19.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent Senate Joint Resolution No. 13.

WHEREAS, The number and character of serious accidents occurring in the best equipped mines in various states makes it evident that many years of research and educational work on the part of the general government will be necessary to enable the several states to meet by appropriate legislation the requirement that better protection shall be provided for its industrial workers; and,

WHEREAS, A bill is now pending in Congress providing for the creation of a National Bureau of Mines charged with the duty of conducting such technologic investigations as will increase safety and efficiency in mining; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That the Congress of the United States is hereby urgently requested to enact at the earliest day possible the pending bill creating a Bureau of Mines and that the Congressmen and Senators from Illinois be furnished with a copy of this joint resolution and urged to use their best endeavors to secure the passage of said bill at the present session of Congress.

Heretofore referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining, was recalled for consideration by the House and on motion of Mr. Terrill the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the resolution.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 11:25 o'clock a. m., Mr. McNichols moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock a. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the chair.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hope,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hull,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Bardill,	English,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Staymates,
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Myers,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Black,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Tippitt,
Blair,	Fahy,	King,	Parker,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Brady,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Forst,	Lane,	Price,	White,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lantz,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Link,	Robinson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Luke,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gray,	Lyon,	Scott,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	McConnell,		
Curran,	Hagan,	McMackin,		

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And there were 129 members of the House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,
Bailev,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Hurburgh,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Isley,	Olson,
Ball,	Dellenbeck,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Ettelsch,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Gardner,	Henson,	McCormick,	
Burton,	Gibson,	Holstlaw,	McElvain,	

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And there were 43 members of the Senate present.

And there were 172 members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk to call the roll of the House for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

- Mr. Naylor (present but not voting) with Mr. ApMadoc.
- Mr. Corcoran (present but not voting) with Mr. Reynolds.
- Mr. Troyer (present but not voting) with Mr. Ton.
- Mr. Hutzler (present but not voting) with Mr. Galligan.
- Mr. Durfee (present but not voting) with Mr. Mills.
- Mr. Logan (present but not voting) with Mr. Scott.
- Mr. Nelson (present but not voting) with Mr. Huston.
- Mr. McMackin (present but not voting) with Mr. McCullom.
- Mr. Fulton (present but not voting) with Mr. O'Toole.
- Mr. Broderick with Mr. Juul.
- Mr. Funk with Mr. Womack.
- Mr. Curtis with Mr. Jandus.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	37 votes
George Edmund Foss received	11 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	51 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Adkins,	Gray,	King,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Behrens,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Rigney,	Wright,
Brady,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,
Burgett,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Erby,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stevenson,	
Flagg,	Keck,	Perkins,	Welborn,	—37

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Butts,	Hagan,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Church,	Hull,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Fieldstack,				—11

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Chipherfield,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
				—15

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Gorman,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippitt,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Murrav.	Walsh,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Groves, W.	M.O'Brien,	Werdell.
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hilton,	O'Neil,	Wheelan.
Blair,	English,	Kannally,	Poulton,	White,
Bolin,	Espy,	Lantz,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Link,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Browne,	Fahy,	Luke,	Shaw,	
Burns,	Finley,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.	
Cermak,	Foster,	Morris,	Staymates,	
Clark,	Geshkewich,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,	—51

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	8 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailev,	Dellenbeck,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—8
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Manny,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,		

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the Thirty-fourth Joint Ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 164, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the

Forty-sixth General Assembly	65 votes
George Edmund Foss received	16 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	17 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	59 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:25 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Chipertfield at the hour of 12:30 o'clock p. m. moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, February 23, 1909, at 11:50 o'clock a. m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1909, 11:50 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Thursday, February 18, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Chipperfield the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Montelius, Browne, Wright and Mr. Speaker presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance, which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Farmers' Educational and Coöperative Union of America, of the State of Illinois, relative to the election of judges of the Supreme and circuit court, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

And also a communication in relation to the revision of the school laws which was referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Robinson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 164, a bill for "An Act to provide for limiting the time of holding sessions of the General Assembly of this State to 100 days or less at each session."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Wright introduced a bill, House Bill No. 165, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 24 and 25 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain at the expense of the county, a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Behrens, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 166, a bill for "An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, when appointed.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 167, a bill for "An Act in regard to the contest of wills."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker called up House Bill No. 8, heretofore referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and ordered that it be recalled from said Committee on Judiciary, and lie upon the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker called up House Bill No. 14, heretofore referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization, and re-referred it to the Committee on Roads and Bridges, when appointed.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon, directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.

Hay,	Hearn.	Islev.	Juul.
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And there were four members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Abbev.	Donahue,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Browne,	Flagg,	Montellius,	Wilson.	H. W. Mr. Speaker.
Chiperfield,	Jewell,	O'Toole,		

And there were 13 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 17 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Hay,	Juul,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Hearn.	Isley,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	8 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey, Flagg,	Jewell, Lewis,	Montelius, Robinson,	Wilson, H. W. Wright,	—8
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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Chipperfield—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Browne,	Donahue,	O'Toole,	—3
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-fifth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 17, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	10 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	5 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

At the hour of 12:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Behrens moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Jewell the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The Speaker laid before the House the report of the following Circuit Judges in pursuance to the provisions of Section 31 of Article 6 of the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

P. A. Pearce, Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Edgar Eldridge, Judge of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
W. C. Johns, Judge of the Sixth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
John A. Gray, Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
E. E. Newlin, Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
E. R. E. Kimbrough, Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
R. S. Farrand, Judge of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Frank D. Ramsay, Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
R. J. Grier, Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
James A. Creighton, Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Samuel L. Dwight, Judge of the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Albert Akers, Judge of the Eighth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Frank L. Hooper, Judge of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
B. R. Burroughs, Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Mazzini Slusser, Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Henry B. Willis, Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois.

The foregoing reports were ordered placed on file.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Board of Supervisors of Lake county, relative to the erection of a monument to the late Honorable Elijah M. Haines, which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions Messrs. Tippit, Adkins, Ireland, Welborn, Kerrick, Allison, Shephard, H. A.; Groves, J.; Myers, Flagg, Durfee, and Montelius presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon Mr. ApMadoc, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 168, a bill for "An Act to regulate the civil service of counties."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Civil Service, when appointed.

Mr. ApMadoc, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 169, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 97, 124 and 125 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27th, 1874 in force July 1st., 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 170, a bill for "An Act to prevent improper treatment of prisoners or persons suspected of crime, by police and other officers or persons, for the purpose of attempting to obtain confessions or admissions, and to provide a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 171, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 172, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled: 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 173, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 174, a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled: 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, enforced July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Glade introduced a bill, House Bill No. 175, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of the Second Infantry, Illinois National Guard, located in Chicago, Cook county, Illinois, and for the purchase of suitable ground upon which to erect said Armory and to provide for the sale of the present armory site and building, the proceeds of which sale to apply on the purchase of new site to be approved by the Governor and the Adjutant General."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Grace introduced a bill, House Bill No. 176, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. J. Groves introduced a bill, House Bill No. 177, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1st, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Holaday introduced a bill, House Bill No. 178, a bill for "An Act to create county text book commissions, in all counties having a population of less than 200,000, with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties and to regulate the price of such text books."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. King introduced a bill, House Bill No. 179, a bill for "An Act to amend sections three (3), six (6), seven (7) and seventeen (17) of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887; as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by Acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by emergency Acts approved May 15, 1903; as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Lane introduced a bill, House Bill No. 180, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of the Eighth Infantry, Illinois National Guard, located in Chicago, Cook county, Illinois, provided that there shall be deeded to the State suitable ground upon which to erect said armory, the site to be approved by the Governor and Adjutant General."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Price introduced a bill, House Bill No. 181, a bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, in the State of Illinois, having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 182, a bill for "An Act to provide for the cutting and destroying of brush, Canada thistles, sweet clover and other noxious growth in public highways."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization, when appointed.

Mr. Ton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 183, a bill for "An Act to abolish capital punishment in the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. G. H. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 184, a bill for "An Act entitled: 'An Act to amend section four (4) of an Act entitled: 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 185, a bill for "An Act concerning the dram shop licenses."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Second Reading, Senate Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of committee expenses of the 46th General Assembly."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Chipfield offered the following resolution and asked unanimous consent for its immediate consideration:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 11.

WHEREAS, There is reasonable grounds to believe that the State of Illinois, at the time of its organization as a State and since said time, became invested with valuable rights in lands along the lake shore of Lake Michigan, and in, along and upon other navigable bodies of water, rivers and lakes of the State of Illinois, which said rights it is claimed the State of Illinois holds in trust for the use of the People of this State, and

WHEREAS, There is reason to believe that such rights, in a large number of cases have been usurped by private individuals, corporations and companies, who now occupy part or parts of said lands, and who assert title in or claim thereto, and

WHEREAS, Said rights in and concerning said lands are of great value to the State of Illinois, and by reason of its increasing population are constantly becoming of more value to the people of this State, now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That a joint committee of ten be appointed, six to be named by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and four to be named by the President of the Senate, to make a careful and complete investigation of the rights of the State of Illinois, in lands, lying along, in and upon Lake Michigan, the rivers and lakes and other navigable bodies of water of this State and to report its conclusion to the next General Assembly of this State, and to the Governor of Illinois, as to the rights of the State, and its people in and to the same.

And for such purpose, the said committee is authorized to employ such assistance, (other than legal services), as may be necessary to carry out the provisions hereof.

The said committee and the members thereof shall be entitled to their actual expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions hereof. The Attorney General of Illinois is respectfully requested to furnish said committee with such legal assistance as may be required.

And be it further resolved, That the General Assembly proceed to make an appropriation of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for the purpose of carrying on such investigation.

Unanimous consent being granted Mr. Chipfield moved the adoption of the resolution.

And the question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 18.

WHEREAS, There is now pending in the Congress of the United States, House Bill No. 21,848, providing for an appropriation of \$50,000.00 for the work of the Lincoln Farm Association, and

WHEREAS, The entire country and particularly the State of Illinois and its citizens are desirous of honoring the memory of Abraham Lincoln, and

WHEREAS, No more fitting memorial could be preserved than his birth-place; be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That we urge the members of Congress from Illinois to use all diligence in procuring the passage of House Bill No. 21,848; and be it

Resolved further, That the Secretary of State be, and he hereby is instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to each of the members of Congress from Illinois.

Adopted February 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 42.

An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the establishment of an insurance department and the appointment of an insurance superintendent," approved June 20, 1893; in force July 1, 1893.

SENATE BILL No. 53.

An Act in relation to consolidation and reinsurance by life insurance companies.

Passed by the Senate February 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills Nos. 42 and 53 were taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

At the hour of 10:50 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Kleeman moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	Mannv.
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Isley,	Olson,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Potter,
Ball,	Eellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Rainey,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Schmitt,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Stewart,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Tossey,
Broderick,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	Womack,
Brown,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McElvain,	
Burton,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McKenzie.	

And there were 48 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as the presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Donahue,	Huston,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murray,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Espy,	Keck,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	King,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Black,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Tippitt,
Brady,	Forst,	Lane,	Parker,	Ton,
Browne,	Foster,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Glade,	Liggett,	Price,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Logan,	Reynolds,	White,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Luke,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Macleam,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Robinson,	Wright,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Daley,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Dillon,	Hruby,	McNichols,		Present—133.

And there were 133 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 181 members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each mem-

ber, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Logan (present but not voting) with Mr. Scott.
 Mr. Durfee (present but not voting) with Mr. Hull.
 Mr. Hamilton (present but not voting) with Mr. Behrens.
 Mr. Dudgeon (present but not voting) with Mr. Brownback.
 Mr. Reynolds (present but not voting) with Mr. Corcoran.
 Mr. Troyer (present but not voting) with Mr. Kowalski.
 Mr. Montelius (present but not voting) with Mr. English.
 Mr. Hollenbeck (present but not voting) with Mr. Briscoe.
 Mr. Bolin (present but not voting) with Mr. York.
 Mr. Kannally (present but not voting) with Mr. Gray.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes
A. J. Sabbath received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are, Messrs:

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Deilenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Conlan,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are, Messrs:

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are, Messrs:

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are, Messrs:

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			

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Those voting for A. J. Sabbath are, Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	36 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	32 votes
Henry Duggan received	19 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are, Messrs:

Abbey,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Hutzler,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Ireland,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Jewell,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Erby,	Keck,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Wright,
Flagg,	Kerrick,	McMackin,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Fulton,				

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are, Messrs:

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Mills,	Price,	Ton,
Butts,	Hagan,	Pierson,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Maclean,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are, Messrs:

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are, Messrs:

Beck,	Crawford,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan.
Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
				—15

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Espy,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Finley,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Shephard, H. A.
Blair,	Foster,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Tippitt,
Briscoe,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, Wm.	Richardson,	White,
Daley,	Hruby,	Myers,	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Donahue,	Huston,			—32

Those voting for Henry Duggan are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Gorman,	Morris,	Walsh,
Allison,	Fahy,	Griffin,	Murray,	Werdell,
Browne,	Forst,	Hilton,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Sullivan,	—19

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-sixth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 169 of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-Sixth General Assembly of	64 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	17 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	44 votes
A. J. Sabbath received	1 vote
Henry Duggan received	19 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 139.

A bill for an Act to amend the title and also sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of an Act entitled, "An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums." Approved March 7, 1908, and in force July 1, 1908.

Passed by the Senate February 24th, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent the foregoing Senate Bill No. 139 was taken up, read at large a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

At the hour of 12:45 o'clock, p. m., Mr. McNichols moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when on motion of Mr. DeWolf the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The Speaker laid before the House the report of the following circuit judges, in pursuance to the provisions of section 31 of article 6 of the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

J. R. Creighton, Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
James W. Craig, Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Robert B. Shirley, Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
James S. Baume, Judge of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Arthur H. Frost, Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Leslie D. Puterbaugh, Judge of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
R. D. W. Holder, Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Charles T. Moore, Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
S. C. Stough, Judge of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Duane J. Carnes, Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
N. E. Worthington, Judge of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois.

The foregoing reports were placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions Mr. Blair presented a petition relating to fraternal insurance, which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 186, a bill for "An Act entitled, an Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the disconnection of territory from cities and villages, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved and in force May 10, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 187, a bill for "An Act to establish a surgical institution for children, and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 188, a bill for "An Act to amend section 23 of 'An Act in relation to courts of record in cities,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries, when appointed.

Mr. Dillon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 189, a bill for "An Act

making an appropriation for the Illinois Grant Home Association."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Durfee introduced a bill, House Bill No. 190, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Forst introduced a bill, House Bill No. 191, a bill for "An Act to require certain dangerous employments in intra-state commerce to pay prompt compensation to their employes in respect of injuries or death, to change the common law in respect of master and servant and to enforce the provisions of this Act by the creation of a Commission of Compensation Awards."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 192, a bill for "An Act in relation to the payment of certain debts by prostitutes; prohibiting the payment of certain debts by labor of prostitutes, and providing for the punishment for the violation of its provisions."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 193, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to pandering, to define and prohibit the same, to provide for the punishment thereof, for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor and providing what shall be a defense.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Murray introduced a bill, House Bill No. 194, a bill for "An Act to make the findings of juries final in suits at common law."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 195, a bill for "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate and county courts, so as to include the complete administration of testate estates."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 196, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 197, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 198, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture, to be used in the construction of permanent buildings and improvements, and for beautifying the State fair grounds at Springfield, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 11.

A bill for An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record," approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 91.

An Act to prohibit the killing, interfering with or injuring carrier pigeons and to provide punishment for the violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 94.

An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the fees of certain officers therein named in counties of the third class, to-wit: sheriff, recorder and county clerk," approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

Passed by the Senate February 24, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills Nos. 11, 91 and 94, were taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 20.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, February 25, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 2, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Adopted February 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 20,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 11.

WHEREAS, There is reasonable grounds to believe that the State of Illinois, at the time of its organization as a State and since said time, became invested with valuable rights in lands along the lake shore of Lake Michigan, and in, along and upon other navigable bodies of water, rivers and lakes of the State of Illinois, which said rights it is claimed the State of Illinois holds in trust for the use of the people of this State, and

WHEREAS, There is reason to believe that such rights, in a large number of cases have been usurped by private individuals, corporations and companies, who now occupy part or parts of said lands, and who assert title in or claim thereto, and

WHEREAS, Said rights in and concerning said lands are of great value to the State of Illinois, and by reason of its increasing population are constantly becoming of more value to the people of this State, now therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That a joint committee of ten be appointed, six to be named by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and four to be named by the President of the Senate, to make a careful and complete investigation of the rights of the State of Illinois, in lands lying along, in and upon Lake Michigan, the rivers and lakes and other navigable bodies of water of this State and to report its conclusion to the next General Assembly of this State, and to the Governor of Illinois, as to the rights of the State and its people in and to the same.

And for such purpose, the said committee is authorized to employ such assistance, (other than legal services), as may be necessary to carry out the provisions hereof.

The said committee and the members hereof shall be entitled to their actual expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions hereof. The Attorney General of Illinois is respectfully requested to furnish said committee with such legal assistance as may be required.

And be it further resolved, That the General Assembly proceed to make an appropriation of ten thousand dollars, (\$10,000) for the purpose of carrying on such investigation.

Concurred in February 24, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 37, being a bill for "An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 165, being a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties, approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain, at the expense of the county, a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 50, being a bill for "An Act to amend section three (3) of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fences,' approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 139 in the House, being a bill for "An Act to amend the title and also sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums,' approved March 7, 1908, and in force July 1, 1908."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. O'Toole called up Senate Bill No. 139, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 139, a bill for "An Act to amend the title and also sections No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums,' approved March 7, 1908, and in force July 1, 1908."

Was taken up and read a second time.

Whereupon the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendments and moved their adoption.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend title to Senate Bill No. 139 by striking out all after the word "bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "for an act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums, approved March 7, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out all of bill after enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That sections 1 and 2 of "An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums," approved March 7, 1908, and in force July 1, 1908, be amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. That the city council of cities and boards of trustees in villages of this State shall have the power, in the manner hereinafter provided, to establish and maintain a public sanitarium for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of such city or village for the treatment and care of per-

sons afflicted with tuberculosis and to levy a tax not to exceed one mill on the dollar annually on all taxable property of such city or village, such tax to be levied and collected in like manner with the general taxes of said city and to be known as the "tuberculosis sanitarium fund," which said tax shall be in addition to all other taxes which such city or village is now or hereafter may be authorized to levy.

Sec. 2. When one hundred legal voters of any such city or village shall present a petition to the city council or board of trustees of such city or village, as the case may be, asking that an annual tax may be levied for the establishment and maintenance of a public tuberculosis sanitarium in such city or village, such city council or board of trustees, as the case may be, shall instruct the city or village clerk to, and such city or village clerk shall, in the next legal notice of the regular annual election in such city or village, give notice that at such election every elector may vote "For the levy of a tax for a public tuberculosis sanitarium," or "Against" the levy of a tax for a public tuberculosis sanitarium, and if the majority of all the votes cast upon the proposition is, that such city or village shall be "for a public tuberculosis sanitarium," the city council or board of trustees of such city or village shall thereafter annually levy a tax of not to exceed one mill on the dollar, which tax shall be collected in like manner with other general taxes in such city or village and shall be known as the "tuberculosis sanitarium fund," and thereafter the city council or board of trustees, as the case may be, of such city or village shall include and appropriate from such fund in the annual appropriation bill such sum or sums of money as may be deemed necessary to defray all necessary expenses and liabilities of such tuberculosis sanitarium.

Sec. 3. WHEREAS, An emergency exists, therefore, this Act shall be in force and effect from and after its passage.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments the foregoing amendments were ordered printed and engrossed and the bill to a third reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of committee expenses of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

Was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday.	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hutzler.	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Kannally,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erby,	Keck,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Black,	Etherton,	King,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Tippitt,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Browne,	Forst,	Lane,	Pervier,	Weiborn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Price,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Richardson,	White,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Grace,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Luke,	Riley,	Wright,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Macleam,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Hilton,	McMackin.	Shanahan,	Yeas—104

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid; and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

JOINT RESOLUTION No. 21.

WHEREAS, On February 11, 1909, by House Joint Resolution Number 7, a committee of the House and Senate was appointed to inquire into the matter of the election contest of Adlai E. Stevenson against Charles S. Deneen, and report their action and recommendations to the House and Senate respectively, on the 2nd day of March, 1909, and,

WHEREAS, Such committee upon a hearing upon the petition of said Adlai E. Stevenson, ruled that the contestant file a bill of particulars in said contest, with such committee for their examination and investigation, and,

WHEREAS, Said contestant was given by said committee ten days in which to file such bill of particulars, namely, until March 6th, 1909, and,

WHEREAS, Such committee has granted such time for the filing of such bill of particulars, now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That said committee be granted until Wednesday, March 17th, 1909, on which day the said committee shall make its report of its findings and recommendations to the House of Representatives and Senate, respectively.

Adopted February 25th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. King moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 21,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Isley,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Dalley,	Hall,	Jandus,	Manny,
Baker,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Olson,
Ball,	Downing,	Pay,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Rainey,
Ereidt,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,	Womack,
Clark,	Glackin,			

And there were 47 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murray,	Solitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	Myers,	Stearns.
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	King,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Tippitt,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Walsh,
Browne,	Forst,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wheelan.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	White,
Cermak,	Glade,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Grace,	Luke,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Macleam,	Riley,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Holaday,			

And there were 127 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 174 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Hamilton (present but not voting) with Mr. Hollenbeck.
 Mr. Durfee (present but not voting) with Mr. Hull.
 Mr. Reynolds (present but not voting) with Mr. Corcoran.
 Mr. Logan (present but not voting) with Mr. Scott.
 Mr. Montelius (present but not voting) with Mr. English.
 Mr. Kannally (present but not voting) with Mr. Gray.
 Mr. McGuire (present but not voting) with Mr. Liggett.
 Mr. Zinger (present but not voting) with Mr. Foster.
 Mr. McMackin (present but not voting) with Mr. ApMadoc.
 Mr. Link (present but not voting) with Mr. Bardill.
 Mr. Pemberton (present but not voting) with Mr. Broderick.
 Mr. Hearn (present but not voting) with Mr. Schmitt.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	26 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	11 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Funk,	Helm,	Lundberg,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Baker,	Downing,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Hay,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,				—26

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey,
Gibson,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Womack,
Glackin,				—11

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	35 votes
George Edmund Foss received	9 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	15 votes
W. B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	49 votes
George Alschuler received	1 vote
James J. Callahan received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Nelson,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Lawrence,	Rigne,	Wilson, H. W.
Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
				—35

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Butts,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hagan,	Pierson,	Stearns,	—9

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Crawford,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
				—15

Those voting for W. B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Griffin,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Murray,	Sullivan.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Myers,	Tippitt,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Blair,	Espy,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wheelan.
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Luke,	O'Toole,	White,
Browne,	Finley,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Forst,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin.	Riley,	—49

Those voting for George Alschuler are: Mr. Gorman—1.

Those voting for James J. Callahan are: Mr. Murphy, Wm.—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-seventh joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 161 of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-Sixth General Assembly of	61 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	17 votes
W. B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	60 votes
George Alschuler received	1 vote
James J. Callahan received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Murray offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

WHEREAS, The supply of fish in the small lakes of our State, is diminished to such an alarming extent that in a short time the recreation afforded to persons by this sport will become extinct.

Therefore, be it resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That in order to better enable the people occupying lands about the small lakes in our State, to obtain an adequate supply of fish for the use of the inhabitants thereof and for public purposes and recreation, permission and authority are hereby given to the State Board of Fish Commissioners to supply and distribute to any lake in this State on the application of any ten householders or adjoining said lake, such live fish for breeding purposes as is within his power, for the uses and purposes aforesaid.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

At the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Cliffe moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 2, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Thursday, February 25, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. DeWolf, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 96.

A bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote February 25, 1909.

SENATE BILL No. 9.

A bill for "An Act to amend section seventeen (17) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to promissory notes, bonds, due bills and other instruments in writing,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

SENATE BILL No. 10.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,' approved May 23, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

SENATE BILL No. 40.

A bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to declare unlawful the filing for record of certain deeds or conveyances of real estate where the same has been sold for taxes and no deed has been taken out within one year after the time for redemption expires, to make such filing for record a misdemeanor and to provide a penalty for such illegal filing for record.'"

SENATE BILL No. 176.

A bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the County of Cook, into judicial circuits,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed by the Senate February 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills Nos. 96, 9, 10, 40 and 176, were taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Terrill, J. Groves, Montelius, Price, Adkins, Logan, Kirk-

patrick, Perkins, DeWolf, English and Lantz presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance, which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. H. W. Wilson presented a petition from the property holders on Morton avenue, between Main and Diamond streets in Jacksonville, Illinois, relative to the paving of Morton avenue in said city, which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 199, a bill for "An Act to amend sections three (3), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry,' approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions, when appointed.

Mr. Dillon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 200, a bill for "An Act to amend the law in relation to marriage licenses."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 201, a bill for "An Act to provide when recorded instruments shall cease to be notice of lien to purchasers for value."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kleeman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 202, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of article 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved May 21, 1889, and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, and in force July 1, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. Lewis introduced a bill, House Bill No. 203, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Wm. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 204, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person, of his wife, or of his or her minor children, in destitute or necessitous circumstances,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 205, a bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes, and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. H. A. Shephard introduced a bill, House Bill No. 206, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Tippet introduced a bill, House Bill No. 207, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to book making and pool selling.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 208, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the commission on uniform State laws."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Speaker laid before the House the reports of the following circuit judges in pursuance to the provisions of section 31 of article VI of the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

Guy R. Williams, Judge of the Eighth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
M. W. Thompson, Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
A. W. Lewis, Judge of First Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Harry Higbee, Judge of the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
Charles H. Donnelly, Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
John A. Gray, Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
R. J. Grier, Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;
James A. Creighton, Judge of the Seventh Judicial of Illinois;
Richard S. Tuthill, Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois;
Owen P. Thompson, Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Illinois.

The foregoing reports were ordered placed on file.

Mr. Adkins moved that a committee of three members be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon Judge Shirley and request him to administer the oath of office to Honorable Joseph Carter, a member-elect of this House,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Speaker appointed as such committee, Messrs. Adkins, Riley and Durfee.

Mr. Adkins from the committee heretofore appointed to wait upon Judge Shirley and request him to administer the oath of office to Honorable Joseph Carter, announced that Judge Robert B. Shirley, judge of the seventh judicial circuit of Illinois, was present and ready to perform that duty.

Whereupon, the oath was administered by Judge Shirley to the Honorable Joseph Carter, a member-elect of this House.

The Speaker directed the Clerk of the House to place the name of Honorable Joseph Carter on the roll of the House.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on first reading.

House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 165, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 24 and 25 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain, at the expense of the county, a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 50, a bill for "An Act to amend section three (3) of an Act to revise the law in relation to fences, approved April 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

At the hour of 10:35 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.
Glackin, Hamilton, Hay, Potter, Present—4

And there were four members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names :

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hciaday.	Montelius.	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Smejkal,
Blair,	English,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Staymates,
Bolin,	Espy,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Terrill,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Curtis,	Flagg,	Lantz,	Price,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Forst,	Lewis,	Richardson,	White,
Chiperfield,	Fulton,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Corcoran,	Gray,	Luke,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Crawford,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Wright,
Daley,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.			

And there were 77 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 81 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Pending roll call Mr. Poulton asked and obtained unanimous consent to be recorded as present but not voting and paired with Senator Clark.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Hamilton,	Hay,	Potter,	—3
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Glackin—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	25 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	4 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lafayette Funk received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	37 votes
Thomas G. McElligott received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Robinson,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Scanlan,
Carter,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Shepherd, F. W.
Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Durfee,	Hope,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
				—25

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker,
				—5

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson, Kleeman,

—2

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Chiperfield, Crawford, Shanahan, Smejkal,

—4

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Mr. Terrill—1.

Those voting for LaFayette Funk are: Mr. Wright—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Forst,	Lantz,	Riley,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Galligan,	Luke,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Staymates,
Blair,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	Murphy, Wm.	Tippitt,
Bolin,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Espy,	Hruby,	O'Brien,	Wheeler,
Cermak,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Richardson.	White.
Corcoran,	Finley,			

—37

Those voting for Thomas G. McElligott are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-eighth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast.....81

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the

Forty-Sixth General Assembly of.....28 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 5 votes

William E. Mason received..... 2 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 4 votes

William B. McKinley received..... 1 vote

Lawrence Y. Sherman received..... 1 vote

Lafayette Funk received..... 1 vote

Lawrence B. Stringer received.....38 votes

Thomas G. McElligott received..... 1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, a rule of the House was entered extending the time for the Introduction of Bills from March 3d, as provided by the temporary rules of the House, to April 3d, 1909.

At the hour of 12:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Terrill, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Terrill, Jewell, Ireland, Kerrick, Rigney, Link, Fahy, Pervier, Flagg and Mr. Speaker presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Ireland presented a petition from the voters of Reading township, Livingston county, relative to hunting on public highways, which was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker presented a petition from the Illinois State Branch of the National German-American Alliance relative to Senate Bill No. 139, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Speaker laid before the House the report of the following circuit judges in pursuance to the provisions of section 31 of article 6, of the Constitution of this State, to wit:

Truman E. Ames, Judge of the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Illinois;

William N. Butler, Judge of the First Judicial Circuit of Illinois;

Owen P. Thompson, Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Illinois.

The foregoing reports were ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Abrahams introduced a bill, House Bill No. 209, a bill for "An Act to amend sections fifty-seven (57) and fifty-eight (58) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, in force as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts, when appointed.

Mr. Behrens introduced a bill, House Bill No. 210, a bill for "An Act imposing new and additional duties upon the State Water Survey, and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 211, a bill for "An Act relating to contracts between employer and employé."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 212, a bill for "An Act providing for security from persons entrusted with money of fraternal benefit societies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fraternal Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 213, a bill for "An Act to amend section 41 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 214, a bill for "An Act to amend section two (2) of 'An Act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 18, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License, when appointed.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 215, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of sanitary districts, and the election of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 216, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 217, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the relief of Edward A. Laxton, injured by an accident at the Southern Illinois Penitentiary, resulting in an injury to him, while in the performance of his duties, under the direction of an officer of the institution."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Claims, when appointed.

Mr. Jewell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 218, a bill for "An Act to amend section 20 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and the repeal of a certain Act therein named, approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Jewell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 219, a bill for "An Act to repeal sections 22 and 26 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the as-

assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved Feb. 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue, when appointed.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 220, a bill for "An Act to increase the compensation of town supervisors and assistant supervisors."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries, when appointed.

Mr. Maclean introduced a bill, House Bill No. 221, a bill for "An Act in relation to the office of treasurer in villages and incorporated towns."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Maclean introduced a bill, House Bill No. 222, a bill for "An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Maclean introduced a bill, House Bill No. 223, a bill for "An Act to amend section 40 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State, with reference thereto, approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries, when appointed.

Mr. Wm. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 224, a bill for "An Act to prohibit overcharges on messages sent or delivered by telegraph companies, and declaring same a misdemeanor and fixing the penalties therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Murray introduced a bill, House Bill No. 225, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation of forest preserve districts,' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 226, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of the Illinois Naval Reserve located in the city of Chicago, Cook county, Illinois; *provided*, that there shall be deeded to the State suitable grounds upon which to erect said armory, the site to be approved by the Governor and Adjutant General."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Shaw introduced a bill, House Bill No. 227, a bill for "An Act to amend sections five (5), nine (9), thirteen (13), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), seventeen and one-half (17½), eighteen (18) twenty-six and one-half (26½), thirty-seven (37), forty-two (42), fifty-five (55), and fifty-nine (59), and to repeal sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), and twenty-two (22), and to add two new sections to be known as sections seventeen a (17a) and seventeen b (17b), to an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise and amend an Act, and certain sections thereof, entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation' and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by certain acts herein entitled, and to repeal certain laws therein named,' approved June 30, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved and in force, May 20, 1907.

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage, when appointed.

Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 228, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery, approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, House Bill No. 229, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to defray certain expenditures made by members of the Illinois House of Representatives, in the Forty-fifth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, in the expenses of and attendance upon the funerals of Honorable Richard Powers and Honorable Paul Finnan, deceased members of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred House Bill No. 33, being a bill for "An Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 116, being a bill for "An Act in relation to criminal conspiracy."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on second reading,

House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 37 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 37 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Any person who is a member and officer of any fraternal beneficiary society, corporation or association or subordinate lodge thereof and as such member is a beneficial owner of any part of any funds or property of any such beneficiary society, corporation, association or subordinate lodge thereof who shall embezzle or fraudulently convert to his own use or take and secrete with intent so to do, without the consent of the beneficiary, society, corporation, association or subordinate lodge thereof as the case may be, any funds or property of such beneficiary society, corporation, association or subordinate lodge thereof which has come to his possession or is under his care by virtue of such office shall be deemed guilty of larceny the same as if he had not been or was not a member of such fraternal beneficiary society, corporation, association or subordinate lodge thereof or one of the beneficial owners of such funds or property; and it shall be sufficient in any indictment for embezzlement of funds or property of any beneficiary, society, corporation, association or subordinate lodge thereof to allege the title to such funds or property to be in the supreme lodge, grand lodge or subordinate lodge thereof by the name by which the same is commonly known and it shall not be a defense under such indictment that any officer has a personal interest in the funds or property.

SEC. 2. Whereas an emergency exists, therefore this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and its approval by the Governor.

Pending discussion Mr. Hruby moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 37 and the amendment be postponed until Wednesday, March 10, 1909,

And the motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 165, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 24 and 25 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain at the expense of the county, a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon, Mr. Allison offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 165 by striking out in line 50 of the printed bill the word "cure" and insert in lieu thereof the word "treatment."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Durfee offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 165 by striking out in line 18, page 2, of the printed bill, the word "cure" and insert in lieu thereof the word "treatment."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed; and the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 50, a bill for "An Act to amend section three (3) of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fences,' approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 50 in line 7 of printed bill by inserting the word "and" before the word "hog" and striking out in line 7 of said printed bill "or other domestic animals," and in line 6 of the printed bill insert the words, "the same" after the word "keep."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed; and the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Burgett offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved by the House of Representatives in the Forty-Sixth General Assembly, That the Chairman of the Committee on Contingent Expenses is hereby authorized to purchase uniforms for the pages of the House and that the said chairman sees to it that the boys wear them on each and every day the House is in session and that a no greater price shall be paid than ten dollars (\$10.00) per uniform. That said bill shall be turned in as contingent expense of the House and the State Auditor shall issue a warrant therefor, when the bill is presented with the approval of the Chairman of the Committee on Contingent Expenses and the Speaker of the House.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Contingent Expenses.

At the hour of 10:55 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs. Gorman, Hamilton, Hay, Potter, —4

There were four members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Burgett,	Groves, W. M.	Kerrick,	Lyon,	Maclean,	—8
English,	Jewell,	Kirkpatrick,			

And there were eight members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were twelve members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	1 vote
Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.	
Hamilton,	Hay,
Potter,	—3

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Gorman—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	5 votes
George Edmund Foss received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	2 votes
Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.	
Burgett,	Jewell,
Kerrick,	Kirkpatrick,
Lyon,	—5

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Maclean—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

English,	Groves, W. M.	—2
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the thirty-ninth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 12, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-Sixth General Assembly	8 votes
George Edmund Foss received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	3 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next Legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

Mr. King offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, By reason of the promulgation of an unappealable infinite decree, the Honorable Simeon B. Davis, rests today in his last sleep at Galesburg, Illinois, and,

WHEREAS, The said Simeon B. Davis was an honored and respected member of this House, having served his people with distinction in the 32nd and 33rd General Assemblies, and,

WHEREAS, In the departing of Mr. Davis to obey such Divine decree, his city and State have sacrificed an upright and patriotic citizen, his family a kind and affectionate father and husband and his associates a friend; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, in regular session assembled, That we deeply deplore the death of Mr. Davis and as a mark of respect to his memory, this House do now adjourn, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of this House and an engrossed copy be forwarded to the family of the deceased.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and in accordance therewith at the hour of 12:20 o'clock, p. m., this House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Perkins, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Browne introduced a bill, House Bill No. 230, a bill for "An Act to prevent fire insurance companies entering into or maintaining pools, trusts, conspiracies or agreements to control rates of insurance."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 231, a bill for "An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a house of correction employes fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

Mr. Fahy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 232, a bill for "An Act to regulate the pursuit of the business, art and avocation of a barber, and to insure the better qualifications of persons following such business in the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, when appointed.

Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 233, a bill for "An Act to amend section 44 of 'An Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by acts approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by acts approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining, when appointed.

Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 234, a bill for "An Act to limit the meaning of the word 'conspiracy' and also the use of 'restraining orders' and 'injunctions' based upon charges of 'conspiracy' as applied to disputes between employers and employé in the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 235, a bill for "An Act amending sections 6 and 7a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the punishment of persons, co-partnerships or corporations forming pools, trusts and combines and mode of procedure and rules of evidence in such cases,' approved June 11, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an Act approved June 20, 1893; in force July 1, 1893."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. King introduced a bill, House Bill No. 236, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' as amended by Act approved December 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1908."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 237, a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 238, a bill for "An Act to amend article VI of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as heretofore amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 239, a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, sub-normal, convalescent and incipient invalid children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

Mr. Speaker, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 240, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article VIII, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education, when appointed.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading.

House Bill No. 33, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats,' approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 116, a bill for "An Act in relation to criminal conspiracy,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 11, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record, approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof.'"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, when appointed.

Senate Bill No. 42, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the establishment of an insurance department, and the appointment of an insurance superintendent,' approved June 20, 1893, in force July 1, 1893."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

Senate Bill No. 53, a bill for "An Act in relation to consolidation and reinsurance by life insurance companies."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance, when appointed.

Senate Bill No. 91, a bill for "An Act to prohibit killing, interfering with, or injuring carrier pigeons, and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 94, a bill for "An Act to amend section three of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the fees of certain officers therein named in counties of the third class, to-wit: Sheriff, recorder and county clerk,' approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and on motion of Mr. Smejkal, was ordered to a second reading without reference.

Senate Bill No. 9, a bill for "An Act to amend section seventeen (17) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to promissory notes, bonds, due-bills and other instruments in writing,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, when appointed.

Senate Bill No. 10, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,' approved May 23, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization, when appointed.

Senate Bill No. 40, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to declare unlawful the filing for record of certain deeds or conveyances of real estate where the same has been sold for taxes and no deed has been taken out within one year after the time for redemption expires, to make such filing for record a misdemeanor and to provide a penalty for such illegal filing for record.'"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 176, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Apportionment.

At the hour of 10:50 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.
Hay, Hamilton, —2

And there were two members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.
Luke, Shanahan, Smejkal, Mr. Speaker.

And there were four members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were six members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, viva voce, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received 2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Hamilton, Hay, —2

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

George Edmund Foss received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	1 vote

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Smejkal—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Luke—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fortieth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 5, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-Sixth General Assembly	2 votes
George Edmund Foss received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now arise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The Speaker laid before the House the appointment of the following standing committees, to-wit:

Agriculture—Black, Chairman; Dudgeon, Adkins, Robinson, Grace, Keck, Kerrick, Jewell, Pervier, Wright, Bardill, Rigney, Gray, Carter, Foster, Staymates, Corcoran, Luke, Richardson, Groves, J., Hilton, Espy, Briscoe, Ether-ton, Finley.

Banks and Banking—Pierson, Chairman; Ireland, Montelius, Robinson, Stevenson, Ton, Hollenbeck, Behrens, Abbey, Butts, Richter, Shepherd, F. W., Bardill, Gray, Bolin, DeWolf, McLaughlin, Murray, Myers, Shaw, Huston, Shephard, H. A., McConnell, Daley.

Building, Loan and Homestead Associations—Hruby, Chairman; Lane, ApMadoc, Schumacher, Durfee, Smejkal, Kleeman, Beck, Nelson, Price, Hagan, Stearns, Scanlan, Forst, McGuire, Cermak, Scott, Murphy, E. J., Blair, O'Brien, Shaw, Shephard, H. A., Etherton.

Canal, River Improvements and Commerce—"Deep Waterway"—Smejkal, Chairman; Shanahan, Church, Gillespie, Kittleman, Lewis, Flannigen, Parker, Maclean, Black, Chipfield, Erby, Hamilton, Cliffe, Riley, Werdeil, Browne (resigned), Abrahams, Wilson, R. E., Cermak, McGuire, Luke, Kannally, Wheelan, O'Toole, McConnell.

Chicago Charter—Kittleman, Chairman; Erickson, ApMadoc, Troyer, Sol-litt, Pierson, Kleeman, Chipfield, Church, Behrens, Price, Smejkal, Hollenbeck, Glade, Reynolds, Mills, Butts, Hagan, Lederer, Richter, Shanahan,

Lane, Hull, Alschuler, Cermak, Wilson, R. E., Hruby, Geshkewich, Griffin, O'Toole, Werdell, Galligan, Browne, McConnell, Sullivan, O'Neil, Dillon, Walsh, Kannally.

Claims—Blair, Chairman; Kowalski, Beck, Stevenson, Abbey, Erickson, Flagg, Richter, Jewell, Luke, Staymates, Burns, Gorman, Bolin, Poulton, White.

Corporations—McLaughlin, Chairman; Troyer, Durfee, Kleeman, Abbey, Erby, Glade, Beck, Curran, Schumacher, Crawford, Zipf, Kowalski, Welborn, Hutzler, Wilson, Harry W., Terill, Lane, Nelson, Cliffe, Alschuler, Griffin, Link, Naylor, O'Brien, Shephard, H. A., Forst, Beckemeyer, Murphy, E. J., Allison, Tippit, Walsh, Burns, McConnell, Riley, O'Neil, Daley, Wheelan.

County and Township Organization—Keck, Chairman; Adkins, Montelius, Perkins, Terrill, Jewell, Gray, Lewis, Flagg, Logan, Bardill, Dillon, Huston, Fahy, Burns, Luke, Myers, White, Blair.

Drainage and Waterway—Parker, Chairman; Pierson, Kleeman, Smejkal, Dudgeon, Fulton, Flannigen, McNichols, Bush, ApMadoc, Jewell, Pervier, Butts, Crawford, Price, Allison, Griffin, Lantz, Sullivan, Walsh, Gorman, Browne, Poulton, McConnell, McLaughlin.

Education—Behrens, Chairman; York, Chipfield, Sollitt, Liggett, Stevenson, Robinson, Hutzler, Stearns, Maclean, Wright, Shepherd, F. W., Holaday, Carter, Allison, Etherton, Briscoe, Burns, Dillon, Foster, Galligan, Gorman, Hilton, Poulton, McGuire, Finley, Abrahams.

Elections—Flannigen, Chairman; McMackin, Robinson, King, Zinger, Lane, Welborn, Lederer, Cliffe, Hutzler, Brownback, Scanlan, Wilson, H. W., Clark, Galligan, DeWolf, Kannally, Scott, Wilson, R. E., Poulton, McGuire, Groves, Wm., Browne, Shephard, H. A., Griffin.

Enrolled and Engrossed Bills—Hope, Chairman; McNichols, Schumacher, Lyon, Walsh, Galligan, Abrahams.

Executive Department—Mills, Chairman; Lawrence, Hull, Fieldstack, Curran, Gray, Wilson, H. W., Flagg, Price, Scott, Shephard, H. A., O'Neil, Staymates, Richardson, Alschuler, Gorman, Naylor.

Farm Drainage—Hollenbeck, Chairman; Ireland, Cliffe, Wilson, G. H., Keck, Jewell, Wright, Carter, Bardill, Foster, Myers, Richardson, Link, Espy, Groves, J., Huston, Donahue.

Federal Relations—Ton, Chairman; Brady, Jewell, Kerrick, Hamilton, Kowalski, Adkins, Lyon, O'Brien, Galligan, Murphy, Wm., Scott, Wilson, R. E., O'Toole, Sullivan.

Fees and Salaries—ApMadoc, Chairman; Church, King, Reynolds, Sollitt, Hutzler, Brady, Sheperd, F. W., Rigney, Pervier, Fahy, Etherton, Gorman, Espy, Morris, Richardson, McGuire.

Finance—Sollitt, Chairman; Fulton, Kerrick, Holaday, Ton, Richter, Carter, Hagan, Burgett, Murphy, E. J., Espy, Murphy, Wm. J., Shaw, O'Neil, White.

Fish and Game—Foster, Chairman; Gillespie, Curran, Hamilton, Pierson, Chipfield, Grace, Robinson, Zinger, Pervier, Brownback, Wilson, G. H., Bardill, Burns, Beckemeyer, Tippit, Groves, J., Daley, Myers, Etherton, Cermak.

Fraternal and Mutual Insurance—Schumacher, Chairman; Reynolds, Rigney, Pervier, King, Terrill, Gray, Welborn, Brady, Link, Groves, Wm., White, Wheelan, Alschuler, Cermak.

Good Roads—McMackin, Chairman; Lawrence, Dudgeon, Grace, Kirkpatrick, Pervier, Abbey, Montelius, Carter, Wright, Perkins, Bardill, Flagg, Bolin, Burns, Staymates, Finley, Shaw, Espy, Fahy, Etherton, Alschuler, Link.

Horticulture—York, Chairman; Stevenson, Burgett, Keck, Kirkpatrick, Durfee, Logan, McMackin, Terrill, Welborn, Rigney, Bardill, Link, English, Staymates, Daley, Shephard, H. A., Wilson, Frank J., Richardson, Fahy, Beckemeyer.

Insurance—Kleeman, Chairman; York, Brownback, Zipf, Hutzler, Schumacher, Reynolds, ApMadoc, Troyer, Lane, Brady, Maclean, Holaday, Logan, Black, Alschuler, Wheelan, Fahy, McConnell, Morris, O'Toole, DeWolf, Bolin, Hilton, Myers, Murphy, E. J., Kannally, Poulton.

Joint Rules—Kowalski, Chairman; Hutzler, Beckemeyer, Wilson, Frank J. Judicial Department and Practice—Browne, Chairman; Reynolds, Lederer, King, Durfee, ApMadoc, Kleeman, Wilson, Geo. H., Cliffe, Troyer, Church, Chipfield, Hollenbeck, Stearns, Maclean, Pierson, Mills, Shepherd, F. W., Geshkewich, Blair, Luke, McCollum, Dillon, Hrubby, Murray, Tippit, Beckemeyer, Lantz, Bolin.

Labor and Industrial Affairs—Curran, Chairman; Hope, King, York, Stevenson, Terrill, Gray (resigned), Wilson, H. W., Kittleman, Erby, Robinson, DeWolf, O'Neil, Fahy, O'Toole, Morris, Groves, Wm., White.

Libraries—Lawrence, Chairman; Kerrick, Ton, Liggett, Campbell, Bush, Hope, Montelius, Fieldstack, Stevenson, Carter, Welborn, O'Brien, Finley, Geshkewich, Richardson, Morris, O'Neil, Daley, Naylor, Briscoe.

License—Werdell, Chairman, Zinger, Liggett, Kowalski, Church, Curran, Kittleman, Zipf, Glade, Ton, Richter, Lyon, Scanlan, Troyer, Kleeman, Allison, O'Toole, Cermak, Riley, Corcoran, Daley, Geshkewich, Groves, Wm., Browne.

Live Stock and Dairying—Tippit, Chairman; Gillespie, Dudgeon, Flannigen, Curran, Lawrence, Glade, Brownback, Schumacher, Black, Burgett, Stearns, Nelson, Alschuler, Lantz, Groves, J., Burns, Hilton, Murphy, E. J., Foster, Briscoe, Murphy, Wm., McLaughlin, Murray.

Manufactures—Glade, Chairman; McNichols, Lederer, Maclean, Stearns, Gillespie, Curran, Nelson, Abbey, Forst, Hrubby, Geshkewich, Lantz, Fahy, Galligan, Wilson, R. E., Kowalski.

Military Affairs—Erby, Chairman; Brady, Fulton, Kerrick, Butts, Hamilton, Holaday, Campbell, Cliffe, Chipfield, Kirkpatrick, Bolin, McConnell, Dillon, English, Allison, Daley, Wilson, R. E., Naylor.

Mines and Mining—Terrill, Chairman; Adkins, McMackin, Bush, Lewis, Lane, Kirkpatrick, Erickson, Hope, Black, Grace, Holaday, Richter, Zipf, Beckemeyer, Wilson, F. J., Gorman, Scott, Fahy, Riley, Link, Hrubby, McGuire, Morris, Clark.

Miscellaneous Subjects—Cermak, Chairman; Troyer, Glade, Erby, Hollenbeck, Hagan, Butts, Perkins, Burgett, Allison, Riley, Tippit, Werdell, Abrahams, Galligan, White.

Municipal Corporations—Erickson, Chairman; Behrens, York, Burgett, McMackin, McNichols, Kowalski, King, Nelson, Church, Fieldstack, Scanlan, Beck, Lane, Ton, Price, Brady, Smejkal, Flannigen, Hope, Clark, Gorman, Hilton, O'Brien, Bolin, Shaw, Sullivan, Werdell, Galligan, Hrubby, Wilson, F. J., Lantz, Wheelan, Blair.

Municipal Courts—Church, Chairman; ApMadoc, Smejkal, Lederer, Pierson, Mills, Maclean, Kleeman, Hull, Troyer, Geshkewich, Poulton, Griffin, Galligan, Hilton, Blair, Naylor.

Parks and Boulevards—Troyer, Chairman; Fieldstack, Erby, Price, Curran, Wilson, G. H., Beck, Hope, Hull, Nelson, Ton, Kowalski, Butts, Fulton, Forst, Poulton, Wilson, F. J., Murphy, E. J., Galligan, Naylor, Murphy, Wm., Walsh, Muray, O'Brien, Kannally.

Penal and Reformatory Institutions—Dudgeon, Chairman; Ireland, Campbell, Behrens, King, Schumacher, Scanlan, Parker, Kerrick, Chipfield, Wright, Hagan, Wilson, G. H., Wilson, H. W., DeWolf, Fahy, Morris, Groves, J., Allison, Groves, Wm., Riley, O'Toole, McCollum.

Primary Elections—McNichols, Chairman; Lane, Black, Dudgeon, Glade, Nelson, Cliffe, Erby, Brownback, Bush, Parker, McMackin, Crawford, Sollitt, Kowalski, Foster, Myers, Alschuler, Link, Wilson, R. E., Shaw, Huston, Kannally, Richardson, English.

Printing—Abbey, Chairman; Brady, Hagan, Liggett, Shepherd, F. W., Rigney, Perkins, Terrill, Murphy, Wm., O'Brien, Clark, Abrahams, Finley, Donahue, Hrubby.

Public Buildings and Grounds—Nelson, Chairman; Sollitt, Kowalski, Fulton, Beck, Wilson, H. W., Bardill, Logan, Flagg, Hull, Briscoe, Murphy, Wm., White, Daley, Espy, O'Neil.

Public Charities—Ireland, Chairman; Kittleman, Zinger, Grace, Sollitt, Beck, Lewis, Zipf, Gray, Lyon, DeWolf, Abrahams, Dillon, Murphy, E. J., Groves, Wm., Richardson, Etherton.

Railroads—Bush, Chairman; Flannigen, Ireland, McNichols, Jewell, Durfee, Fieldstack, Zinger, Hope, Gillespie, Liggett, Dudgeon, Lederer, Zipf, Crawford, Butts, Brownback, O'Brien, Corcoran, Sullivan, Walsh, Murray, Wilson, R. E., Luke, Espy, Wilson, Frank J., Kannally, Scott, McCollum.

Retrenchments—Wilson, R. E., Chairman; Kirkpatrick, Hull, Wilson, H. W., Welborn, Flagg, Montelius, Parker, Wright, Murphy, Wm., Forst, Sullivan, Groves, Wm., Espy, McCollum.

Revenue—Fieldstack, Chairman; McNichols, Lederer, Burgett, Erby, Cliffe, Maclean, Kittleman, Ireland, Erickson, Hope, McMackin, Hamilton, Richter, Keck, Campbell, Groves, J., Shaw, Sullivan, Werdell, Cermak, Clark, Abrahams, Huston, O'Neil, Wheelan, English, Richardson, Geshkewich.

Rights of Minority—Browne, Chairman; White, Naylor, Shaw, Wilson, R. E., Shephard, H. A., Clark, Foster, Walsh, Werdell, Corcoran, Abrahams, O'Brien, Wheelan, Finley, Espy, Donahue, Daley, Burns, Blair.

Roads and Bridges—Durfee, Chairman; Lawrence, Kerrick, Stevenson, Jewell, Campbell, Lewis, Keck, Rigney, Price, Wright, Perkins, Welborn, Flagg, Staymates, Briscoe, Groves, J., DeWolf, Clark, Foster, Beckemeyer, Scott, Riley, Finley, English.

Sanitary Affairs—English, Chairman; Gillespie, Kittleman, Erickson, Adkins, Mills, Erby, Gray, Parker, Lyon, Allison, Griffin, Murphy, Wm., Naylor, Gorman, Riley, McLaughlin.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and S. O. H.—Fulton, Chairman; Lawrence, Ireland, Carter, Montelius, Robinson, Zinger, Campbell, Wilson, G. H., Kirkpatrick, Bolin, Groves, J., McCollum, Kannally.

State and County Fairs—Zinger, Chairman; Black, Grace, Adkins, Wright, Robinson, Liggett, Lewis, Kirkpatrick, Wilson, H. W., Corcoran, Foster, Groves, J., Shephard, H. A., Scott, Finley, McCollum, Morris.

State and Municipal Civil Service Reform—Beck, Chairman; McNichols, Kowalski, Curran, Durfee, Smejkal, Black, Schumacher, Burgett, Erby, Bush, Glade, Hutzler, Crawford, Welborn, Huston, Lantz, McConnell, Hilton, Murray, Corcoran, White, Morris.

State and Municipal Indebtedness—Hilton, Chairman; Brady, Pierson, Nelson, Mills, Stearns, Butts, Bardill, Logan, Griffin, McGuire, Myers, Walsh, Donahue, Wheelan, Huston, Groves, Wm. M.

State Geological Survey—Hamilton, Chairman; ApMadoc, Ton, Kerrick, Carter, Perkins, Abbey, Wilson, G. H., York, Wilson, F. J., Lantz, McGuire, Shephard, H. A., Morris, White.

State Institutions—Poulton, Chairman; Hull, Zipf, Hagan, Lawrence, Rigney, Shepherd, F. W., Fieldstack, Pervier, Stevenson, Holaday, Lyon, Donahue, Wilson, F. J., Tippit, Hruby, Alschuler, Abrahams, Griffin, Hilton, Myers, Corcoran.

Statutory Revision—King, Chairman, Pierson, Reynolds, Mills, Perkins, Scanlan, Lyon, Logan, Crawford, Tippit, Donahue, McCollum, Dillon, Luke, Murray, Forst.

Visit Penal and Reformatory Institutions—Liggett, Chairman; Keck, Ireland, Grace, Richter, Hutzler, Clark, Griffin, White, Daley, McLaughlin.

Visit Charitable Institutions—Adkins, Chairman; Behrens, Rigney, Hagan, Welborn, Allison, Bolin, DeWolf, Groves, Wm., McCollum, Finley.

Visit Educational Institutions—Corcoran, Chairman; Sollitt, Robinson, King, Fulton, Abbey, Lawrence, Myers, Scott, Huston, McConnell.

Warehouses—Gillespie, Chairman. Schumacher, Erickson, Beck, Montelius, Hollenbeck, Bush, Keck, Parker, York, Brownback, Campbell, Hilton, Murray, White, Briscoe, Forst, Hruby, Finley, Tippit.

The Speaker asked and obtained unanimous consent to amend the rules of the House so as to add three additional members to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce and two members each to the Committees on Live Stock and Dairying and Judicial Department and Practice and one member to the Committee on State and County Fairs.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 22.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein,
That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, March 4, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 9, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Adopted March 3rd, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 22? it was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 9, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Duncan.

The Journal of Thursday, March 4th, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Lederer, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Hollenbeck, Adkins, Gorman, H. A. Shephard, J. Groves, Shaw and Flagg presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Hollenbeck presented a petition for the uniformity of school text books which was referred to the Committee on Education.

The Speaker laid before the House the report of the following circuit judges in pursuance to the provisions of section 31, article 6, of the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

Walter W. Duncan, judge of the first judicial circuit of Illinois;

T. M. Green, judge of the tenth judicial circuit of Illinois.

The foregoing reports were ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Alschuler introduced a bill, House Bill No. 241, a bill for "An Act requiring common carriers of freight to provide and maintain side tracks and connections for lateral branch railroad and shippers and receivers of freight."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Beck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 242, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to divorce,' approved March 10, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 243, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes, approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 244, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee heretofore authorized by joint resolution of the House and Senate of February 24, 1909, to be appointed to investigate the interests of the State of Illinois in certain public lands in said joint resolution referred to, and making an appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) therefor,"

And asked unanimous consent that it be read a first time and advanced to second reading without reference.

Unanimous consent being refused Mr. Chipfield moved to suspend the rules for that purpose,

And the question being, "Shall the rules be suspended for the purpose of reading House Bill No. 244 a first time?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 244 was taken up, and read at large a first time, ordered printed, and to a second reading without reference.

Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 245, a bill for "An Act to provide for the organization of drainage districts for the purpose of constructing, repairing and protecting drains, ditches and levees for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and providing means therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

Mr. Durfee introduced a bill, House Bill No. 246, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial districts,' approved April 27, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 247, a bill for "An Act to amend clause first of section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago, approved May 18, 1905,' approved June 3, 1907.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts.

Mr. Hamilton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 248, a bill for "An Act to authorize circuit courts to transfer to county courts appeals from justices of the peace."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Hollenbeck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 249, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 250, a bill for "An Act in regard to the removal and abatement of nuisances and the collection of the costs thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 251, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a State Board of Pardons and to regulate the manner of applying for pardons and commutations,' approved June 5, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and to enlarge the duties and compensations of said board."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 252, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole; and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 253, a bill for "An Act prohibiting the participating in and the exhibition of certain theatrical, dramatic and other forms of amusement on the first day of the week commonly called Sunday and fixing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. McNichols introduced a bill, House Bill No. 254, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, in favor of the widow."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 255, a bill for "An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Terrill introduced a bill, House Bill No. 256, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein, approved April 18, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Troyer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 257, a bill for "An Act to amend section 32 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectments,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. H. W. Wilson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 258, a bill for "An Act fixing the agency of officers of fraternal beneficiary societies and of grand and subordinate lodges thereof, and concerning the larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, their grand and subordinate lodges and members thereof, by officers thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Crawford, from the Committee on Judicial Apportionment, reported the following committee bill, House Bill No. 259, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 260, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading, House Bill No. 229, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to defray certain expenditures made by members of the Illinois House of Representatives, in the Forty-fifth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, in the expenses of and attendance upon the funerals of Honorable Richard Powers and Honorable Paul Finnan, deceased members of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.
Broderick, Hay, Hearn, Isley,

And there were four members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.
McNichols, Murray, Smejkal,

And there were three members of the House of Representatives present,

And there were seven members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick.	Hearn,	Isley,	—3
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

McNichols,	Smejkal,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Murray—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the forty-first joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 7, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	4 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a Representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings, at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Shanahan at the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m. moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable Mr. Bolin.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Robinson, J. Groves, Pierson, Etherton, Bardill, Huston and Carter presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Etherton presented a petition with reference to the passage of the bill to relieve the present condition upon the island of Kaskaskia in Randolph county.

Which was referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvement and Commerce.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Burns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 261, a bill for "An Act to abolish the office of county surveyor, and in its place, to establish that of county engineer with additional duties and powers as set forth in the following sections."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Burns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 262, a bill for "An Act to provide for drainage of land joining any State, county or township highway, or any thoroughfare used by the general public, where such drainage will benefit or lessen the maintenance expense of such highway or thoroughfare, according to the judgment of the State; county or township highway commissioners."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 263, a bill for "An Act to amend section 93 of division 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 264, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of article 7 of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, vil-

lages or incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, and as amended by an Act approved and in force April 1, 1897, and as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Church introduced a bill, House Bill No. 265, a bill for "An Act to define personal property brokers and regulate their charges and business."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Clark, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 266, a bill for "An Act relative to the practice of veterinary surgery."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 267, a bill for "An Act to provide for the reading of the Bible in the public schools of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 268, a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the product of the labor of their members."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Mr. E. J. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 269, a bill for "An Act defining and relating to the inspection, regulation and licensing of hotels, inns, and public lodging houses, prescribing rules and regulations for their operation so as to insure the safety, health and comfort of their guests through fire protection and sanitary measures; providing for the appointment of inspectors of hotels, prescribing their duties and qualifications and fixing their compensation, providing for the creation, raising and expenditure of a 'hotel inspection fund,' and prescribing penalties and fixing punishment for the violation of the provisions thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. Myers introduced a bill, House Bill No. 270, a bill for "An Act to amend section 66 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act entitled, an Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved May 9, 1901, in force May 9, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Pervier introduced a bill, House Bill No. 271, a bill for "An Act to regulate the public service of stallions in Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 272, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one and two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law

to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign fire insurance companies for the benefit of organized fire departments,' in force July 1, 1895, of which section 1 was amended by Act approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 273, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for scholarships in the University of Illinois,' approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Werdell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 274, a bill for "An Act to prevent the manufacture, use and sale of cigarettes in the State of Illinois, and punishment for same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Link introduced a bill, House Bill No. 275, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article XV of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

The following House and Senate Bills heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table were taken up, and referred to committees as follows:

House Bill No. 3 to the Committee on Good Roads.

House Bills No. 89, 191, 26, 211, 96 and 8 to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 93 to the Committee on Elections.

House Bills No. 86 and 140 to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

House Bill No. 91 to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

House Bills No. 122 and 235 to the Committee on Judiciary.

House Bill No. 155 to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 40 to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 91 to the Committee on Fish and Game.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 205, being a bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes, and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 254, being a bill for "An Act making an ap-

propriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, in favor of the widow."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 90, being a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers, approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 154, being a bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under and by virtue of 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 109.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 110.

A bill for an Act to make appropriations to provide for the current expenses of the Supreme Court, and for the care of the Temple of Justice building and grounds.

HOUSE BILL No. 165.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 24 and 25 of an Act entitled "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain, at the expense of the county, a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis.

The foregoing House Bills Nos. 109, 110 and 165 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Church, by request, offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 13.

WHEREAS, The subject of adequate building laws is a matter of great importance to the people of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The laws now on the statute books of this State are wholly inadequate properly to safeguard the interests of the public in matters of sanitation, ventilation, construction, and prevention of fire therefore,

Be it resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That the Governor be, and he is hereby empowered and directed to appoint a commission to be known as "The Commission to Revise and Codify the Building Laws of Illinois," to be composed of fifteen members selected as follows: One member from the Illinois Chapter of the American Institute of Architects; two members from the Western Society of Engineers; one member from the Chicago Architects' Business Association; one member from the State Board of Examiners of Architects; one member representing the National Board of Fire Underwriters, residing in the State; two members from the Building Contractors' Council; two members representing organized labor, and four members appointed at large. The State Architect shall also be made a member of said commission, and shall act as its chairman.

The duties of said commission shall be to make such investigation into the subject of building laws in force in other states, as it may deem necessary, and to consider all the laws in force in the State of Illinois, bearing on that subject, with the object in view of revising and codifying the laws of this State which pertain to the subject of buildings. In the report which such commission makes, it shall recommend to the General Assembly such legislation as will properly regulate the construction, sanitation and protection from fire of all buildings of a public nature, or where large numbers of people shall congregate, such as hotels, theaters, schools, churches, and other buildings for public assembly, department stores, factories, tenement houses, hospitals and buildings for charitable institutions, so that the greatest measure of safety to life and limb and property may be assured to the people of the State of Illinois.

The commission shall be allowed a per diem for each member of five dollars for each day actually engaged in such work, together with their traveling and other necessary expenses, and it is hereby empowered to employ a secretary or clerk, to secure legal services, if such are needed at a reasonable compensation, and all such compensation together with the necessary expenses of said commission shall be allowed and paid on the presentation of bills, approved by the Governor, out of funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated.

The said commission shall make its report with such proposed legislation accompanying the same to the Governor of this State on or before January 1st, 1909.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Statutory Revision.

Mr. Durfee offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14.

WHEREAS, The present Constitution of the State of Illinois was adopted A. D. 1870; and,

WHEREAS, The conditions in the State under which said Constitution was adopted were widely different from the conditions therein as they exist at the present time; and,

WHEREAS, There are in the present Constitution certain limitations and restrictions which prohibit legislation deemed highly proper for the public good; and,

WHEREAS, There are in said Constitution certain other limitations and restrictions which forbid the enactment of laws which are well nigh, if not absolutely necessary to meet and promote the advancement of our commercial and industrial growth;

Therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein:

First—That a convention is necessary to revise, alter or amend the present Constitution of this State; and,

Second—That the question of such convention be submitted to the electors of the State at the next general election, following the adoption of this resolution, as provided in section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of Illinois.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading;

House Bill No. 109, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 134.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Morris,	Smajkal,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Peck,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Erickson,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Welborn,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	Lantz,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Glade,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Church,	Gray,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinf.
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Yeas—34
Crawford,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Scott,	

The bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading;

House Bill No. 110, a bill for "An Act to make appropriations to provide for the current expenses of the Supreme Court and for care of the Temple of Justice building and ground,"

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 133.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Myers,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lane,	Price,	White,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Glade,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Gorman,	Link,	Riley,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Luke,	Robinson,	York,
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Scott,	
Curran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	

Yeas—133

The bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Third Reading;

Senate Bill No. 139, a bill for "An Act to amend the title and also sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums,' approved March 7, 1907, and in force July 1, 1908,"

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 140; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Durfee,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Black,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murray,	Ton,
Brownback,	Fieldstack.	Kerrick,	Myers,	Troyer,
Browne,	Finley,	King,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burns,	Flannigan,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Bush,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Foster,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Ledever,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Glade,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Gorman,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Luke,	Rilev.	Zipf,

Yeas—140

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bolin,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Sollitt,	Nays—4
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The bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the amendments thereto.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading;

House Bill No. 165, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 24 and 25 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain, at the expense of the county, a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 101; nays, 28.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Chiperfield,	Groves, J.,	Macleane,	Sollitt,
Adkins,	Church,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Stearns,
Allison,	Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Terrill,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Hoiaday,	McGuire,	Tippit,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Ton,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Troyer,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Wheelan,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Wilson, F. J.
Black,	Erickson,	Ireland,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Blair,	Espy,	Kannally,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Eolin,	Etherton,	Keck,	Perkins,	Wright,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	York,
Briscoe,	Finley,	King,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Price,	Zipf,
Burgett,	Forst,	Lantz,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Rigney,	
Bush,	Galligan,	Liggett,	Riley,	Yeas—101
Butts,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Scott,	
Campbell,	Grace,	Luke,	Shanahan,	
Carter,	Gray,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Murphy, Wm.,	Walsh,
Corcoran,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Murray,	Werdeil,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Lane,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Hilton,	Lawrence,	Scanlan,	
DeWolf,	Jewell,	Lewis,	Shaw,	Nays—28

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Ball,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Brown,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Burton,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,	

And there were 49 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shepard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hoce,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.,	Terrill,
Elair,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Ton,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Finley,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Werdel,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan.
Burns,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	White.
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Piereson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Luke,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Coreoran,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	

And there were 148 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 197 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Rainey (present but not voting) with Mr. Dellenback.

Mr. Behrens (present but not voting) with Mr. Staymates.

Mr. Hull with Mr. Nelson.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	11 votes
A. J. Sabbath received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dalley,	Gray,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Funk,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Gardner,	Henson,	McCormick,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,			—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Tossey,
Burton,	German,	Holstlaw,	Manny.	Womack,
Gibson,				

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Those voting for A. J. Sabbath are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
William J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	38 votes
A. J. Sabath received.....	17 votes
Thomas Gorman received.....	2 votes
H. A. Shephard received.....	1 vote
John Cronin received.....	1 vote
John J. Mahoney received.....	1 vote
Thomas O'Conner received.....	1 vote
Felix B. Janovsky received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Adkins,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Hoiaday,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	
Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,*	Stevenson,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Kowalski,			

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Bush,	Flannigen,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Parker,	Smejkal,	
Crawford,	Kittleman,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Blair,	Espy,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Luke,	Poulton,	White,
Burns,	Foster,	McCollum,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Galligan,	McConnell,	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Groves, J.,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shephard, H. A.	
Donahue,	Groves, W. M.,	Myers,	Sullivan,	

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Those voting for A. J. Sabbath are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Fahy,	Hruby,	Morris,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Forst,	Link,	Murray,	
Clark,	Geshkewich.	McGuire,		

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Those voting for Thomas Gorman are: Messrs.

Beckemeyer, Browne, —2

Those voting for H. A. Shephard are: Mr. DeWolf—1.

Those voting for John Cronin are: Mr. Riley—1.

Those voting for John J. Mahoney are: Mr. Murphy, E. J.—1.

Those voting for Thomas O'Conner are: Mr. Gorman—1.

Those voting for Felix B. Janovsky are: Mr. Hilton—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the forty-second joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 194, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-

Sixth General Assembly.....	76 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	18 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
William J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	49 votes
A. J. Sabath received.....	18 votes
Thomas Gorman received.....	2 votes
H. A. Shephard received.....	1 vote
John Cronin received	1 vote
John J. Mahoney received.....	1 vote
Thomas O'Conner received.....	1 vote
Felix B. Janovsky received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Church moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

Mr. King rose to a question of personal privilege and presented the following statement and asked and obtained unanimous consent to have the same incorporated in the Journal of the House:

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., March 10, 1909.

Mr. Speaker—On Thursday, February 25th, on the floor of this House the undersigned, a member of the Joint Recount Committee on the Governorship contest, stated that during the evening session of said Recount Committee, held in the Senate Chamber at 7:30 o'clock p. m., February 24th, 1909, stated that one Mr. George Cooke, one of the attorneys representing the contestant,

Adlai E. Stevenson, in his argument before said committee, withdrew and waived that part of said contestant's petition filed in said contest proceedings wherein the claim was made that aliens had illegally voted for Charles S. Deneen at said last general election for Governor. Mr. Speaker, this statement was flatly denied by the honorable member of this House, Mr. Browne, from La Salle county, who admitted that he was not present at said session and the statement was made by such gentlemen that the undersigned had misstated the facts in so quoting Mr. Cooke.

In order that the truth in the premises made be made apparent, I herewith attach the affidavit of the stenographer who took down the statement of Mr. Cooke concerning said aliens, together with the statement of divers reputable members of this House who were present at said session of said committee, thereto. The same being as follows, to-wit:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
County. } ss.

Neil Satterlee, being first duly sworn on oath, states that he is a resident of the City of Chicago, County of Cook and State of Illinois; that he was present at a session of the Joint Recount Committee of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, held in the Senate Chamber on the evening of February 24th, A. D., 1909; that he acted as one of the official stenographers for said committee and took down in shorthand the remarks of George Cooke, one of the attorneys representing the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, and that the said Mr. Cooke among other things made the following statement to said committee, to-wit

"And I want to say to the committee that while it is possible, and we could have gotten more than the number Mr. Berry specified, it would be possible for us to show that several hundred aliens we know of had voted in this election and we could prove they voted for Governor Deneen, *we abandon that part of the petition, we do not expect to make any proof along that line and we are relying solely and alone upon the allegations in this petition which state that the votes were miscounted. That votes which were cast for Mr. Stevenson were counted for Governor Deneen.*"

And affiant further states that he then and there took down in shorthand the above remarks of the said Cooke and that the same are truly and correctly transcribed, as above stated. And affiant further saith not.

NEIL SATTERLEE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, A. D., 1909.

[Notary Seal.]

ANSON E. MEANOR,

Notary Public.

[Signed] EDWARD J. KING.

The undersigned members of this House were present at the session of said committee referred to and hereby certify to the correctness of said stenographer's report.

H. L. JEWELL,

H. D. FULTON,

E. C. PERKINS,

C. C. PERVIER.

The Speaker asked and obtained unanimous consent to make the following additions and changes to the committee assignments heretofore announced:

To the Committee on Mines and Mining, by adding the names of Messrs. Pervier and De Wolf.

To the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, by adding the names of Messrs. Scanlan and Wm. Murphy.

To the Committee to Visit the State Charitable Institutions, Messrs. Troyer and Naylor.

To the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce, by adding the names of Messrs. H. A. Shephard, Sollitt, Beck, Allison and O'Brien.

To the Committee to Visit Penal and Reformatory Institutions, by adding the name of Mr. Link.

And by withdrawing the name of Mr. Gray (resigned) from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

And the name of Mr. Browne (resigned) from the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

The following groupings of House committees were announced:

Appropriations—Room 13, south wing, third floor.

Enrolled and Engrossed Bills, Joint Rules—Room 10, east wing, fourth floor.

Live Stock and Dairying, Corporations, Sanitary Affairs, Claims, State Institutions, Canal, River Improvements and Commerce, Deep Waterway—Room 1, east wing, third floor.

Judiciary, Chicago Charter—Room 6, west wing, third floor.

Judicial Department and Practice—Old Supreme Court Room, second floor, south wing.

Railroads, Education, Drainage and Waterways, Revenue, Penal and Reformatory Institutions—Room 4, east wing, third floor.

Contingent Expenses, Printing—Room 11, south wing, third floor.

Banks and Banking, Municipal Courts, Retrenchment, State and County Fairs—Room 19, south wing, fourth floor.

Fish and Game, Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, License, Military Affairs, Primary Elections, Warehouses—Room 20, south wing, fourth floor.

Agriculture, County and Township Organization, Elections, State and Municipal Civil Service Reform—Room 21, south wing, fourth floor.

State and Municipal Civil Service, State and Municipal Indebtedness—Room 21, south wing, fourth floor.

Labor and Industrial Affairs, Municipal Corporations, Statutory Revision—Room 22, south wing, fourth floor.

Federal Relations, Public Buildings and Grounds, Public Charities, State Institutions, Horticulture, Insurance—Room 23, south wing, fourth floor.

Executive Department, Farm Drainage, Miscellaneous Subjects, Finances, Fees and Salaries, Federal Relations—Room 24, south wing, fourth floor.

Building, Loan and Homestead Associations, Good Roads, Manufactures, Parks and Boulevards, Visit Penal Institutions, Visit Charitable Institutions, Visit Educational Institutions—Room 25, south wing, fourth floor.

Libraries, Mines and Mining, Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Soldiers' Orphans' Home, Roads and Bridges—Room 26, south wing, fourth floor.

Public Buildings and Grounds, Public Charities, State Institutions, Horticulture, Insurance, State Geological Survey—Room 23, south wing, fourth floor.

Rules—Speaker's room.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. President—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of their amendments to Senate Bill No. 139, a bill for an Act to amend the title and also sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of an Act entitled, "An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums," approved March 7, 1908, and in force July 1, 1908, which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of Senate Bill No. 139 by striking out all after the word "bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "For an Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums," approved March 7, 1908, in force July 1, 1908.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out all of bill after enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That sections 1 and 2 of "An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums," approved March 7, 1908, and in force July 1, 1908, be amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. That the city council of cities and boards of trustees in villages of this State shall have the power, in the manner hereinafter provided, to establish and maintain a public sanitarium for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of such city or village for the treatment and care of persons afflicted with tuberculosis and to levy a tax not to exceed one mill on the dollar annually on all taxable property of such city or village, such tax to be levied and collected in like manner with the general taxes of said city and to be known as the "Tuberculosis Sanitarium Fund," which said tax shall be in addition to all other taxes which such city or village is now or hereafter may be authorized to levy.

SEC. 2. When one hundred legal voters of any such city or village shall present a petition to the city council or board of trustees of such city or village, as the case may be, asking that an annual tax may be levied for the establishment and maintenance of a public tuberculosis sanitarium in such city or village, such city council or board of trustees, as the case may be, shall instruct the city or village clerk to, and such city or village clerk shall, in the next legal notice of the regular annual election in such city or village, give notice that at such election every elector may vote "For the levy of a tax for a public tuberculosis sanitarium," or "against the levy of a tax for a public tuberculosis sanitarium," and if the majority of all the votes cast upon the proposition is, that such city or village shall be "for a public tuberculosis sanitarium," the city council or board of trustees of such city or village shall thereafter annually levy a tax of not to exceed one mill on the dollar, which tax shall be collected in like manner with other general taxes in such city or village and shall be known as the "Tuberculosis Sanitarium Fund," and thereafter the city council or board of trustees, as the case may be, of such city or village shall include and appropriate from such fund in the annual appropriation bill such sum or sums of money as may be deemed necessary to defray all necessary expenses and liabilities of such tuberculosis sanitarium.

SEC. 3. WHEREAS, An emergency exists, therefore, this Act shall be in force and effect from and after its passage.

Amendments concurred in by Senate by two-thirds vote March 10th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

At the hour of 1:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. McNichols moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Wm. A. Sunday.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hruby, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Kerrick and Blair presented a number of petitions relating to fraternal insurance which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. G. H. Wilson presented a petition relating to a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State which was referred to the Committee on Insurance.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Adkins introduced a bill, House Bill No. 276, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 277, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to establish, maintain and regulate a system of uniform public school text books in the State of Illinois.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Campbell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 278, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to restrict the power of counties, cities, towns and villages in licensing dram shops, to provide for granting a license to retail malt liquors separately, and for punishing persons holding such separate license for unlawful sales and gifts,' approved June 15, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 279, a bill for "An Act authorizing certain proof in mitigation of damages in actions for libel."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Clark, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 280, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) article fourteen (14) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 281, a bill for "An Act to amend section 7 of an 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named, approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' and as amended by an Act approved May 21, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, to read as follows."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 282, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, and 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits, and repealing a certain Act therein named passed June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Horticulture.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 283, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the punishment of criminals,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section one and one-half."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Geshkewich introduced a bill, House Bill No. 284, a bill for "An Act to amend section seven of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, and in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 285, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violation of the same,' approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 286, a bill for "An Act to amend section 74 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Richter introduced a bill, House Bill No. 287, a bill for "An Act providing for the licensing, regulation and inspection of cold storage warehouses and regulating the sale of articles of food stuffs stored therein or in any cold storage warehouse."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

Mr. Rigney introduced a bill, House Bill No. 288, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixteen of 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix a time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 289, a bill for "An Act amending section one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act providing for licenses to agents to procure fire policies in unauthorized corporations, providing for a bond to be given by such agents, and for a tax upon receipts of premiums received for policies so issued within the State,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and adding two sections thereto numbered two (2) and three (3) respectively."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 290, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to the State Milk Producers' Institute, an Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Milk Producers' Institute of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. G. H. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 291, a bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-five (25) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. G. H. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 292, a bill for "An Act to provide for uniformity of text books in the public schools of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 293, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 17 and 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 294, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Naylor introduced a bill, House Bill No. 295, a bill for "An Act to insure greater safety to the lives of the traveling public and prescribing the number of employes to be used in the operation of passenger and freight trains in the State of Illinois and providing a penalty for violation of this Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Abrahams introduced a bill, House Bill No. 296, a bill for "An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. Durfee introduced a bill, House Bill No. 297, a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto, approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,' title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Mr. Curran introduced a bill, House Bill No. 298, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend the criminal code to change the punishment of persons convicted of the crime of petit larceny and misdemeanors, and to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 168 of an Act, entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, approved April 10, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees, Mr. Crawford, from the Committee on Judicial Apportionment to which was referred Senate Bill No. 176, being a bill, for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook into judicial circuits,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Reported the same back without recommendation.

Mr. Scanlan moved that Senate Bill No. 176 be now considered.

Mr. Browne moved to lay the foregoing motion and also Senate Bill No. 176 upon the table.

And on that question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 59; nays, 82.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Holaday,	Mills,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shaw.
Allison,	Daley,	Ireland,	Morris,	Shepard, H. A.
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Staymates,
Bardill,	Dillon,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Forst,	King,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Brady,	Foster,	Ligggett,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Price,	White,
Burgett,	Gorman,	Luke,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Grace,	McGuire,	Richter,	Wright.
Cermak,	Groves, J.	McMackin,	Rigney,	Yeast—59

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Lyons,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Hope,	Maclean,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hruby,	McColium,	Sollitt,
Black,	Espy,	Huston,	McConnell,	Stearns,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	McNichols,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippitt,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Troyer,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lantz,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Scanlan,	York,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Lewis,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Donahue,	Hagan,			Nays—82

And the motion to lay on the table was lost.

The question recurring on the motion of Mr. Scanlan, it was decided in the affirmative.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 176, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook into judicial circuits,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Brownback offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend senate bill No. 176 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

First circuit—The counties of Massac, Johnson, Williamson, Saline, Galatin, Hardin and Pope.

Second circuit—The counties of Franklin, Jefferson, Wayne, Hamilton, White, Edwards and Wabash.

Third circuit—The counties of Alexander, Pulaski, Union, Jackson, Perry, and Randolph.

Fourth circuit—The counties of St. Clair, Monroe and Washington.

Fifth circuit—The counties of Clinton, Marion, Clay, Richland, Lawrence, Jasper, Effingham and Crawford.

Sixth circuit—The counties of Madison, Bond, Macoupin and Fayette.

Seventh circuit—The counties of Montgomery, Christian, Shelby and Macon.

Eighth circuit—The counties of Jersey, Greene, Scott, Morgan and Sangamon.

Ninth circuit—The counties of Adams, Pike, Calhoun, Brown, Schuyler, Cass, Mason and Menard.

Tenth circuit—The counties of DeWitt, Piatt, Moultrie, Douglas and Champaign.

Eleventh circuit—The counties of Vermillion, Edgar, Coles, Clark and Cumberland.

Twelfth circuit—The counties of Logan, McLean, Woodford and Livingston.

Thirteenth circuit—The counties of Peoria, Tazewell, Stark and Marshall.

Fourteenth circuit—The counties of Fulton, Knox, Warren, McDonough and Hancock.

Fifteenth circuit—The counties of Kankakee, Iroquois and Ford.

Sixteenth circuit—The counties of Rock Island, Mercer and Henderson.

Seventeenth circuit—The counties of Henry, Bureau, Whiteside and Putnam.

Eighteenth circuit—The counties of La Salle and Grundy.

Nineteenth circuit—The counties of DeKalb, Kane and Kendall.

Twentieth circuit—The counties of Stevenson, JoDaviess, Carroll, Ogle and Lee.

Twenty-first circuit—The counties of Lake, McHenry, Boone and Winnebago.

Twenty-second circuit—The counties of DuPage and Will.

SECTION 2. Election of Judges—On the first Monday of June, A. D. 1909, there shall be elected in each of said circuits by the electors thereof, by the general ticket as provided by law for general elections, three judges of the circuit court, whose term of office shall be six years; and every six years thereafter there shall in like manner be elected in each of said circuits, three judges of the circuit court, whose term of office shall be as aforesaid.

SEC. 3. Terms of office—The terms of the circuit court in the respective counties shall be held at the times and places now provided, or which may hereafter be provided by law.

SEC. 4. Repeal—All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Pending discussion Mr. Brownback moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 176 and the pending amendment be postponed until Wednesday, March 17, 1909,

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Hollenbeck moved that the foregoing amendment to Senate Bill No. 176 be printed for the use of the members.

The motion prevailed and the amendment was ordered printed.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Bailey,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Ball,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Billings,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Breidt,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Brown,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Burton,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,	
Clark,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	

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And there were 48 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Solitt.
Beck,	Durfee,	Huston,	Mills,	Staymates,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Stearns.
Behrens,	Erby,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Black,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Keck,	Myers,	Tippitt,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Finley,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh.
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Browne,	Flannigan,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Werdeil,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Rigney,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Riley,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Luke,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Schumacher,	
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Macleam,	Scott,	

And there were 143 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 191 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Dellenback with Mr. Broderick.

Mr. Corcoran (present but not voting) with Mr. Reynolds.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Robert M. Simons received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	10 votes
M. L. McKinley received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Billings,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Robert M. Simons are: Mr. Brown—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burtcn,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Isley.	Rainey,	Womack,
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Those voting for M. L. McKinley are: Messrs.

Glackin,	Jandus,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	10 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Robert M. Simons received.....	1 vote
Charles E. Bolin received.....	1 vote
P. J. McShane received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	30 votes
M. L. McKinley received.....	14 votes
George Alschuler received.....	1 vote
Arthur Evans received.....	11 votes
John J. Sullivan received.....	1 vote
Jacob Groves	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Flags,	Keck,	Montelius,	Welborn.
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson. H. W.
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick.	Richter,	Wright,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	York,
Carter.	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	
Cliffe,	Hope,	Iiggett,	Scanlon,	
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan.	Shepherd, F. W.	—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Church,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns.
Butts,	Fieldstack,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
—10				

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smeikal.
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Robert M. Simon are: Mr. Hagan—1.

Those voting for Charles E. Bolin are: Mr. Groves, J.—1.

Those voting for P. J. McShane are: Mr. Kowalski—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Dillon,	Gorman,	McCollum.	Riley,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Scott,
Blair,	English,	Gruby,	Myers,	Shaw,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Shephard, H. A.
Burns,	Finley,	Link,	Poulton,	Staymates,
Daley,	Foster,	Luke,	Richardson,	White.

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Those voting for M. L. McKinley are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	Naylor,	Werdeil,
Cermak,	Forst,	Hilton,	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Geshkewich,	Murray,	Walsh,	—14

Those voting for George Alschuler are: Mr. DeWolf—1.

Those voting for Arthur Evans are: Messrs.

Espy,	Lantz,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Galligan,	McConnell,	McLaughlin,	Tippit,	Wilson, F. J.
Kannally,				—11

Those voting for John J. Sullivan are: Mr. Murphy, Wm.—1.

Those voting for Jacob Groves are: Mr. Bolin—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the forty-third joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 190, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-Sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	14 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Robert M. Simons received.....	2 votes
Charles E. Bolin received.....	1 vote
P. J. McShane received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	40 votes
M. L. McKinley received.....	16 votes
George Alschuler received.....	1 vote
Arthur Evans received.....	11 votes
John J. Sullivan received.....	1 vote
Jacob Groves.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Sollitt moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 23.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, March 12, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 16, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Adopted March 11, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipperfield moved to amend the foregoing resolution as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 by striking out the words and figures, "Tuesday, March 16, 1909," and insert in lieu thereof, the words and figures "Wednesday, March 17, 1909,"

And the amendment was adopted.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the resolution as amended.

It was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the amendment thereto.

At the hour of 1:00 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Pervier, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Adkins, Pervier, Lawrence and Carter presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the city council of Duquoin, Illinois, relative to city revenues, which was referred to the Committee on Revenue.

And also a communication from the city clerk of the city of Chicago relative to Senate Bill No. 139, which was ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 299, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 90, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 154, a bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under and by virtue of 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 205, a bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes, and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 254, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, in favor of the widow,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading,

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 244, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee heretofore authorized by joint resolution of the House and Senate of February 24, 1909, to be appointed to investigate the interests of the State of Illinois in certain public lands in said joint resolution referred to and making an appropriation, etc."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time; And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 96, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

At the hour of 10:20 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Lawrence moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.

Hay, Womack,

— 2

And there were two members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Carter,
Jewell,

Lantz,
Lewis,

Lyon,
Scott,

Emejkal,
Wilson, H. W.

Mr. Speaker, —9

And there were nine members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were eleven members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly,

would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Womack—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	5 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Carter,	Jewell,	Lewis,	Lyon,	Wilson, H. W.
				—5

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Smejkal—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Lantz,	Scott,	— 2
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the forty-fourth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 11, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly	6 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	3 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate has received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Lantz moved that the Joint Assembly do now arise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of their amendment to Senate Joint Resolution No. 23.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, March 12, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 16, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 by striking out the words and figures, "Tuesday, March 16, 1909," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures, "Wednesday, March 17, 1909."

Concurred in March 12, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 16.

WHEREAS, The several states are now taxing inheritances with marked success, and need all the revenue that can properly be drawn from this source; and

WHEREAS, Double taxation of inheritances would be unwise, and as the Federal government can readily raise additional revenue, when required, from other sources, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That it is the sense of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois that the taxation of inheritances should be reserved to the several states as a source of revenue for their exclusive use and benefit; and

Be it further resolved, That the Secretary of State send a certified copy of these resolutions to the members of the Congress of the United States from Illinois.

Adopted March 11, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

At the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Lantz moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Wednesday, March 17, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Friday, March 12 was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. DeWolf, Flagg and Jacob Groves presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Montelius presented two petitions, one relating to House Bill No. 173, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and the other to Election of Supreme Court and Circuit Judges, which was referred to the Committee on Elections.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Curran introduced a bill, House Bill No. 300, a bill for "An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employés in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Mr. DeWolf introduced a bill, House Bill No. 301, a bill for "An Act to amend section 29 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties,' approved February 2, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Primary Elections.

Mr. Durfee introduced a bill, House Bill No. 302, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to allow per diem fees to clerks of the circuit and probate courts in counties of the first and second class,' approved June 7, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, and amended by Act in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Mr. Finley introduced a bill, House Bill No. 303, a bill for "An Act to amend section 17 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches, and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

Mr. Finley introduced a bill, House Bill No. 304, a bill for "An Act to authorize the construction of gravel or other macadamized roads, providing for raising funds to pay for the same and to protect all roads from injury through heavy hauling."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Good Roads.

Mr. Fulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 305, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Fulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 306, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities, to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Hope introduced a bill, House Bill No. 307, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 308, a bill for "An Act to prevent certain abuses of the telephone and to provide for the punishment therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Lyon, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 309, a bill for "An Act regarding reinforced concrete bridges, and providing for the filing of drawings of the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Mr. Lyon, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 310, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the construction of bridges and culverts,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 311, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of 'An Act regulating the receiving, transportation and delivery of grain by railroad corporations, and defining the duties of such corporations with respect thereto,' approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

Mr. Naylor introduced a bill, House Bill No. 312, a bill for "An Act to insure greater safety to the lives of the traveling public and limiting the hours of service of the employes of railroads in the State of Illinois and providing a penalty for violation of this Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. H. A. Shephard introduced a bill, House Bill No. 313, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the conduct of hotels, inns and public lodging houses.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 314, a bill for "An Act to require all fixed poles placed along railroads to be placed at least six feet from the rails of such railroads and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Zipf introduced a bill, House Bill No. 315, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law, to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign insurance companies, for the benefit of organized fire departments,' in force July 1, 1895, as amended April 24, 1901, as amended May 12, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Zipf introduced a bill, House Bill No. 316, a bill for "An Act to amend sections two (2), three (3), four (4), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), and sixteen (16), of 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows, minor children, and dependent parents of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department, approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Tippet introduced a bill, House Bill No. 317, a bill for "An Act to provide for an appropriation of money to be used in the improvement of the Little Wabash river and its tributaries."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Troyer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 319, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime

and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading, House Bill No. 254, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, in favor of the widow."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the Governor by James Whittaker, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the House of Representatives the following communication:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, March 17, 1909.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives:

I transmit herewith to your Honorable Body, a letter received from the Royal Italian Ambassador at Washington, conveying the thanks of Her Majesty, Queen of Italy, to the General Assembly of Illinois upon the receipt of the \$10,000.00 appropriated by your Honorable Body for the relief of the orphans of victims of the earthquakes in Sicily and Southern Italy.

C. S. DENEEN,

Governor.

REGIA AMBASCIATA D'ITALIA,

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9, 1909..

Honorable Sir:

I have just received from H. E. General Ponzio-Vaglia, Minister of the Royal Household, a cable informing me that the sum of \$10,000.00 voted by the Legislature of the State of Illinois for Queen Helena's Fund, for the orphans of the victims of the earthquake, has been received by Her Majesty.

I have now the honor, in compliance with Her Majesty's wish, to express to you and to the members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, Her warmest thanks and Her high appreciation for this noble act of generosity and for the proof of sympathy it implies to our country and to the poor sufferers of this terrible disaster.

Believe me, honorable sir, with high consideration,

Yours very sincerely,

[Signed] E. MAYOR DES PLANCHY,

Royal Italian Ambassador.

HON. CHARLES DENEEN,

Governor of the State of Illinois, Chicago.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 84, being a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of hotel keepers."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 318, a bill for "An Act for the protection of innkeepers."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 84, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 84 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 318 was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Lantz presented a partial report of a commission appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives under the authority of a resolution passed by the said House on May 7, 1908, for the purpose of thoroughly investigating and reporting to the Forty-sixth General Assembly by bill or bills, the most advisable method or methods of providing for the commitment of convicted persons to the penal and reformatory institutions of the State, etc.

Which was referred to the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 244.

An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee heretofore authorized by joint resolution of the House and Senate of February 24, 1909, to be appointed to investigate the interests of the State of Illinois in certain public lands in said joint resolution referred to, and making an appropriation of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars therefor.

The foregoing House Bill No. 244 was placed in the order of House Bills on third reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 244, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee heretofore authorized by joint resolution of the House and Senate of February 24, 1909, to be appointed to investigate the interests of the State of Illinois in certain public lands in said joint resolution referred to, and making an appropriation of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars therefor."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 136; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Keck,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Black,	Finley,	King,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Groves, J.,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.,	Luke,	Riley,	York,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Daley,				Yeas—136

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Poulton, Nays—1

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The further consideration of Senate Bill No. 176 having been postponed on Thursday, March 11, until today, the same was taken up and the pending question being the adoption of Amendment No. 1 heretofore offered by Mr. Brownback.

Pending discussion Mr. Durfee moved to lay the amendment upon the table,

And upon that question on demand of five members present a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Forst,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bardill,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Fulton,	King,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Bush,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Pierson,	White,
Campbell,	Grace,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gray,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Luke,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Wright,
Crawford,				Yeas—76

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Beck,	English,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Black,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Blair,	Espy,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Glade,	Lantz,	Price,	York,
Chipperfield,	Groves, W. M.	Lederer,	Richter,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Donahue,	Hope,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	
Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Nays—65

And the amendment was ordered to lie upon the table.

Pending discussion Mr. Chipperfield moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 176 be postponed until Tuesday, March 23, 1909, and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Lederer offered the following resolution and asked unanimous consent for its immediate consideration:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 40.

WHEREAS, There has been recently organized in this country a gigantic trade combination and monopoly in connection with the manufacture and sale of moving picture films, machines and the apparatus used therewith, and

WHEREAS, Such combination is intended to destroy competition and to secure a monopoly in this line of business to the parties to such combination,

Be it resolved, That the Senators and Representatives of the State of Illinois in Congress are hereby requested to oppose any increase of duty on imported, manufactured moving picture films, and all other legislation which may tend to aggrandize such monopoly;

Be it further resolved, That the Senators and Representatives of the State of Illinois in Congress are hereby requested to aid in procuring an investigation of such monopoly to be made by Federal intervention, and in instituting proceedings and passing laws to suppress such combination and monopoly.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Senators and Representatives of the State of Illinois in Congress by the Clerk of this House.

Unanimous consent being refused for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Lederer moved to suspend the rules for that purpose.

And the question being, "Shall the rules be suspended?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The question now being on the adoption of the resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton.	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	McNichols.	Shepherd, F.W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Huston,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns.
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf
Crawford,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker
Curran,				

And there were 146 members of the House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Mannv.
Ball,	Dalley,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton.
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson.	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,

And there were fifty members of the Senate present,

And there were 196 members of the House of Representatives and Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Clark (present but not voting) with Mr. Rainey.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	49 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	31 votes
Free P. Morris received.....	23 votes
James J. Callahan received.....	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Robinson,	—49

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	English,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Richardson,
Blair,	Espy,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Riley,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Scott,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Shephard, H. A.
Burns,	Foster,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Daley,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Poulton,	White,
Donahue,				—31

Those voting for Free P. Morris are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Link,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Allison,	Forst,	McGuire,	Shaw,	Wheelan,
Beckemeyer,	Geshkewich,	Morris,	Sullivan,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Murray,	Walsh,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Hilton,	Myers,		—23

Those voting for James J. Callahan are: Messrs.

Galligan,	McLaughlin,	Murphy, Wm.,	—3
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The roll of the Senate was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote

William B. McKinley received..... 1 vote
 Lawrence B. Stringer received.....11 votes
 Free P. Morris received..... 1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Billings,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	
Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	

—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,				

—11

Those voting for Free P. Morris are: Mr. Hearn—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the forty-fifth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 193, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly	77 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	2 votes
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	42 votes
Free P. Morris received.....	24 votes
James J. Callahan received.....	3 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Reynolds, from the Joint Committee on Contest presented the following report and moved its adoption:

IN THE MATTER OF THE CONTEST OF ADLAI STEVENSON VERSUS CHARLES S. DENEEN FOR THE OFFICE OF GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

To the General Assembly, State of Illinois:

Report of the committees appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 7, in the above entitled cause.

Your committee appointed under such resolution on February 10th, 1909, most respectfully report: That they met in pursuance to said resolution and organized said committee by the election of Representative Earl B. Reynolds, Chairman and Senator Herman H. Breidt, Secretary. And notified the respective parties in interest that they were ready to proceed with such contest. That on Tuesday, February 16th, 1909, at four o'clock p. m., your committee met in the Senate Chamber of the Capitol Building, Springfield, Illinois, for the purpose of proceeding with such contest. That at such meeting Mr. Ross C. Hall, of Chicago, Illinois, and Mr. George A. Cook, of Aledo, Illinois, appeared as attorneys for the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, and Mr. Orville F. Berry, of Carthage, Illinois, appeared for the contestee, Charles S. Deneen.

The matter of contest coming on for hearing before your committee on the original petition signed by the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, and on a written motion filed by Charles S. Deneen, the contestee, to require the petitioner to file a bill of particulars, specifying the causes of such contest.

The respective parties through their counsel presented arguments and briefs in relation to the subject matter of such contest to your committee, and after such arguments and upon due consideration, your committee determined that the original petition presented and filed by the contestant is insufficient and does not present a *prima facie* case as required by law. whereupon your committee, upon motion, entered a rule upon the contestant to file a bill of particulars before said committee within ten days from this day.

Your committee reports that although ten days have elapsed since said rule was entered by your committee the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, or any one for him has not filed with the Clerk of the House or with your committee any such bill of particulars.

Therefore, your committee after due consideration of said cause, find that in said original petition filed by the said Adlai E. Stevenson, it is charged:

First—That in a number of counties in the State of Illinois a large number of foreign born persons who were not naturalized citizens of the United States, nor of the State of Illinois, voted at said election held November 3, 1909, for Charles S. Deneen, the contestee.

Second—It is charged in said petition that a large number of persons in several counties in said State of Illinois, who were not citizens of the State of Illinois and who had no legal right to vote in said State, voted for the contestee, Charles S. Deneen.

Third—That a large number of votes cast in several counties of the State of Illinois were cast for the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson and by the election officers were counted for the contestee, Charles S. Deneen.

Your committee further report that at the joint session of your committee, held in the Senate Chamber February 24th, 1909, and during the proceedings of your committee, counsel for the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, withdrew all charges and allegations in said contestant's petition referring to the class of voters above referred to in items one and two leaving only in said petition the allegations relating to votes cast for the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson and improperly counted for Charles S. Deneen, the contestee. The withdrawing of the allegations of such petition above referred to leaves the matter at issue before your committee as follows:

The petition to be passed upon by your committee alleges that the contestant was the candidate of the democratic party of the State of Illinois for the office of Governor, that the contestant was more than thirty years of age and a citizen of the United States and the State of Illinois and had been for more than five years preceding such election on November 3, 1908; that

Charles S. Deneen was the regular candidate of the republican party for such office at such election. That the contestant received 526,912 votes for such office and that Charles S. Deneen received 550,076 votes for such office, as shown by the canvass of the votes by the proper officers and that later said Charles S. Deneen was duly declared by the proper election officers, elected Governor of the State of Illinois.

The principal charge in said petition to be passed upon by your committee in connection with the above facts and from which your committee are to determine whether or not a *prima facie* case has been made, and whether or not the ballots should be opened and counted to determine that question, is in the following language on the first page of the printed petition of contestant:

"Your petitioner further states the fact to be that said Charles S. Deneen was not duly elected as Governor of the said State of Illinois at such election, but that on the contrary a plurality of the legal voters of the said State of Illinois, whose votes were cast at such election voted for your petitioner * * * and that 20,000 votes were cast at said election in said State for the petitioner, which votes were counted for said Charles S. Deneen."

It is charged in said petition on same page from which the above quotation is taken, that 15,000 persons of foreign birth, who were not naturalized and 15,000 persons who were not residents of the State of Illinois, voted at said election for Charles S. Deneen. The petitioner having upon the hearing before your committee abandoned both said charges, leaving only the charges above quoted, namely that 20,000 votes were cast at such election for the petitioner, Adlai E. Stevenson, and counted for Charles S. Deneen.

The above charge is the only general charge left in the petition. It is, however, charged in such petition that in numerous counties in this State, naming the counties, that certain votes were cast in such counties for the contestant and counted for the contestee. This is the most specific and definite allegation made in said petition by the contestant.

Your committee call attention to the fact that all voting in this State is done at such election by precincts and not by counties and your committee believes such allegations should be by precincts and not by counties.

The contention of counsel for the contestant is that the petition is sufficient upon its face to warrant this committee in entertaining the petition, upon the grounds that under the construction of the Statute and the decisions of the courts it is sufficient to establish a *prima facie* case and to justify the introduction of the ballots and a recount thereof. The contention of the contestee is that the petition both in its original form and as finally presented for consideration to your committee as herein above stated is wholly insufficient and does not under the most liberal construction of the statute of this State and the decisions of the courts justify this committee in sending for, opening or counting the ballots. It is further contended by the contestee that said petition is wholly insufficient to overcome the presumption of regularity as found by the election officers in the State of Illinois at such election.

And that before this committee should sustain such petition and direct the opening of the ballots it should be satisfied from the petition or other evidence introduced in support thereof that there is reasonable probability that if such ballots were opened and counted it would change the results of such election. Your committee, after considering the arguments of counsel and the briefs submitted by them and a careful examination of the petition presented find, That the petition as presented to them is insufficient to justify a recount of the ballots. That a *prima facie* case, such as the law requires in case of this character has not been made before your committee. From a careful examination of the authorities presented to your committee, your committee find:

First—That while the statute is liberal in its language in relation to the counting of the ballots, your committee hold that the language of the statute referred to by counsel for contestant does not apply until a right has been

shown before the proper court or legislative body to justify such recount. From a careful review of the cases and law submitted to your committee by the respective parties, we quote the following statements from well recognized authorities upon this question.

"An application or petition for a recount of the ballots cast at an election will not be granted unless some specific mistake or fraud is pointed out. Such recount will not be ordered upon a general allegation of errors in a count of all and giving particulars as to none."

"A general allegation of errors believed to exist is not enough to authorize a testing of election returns by the result of the recount."

"A *prima facie* case must be made to show that where there is fraudulent voting in an election contest at least probabilities that sufficient false votes were cast to change the result."

"The ballot boxes will not be opened by the courts and a recount had of the ballots in a contest of election until it is first established by other evidence sufficient to make out a *prima facie* case."

"It is never permissible to scrutinize the ballots themselves in the first instance to determine whether or not there is just cause for contesting the election."

"Where a petition is drawn in general terms without naming the alleged illegal voters the contestant should specify them by name and election district, by bill of particulars or otherwise, before contestee is called upon to put in his testimony."

"Where petition does not set forth the irregularities with sufficient particularity, a bill of particulars will be ordered."

"Where a petition does not set forth the names of the alleged illegal voters and the causes of their disqualification, on motion, a rule will be granted to file a bill of particulars."

"An allegation in the answer that in addition to the illegal votes named therein, ten illegal votes were counted for the contestant for the office is subject to exception for indefiniteness."

"It is a clear violation of the right of the secret ballot to allow a contestant of an election on mere suspicion to have the ballots exposed and counted to enable him to find objections upon which to make a tangible charge."

Your committee have examined the authorities cited by counsel for contestant and hold that they do not in their judgment sustain the position of contestant. There is a material difference in the cases cited from the one being considered. In each of the cases cited the contestant set out the illegal voting with much greater exactness than contestant herein has done and in each case specific statements of voting by precinct is stated and such cases are easily reconciled with the views taken by your committee and are not in conflict with the authorities cited by contestee.

Your committee find from the petition and the law submitted by the respective parties that said petition is insufficient and the contestant having been given opportunity to file a bill of particulars and declining to do so, your committee conclude that said contestant does not desire to present anything more than the petition to your committee for their consideration. Your committee, therefore recommend, for the reasons above stated, which your committee believe are well founded in fact and in law, that the petition of the contestant is dismissed.

HERMAN H. BREIDT,
C. P. GARDNER,
W. CLYDE JONES,
CHARLES H. HARBURGH,
JOHN C. MCKENZIE,
W. O. POTTER,
E. D. REYNOLDS,
EDWARD J. KING,
W. T. APMADOC,
ARWIN E. PRICE,
WILLIAM H. MACLEAN.

Pending consideration Mr. Donahue offered the following minority report as a substitute for the report offered by Mr. Reynolds and moved its adoption:

The undersigned members of your committee, chosen in the matter of the contested election case of Adlai E. Stevenson vs. Charles S. Deneen, respectfully submit the following report:

Pursuant to call a meeting was held on February 24, 1909. The contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, was represented by Ross C. Hall and George A. Cooke and the contestee, Charles S. Deneen, was represented by Orville F. Berry.

Counsel for contestee asked that the contestant be ruled to file a bill of particulars, whereupon counsel for contestant waived all errors alleged in the petition except the allegation of a miscount of the ballots and elected to stand on such petition as presenting a *prima facie* case in that particular, at the same time declining to file a bill of particulars and asked that the county clerks of the several counties of Illinois be subpoenaed to produce the ballot boxes containing the ballots voted for Governor at the last general election and that the ballots so voted be recounted under the direction and supervision of the committee.

Your committee further reports that the contestant by his counsel at the hearing aforesaid produced a witness, the Hon. Douglas Pattison of Freeport, who it was alleged would testify that in the recent contest for the office of circuit clerk in Stephenson county, he together with the State's Attorney of said county, personally inspected and counted the ballots cast in that county at the last general election for Governor, and that 150 votes were cast for Adlai E. Stevenson and counted for Charles S. Deneen. That a majority of the committee sustained the chairman in ruling out of order a motion and request made by a member of the committee and supported by five other members that such witness be sworn and his testimony heard.

Your committee further reports that the authority of this committee was by joint resolution of the General Assembly circumscribed and limited to a consideration of the single question as to whether a *prima facie* showing had been or could be made.

Your committee reports that on the question of a miscount of the ballots, the petition, in the judgment of the undersigned members of the committee, states a *prima facie* case. That the committee by requiring a bill of particulars prescribed an impossible condition precedent to a hearing on the merits, inasmuch as the best and only evidence of a miscount are the ballots and a re-count thereof. That by deliberately refusing to take the testimony of the witness as to either the intentional or inadvertent misakes of the election judges in counting the vote of Stephenson county, which gave Charles S. Deneen 150 votes cast for his opponent and made an error of 300 in the general result, a majority of the committee thwarted any further effort at a *prima facie* showing by evidence *alundi*, and created doubt and suspicion where none was thought to exist before.

Inasmuch, therefore, as the majority of the committee for reasons best known to themselves, seemed to entertain grave doubts as to the committee's powers, if any it had, or should exercise, and in consequence and by reason thereof, the committee through the fears of this majority having relapsed into "*innocuous desuetude*," we recommend that the General Assembly, by appropriate joint resolution, appoint a committee with the necessary Statutory powers to hear the evidence in said contest as provided by law in such case and that such committee send for the ballots and recount the votes.

[Signed]

ALBERT E. ISLEY.
C. S. HEARN.
D. W. HOLSTLAW.
D. D. DONAHUE.
JOHN O. HRUBY, JR.
WILLIAM MURPHY.
JOHN P. WALSH.

Pending discussion Mr. Browne moved to postpone further consideration of both the foregoing reports and that they be made a special order immediately after the reading of the Journal on Tuesday, March 23, 1909,

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Scanlan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 41.

WHEREAS, The Honorable John McLauchlan of La Salle county, Illinois, a member of the Thirty-ninth, Fortieth and Forty-first General Assemblies, departed this life on the 23d day of September, A. D. 1908; and

WHEREAS, The said Honorable John McLauchlan was a worthy and honorable representative of that class of our citizenship who labor in the mine and factory; a man whose energies and abilities, both as a member of this House and as a private citizen, were devoted toward improving the conditions under which his fellow-workers toiled; a man whose vote as a legislator was always cast in favor of measures for the benefit of the people of his district and the State at large; a man whose integrity and honesty were never questioned; and a man whose conduct as a member of this House earned him the respect of every member thereof and of every person of his acquaintance; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of the Honorable John McLauchlan, the State of Illinois has lost one who as a member of this House was an honest and patriotic legislator, the people of his district an able and energetic representative, his fellow-toilers a faithful comrade and a life-long friend, his family a kind and loving husband and father, and the community in which he resided a distinguished and honorable citizen, and be it further

Resolved, That in due respect to his memory this preamble and resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, and that a copy, suitably engrossed and signed by the Speaker and the Clerk of the House, be forwarded to the family of the deceased, and that as a further mark of respect this House do now stand adjourned.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote,

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 12:45 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. DeWolf, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Bardill, Rigney, Myers and Blair presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Bardill presented a petition relating to the proposed amendment to the game laws which was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Hollenbeck presented several petitions as follows:

From the school directors of Douglas county disapproving of the recommendation of the State Educational Commission which were referred to the Committee on Education.

Another relating to the changing of the time for holding judicial elections which was referred to the Committee on Primary Elections.

Another from the Douglas County Medical Society relating to Senate Bill No. 214 and House Bill No. 173, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Another petition from the Citizens' League of Mattoon, Illinois, relating to an amendment to the local option law, which was referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. Montelius presented a petition from the Medical Society of McLean county relating to House Bill No. 173, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also a petition from the Board of Supervisors of Ford county relating to the changing of time of holding the election for circuit judges, which was referred to the Committee on Elections.

Another petition relating to the increase of salary of the Board of Supervisors, which was referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Hollenbeck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 320, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of railway employes engaged in the repairing of railway engines, cars and rolling stock equipment.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 321, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, use and sale of cigarettes in the State of Illinois,' approved June 3, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907, by amending the title and section 1 of said Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 322, a bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Perkins introduced a bill, House Bill No. 323, a bill for "An Act to prohibit trade discrimination on petroleum and the products refined and compounded therefrom."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Poulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 324, a bill for "An Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Price, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 325, a bill for "An Act to exempt certain property of ex-soldiers of the civil war and their widows from taxation."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 326, a bill for "An Act to protect the public health by prohibiting the collection of second-hand bottles or jars, or the sale of goods in second-hand bottles or jars, and providing the punishment for the violation of the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 327, a bill for "An Act to authorize corporations organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to provide a funeral benefit for their members."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 328, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State, approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in

force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 329, a bill for "An Act to amend section eight as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, of article 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Smejkal introduced a bill, House Bill No. 330, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, in coöperation with the United States, and the development of the water power and other utilities incident thereto, by way of the upper Illinois (including the Desplaines) river, between Lockport and Utica."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

Mr. F. W. Shephard, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 331, a bill for "An Act creating a county text book commission, providing for county uniformity and city adoptions, licensing school text-book publishers, regulating prices of school text-books, prohibiting changes of text-books oftener than once in five years, providing for the sale of books to pupils at minimum cost, preventing loss to families that move, prohibiting combinations of publishers of school text-books, and providing penalties for violations of this Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Terrill introduced a bill, House Bill No. 332, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expense of continuing instruction and investigation in ceramics."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 333, a bill for "An Act to prohibit or prevent railroad companies, corporations, parties, or any person or persons from entering the premises of any land owner for the purpose of surveying, laying out, staking off or choosing a route or right of way for a proposed railroad, or an extension of a railroad, and providing a penalty for a violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. G. H. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 334, a bill for "An Act prohibiting the sale, distribution or gift of malt, spirituous, vinous or intoxicating liquors near any soldiers' and sailors' home owned or maintained by the State of Illinois, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. Reynolds introduced a bill, House Bill No. 335, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county,' approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 22a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Carter introduced a bill, House Bill No. 336, a bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of chapter 122, schools, so as to give directors of all consolidated schools the authority to provide suitable and sufficient means of conveyance to carry the pupils to and from schools as in their judgment shall seem necessary."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. McLaughlin introduced a bill, House Bill No. 337, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 16, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 338, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to restrict the powers of counties, cities, towns and villages in licensing dram shops, to provide for granting a license to retail malt liquors separately, and for punishing persons holding such separate license for unlawful sale and gifts,' approved June 15, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, by adding thereto section 1a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 339, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 259, 260, 261 and 262 of division 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a section to be known as section 262a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 20.

A bill for An Act to amend section 72 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 21.

A bill for an Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so to include the complete administration of testate estates.

SENATE BILL No. 186.

A bill for an Act to amend section 3 of article 2 of "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all acts in conflict herewith," approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

Passed by the Senate March 17, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills Nos. 20, 21 and 186 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees, Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs to which was referred House Bill No. 86, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred House Bill No. 117, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the catching of white fish, trout, herring, chubs, longjaws, blackfins, perch and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 8a."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 91, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit the killing, interfering with, or injury to carrier pigeons and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 254.

A bill for An Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-fifth General Assembly in favor of the widow.

The foregoing House Bill No. 254 was placed on the order of House Bills on third reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Fulton, from the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home, to which was referred House Bill No. 12, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families, in force May 25, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fulton, from the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home, to which was referred House Bill No. 19, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late civil war, the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection and the Boxer Uprising in China, of their mothers, wives or widows,' so as to increase the sum that may be expended in any one case to fifty dollars."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 319, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 340, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 319, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 319 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 340, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church introduced a bill, House Bill No. 341, a bill for "An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of surveyors and regulating the practicing of surveying."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 26.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, March 18, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 23, 1909.

Adopted March 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved to amend the foregoing resolution as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 26 by striking out the words and figures, "Thursday, March 18," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures, "Friday, March 19."

And the amendment was adopted.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the resolution as amended, it was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the amendment thereto.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 25.

IN THE MATTER OF THE CONTEST OF ADLAI E. STEVENSON VERSUS CHARLES S. DENEEN FOR THE OFFICE OF GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

WHEREAS, Under joint resolution No. 7 in the above entitled cause a committee was duly appointed to investigate and determine whether the petition of the contestant as filed, makes out a *prima facie* case, and to hear such testimony if any may be offered as to said *prima facie* showing. And to report its findings and recommendations in relation thereto to the House of Representatives and to the Senate, and

WHEREAS, Said committee so appointed has performed the duty assigned to it under such resolution, and

WHEREAS, A majority of such committee did on the 17th day of March, the day fixed by the respective houses for the presentation for such reports file their report as required by said resolution with their recommendations in the House of Representatives and the Senate, and,

WHEREAS, A minority of such committee did also file their report in such House of Representatives and Senate with their recommendation a copy of such majority and minority reports is hereto attached and submitted herewith.

Therefore be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That a joint meeting of the two houses be held on Thursday, March 18th, 1909, at 10:30 a. m., in the hall of the House of Representatives for the purpose of considering such majority and minority reports and taking such action thereon as such joint session may determine and to decide upon the same by a yea and nay vote which shall be taken upon the final decision on said report and entered upon the Journal of the House of Representatives.

Adopted March 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

IN THE MATTER OF THE CONTEST OF ADLAI E. STEVENSON VERSUS CHARLES S. DENEEN FOR THE OFFICE OF GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

To the General Assembly, State of Illinois:

Report of the committees appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 7, in the above entitled cause.

Your committee appointed under such resolution on February 10th, 1909, most respectfully report: That they met in pursuance to said resolution and organized said committee by the election of Representative Earl D. Reynolds, Chairman, and Senator Herman H. Breidt, Secretary. And notify the respective parties in interest that they were ready to proceed with such contest. That on Tuesday, February 16th, 1909, at four o'clock p. m. your committee met in the Senate Chamber of the Capitol Building, Springfield, Illinois, for the purpose of proceeding with such contest. That at such meeting Mr. Ross C. Hall, of Chicago, Illinois and Mr. George A. Cook, of Aledo, Illinois appeared as attorneys for the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, and Mr. Orville F. Berry of Carthage, Illinois appeared for the contestee, Charles S. Deneen.

The matter of contest coming on for hearing before your committee on the original petition signed by the contestant Adlai E. Stevenson and on a written motion filed by Charles S. Deneen, the contestee, to require the petitioner to file a bill of particulars, specifying the causes of such contest.

The respective parties through their counsel presented arguments and briefs in relation to the subject matter of such contest to your committee, and after such arguments and upon due consideration your committee determined that the original petition presented and filed by the contestant is insufficient and does not present a *prima facie* case as required by law, whereupon your committee upon motion entered a rule upon the contestant to file a bill of particulars before said committee within ten days from this day.

Your committee reports that although ten days have elapsed since said rule was entered by your committee the contestant Adlai E. Stevenson or any one for him has not filed with the clerk of the House or with your committee any such bill of particulars.

Therefore, your committee after due consideration of said cause find that in said original petition filed by the said Adlai E. Stevenson it is charged

First—That in a number of counties in the State of Illinois a large number of foreign born persons who were not naturalized citizens of the United States, nor of the State of Illinois, voted at said election held November 3d, 1909 for Charles S. Deneen, the contestee.

Second—It is charged in said petition that a large number of persons in several counties in said State of Illinois who were not citizens of the State of Illinois and who had no legal right to vote in said State, voted for the contestee Charles S. Deneen.

Third—That a large number of votes cast in several counties of the State of Illinois were cast for the contestant Adlai E. Stevenson and by the election officers were counted for the contestee Charles S. Deneen.

Your committee further report that at the joint session of your committee, held in the Senate Chamber February 24th, 1909, and during the proceedings of your committee, counsel for the contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson withdrew all charges and allegations in said contestant's petition referring to the class of voters above referred to in items one and two leaving only in said petition the allegations relating to votes cast for the contestant Adlai E. Stevenson and improperly counted for Charles S. Deneen, the contestee. The withdrawing of the allegations of such petition above referred to leaves the matter at issue before your committee as follows:

The petition to be passed upon by your committee alleges that the contestant was the candidate of the democratic party of the State of Illinois for the office of Governor, that the contestant was more than thirty years of age and a citizen of the United States and the State of Illinois and had been for more than five years preceding such election on November 3d, 1908; that Charles S. Deneen was the regular candidate of the republican party for such office at such election. That the contestant received 526,912 votes for such office and that Charles S. Deneen received 550,076 votes for such office as shown by the canvass of the votes by the proper officers and that later said Charles S. Deneen was duly declared by the proper election officers, elected Governor of the State of Illinois.

The principal charge in said petition to be passed upon by your committee in connection with the above facts and from which your committee are to

determine whether or not a *prima facie* case has been made, and whether or not the ballots should be opened and counted to determine that question, is in the following language on the first page of the printed petition of contestant:

"Your petitioner further states the fact to be that said Charles S. Deneen was not duly elected as Governor of the said State of Illinois at such election but that on the contrary a plurality of the legal voters of the said State of Illinois whose votes were cast at such election, voted for your petitioner * * * and that 20,000 votes were cast at said election in said State for the petitioner which votes were counted for said Charles S. Deneen."

It is charged in said petition on same page from which the above quotation is taken that 15,000 persons of foreign birth who were not naturalized and 15,000 persons who were not residents of the State of Illinois voted at said election for Charles S. Deneen. The petitioner having upon the hearing before your committee abandoned both said charges, leaving only the charges above quoted, namely that 20,000 votes were cast at such election for the petitioner Adlai E. Stevenson and counted for Charles S. Deneen.

The above charge is the only general charge left in the petition. It is however charged in such petition that in numerous counties in this State, naming the counties, that certain votes were cast in such counties for the contestant and counted for the contestee. This is the most specific and definite allegation made in said petition by the contestant.

Your committee call attention to the fact that all voting in this State is done at such elections by precincts and not by counties and your committee believes such allegations should be by precincts and not by counties.

The contention of counsel for the contestant is that the petition is sufficient upon its face to warrant this committee in entertaining the petition, upon the grounds that under the construction of the statute and the decisions of the courts it is sufficient to establish a *prima facie* case and to justify the introduction of the ballots and a recount thereof. The contention of the contestee is that the petition both in its original form and as finally presented for consideration to your committee as herein above stated is wholly insufficient and does not under the most liberal construction of the statute of this State and the decisions of the courts justify this committee in sending for, opening or counting the ballots. It is further contended by the contestee that said petition is wholly insufficient to overcome the presumption of regularity as found by the election officers in the State of Illinois at such election.

And that before this committee should sustain such petition and direct the opening of the ballots it should be satisfied from the petition or other evidence introduced in support thereof that there is reasonable probability that if such ballots were opened and counted it would change the results of such election. Your committee after considering the arguments of counsel and the briefs submitted by them and a careful examination of the petition presented find, That the petition as presented to them is insufficient to justify a recount of the ballots. That a *prima facie* case, such as the law requires in cases of this character has not been made before your committee. From a careful examination of the authorities presented to your committee, your committee find:

First—That while the Statute is liberal in its language in relation to the counting of the ballots, your committee hold that the language of the Statute referred to by counsel for contestant does not apply until a right has been shown before the proper court or legislative body to justify such recount. From a careful review of the cases and law submitted to your committee by the respective parties we quote the following statements from well recognized authorities upon this question.

"An application or petition for a recount of the ballots cast at an election will not be granted unless some specific mistake or fraud is pointed out. Such recount will not be ordered upon a general allegation of errors in a count of all and giving particulars as to none."

"A general allegation of errors believed to exist is not enough to authorize a testing of election returns by the result of the recount."

"A *prima facie* case must be made to show that where there is fraudulent voting in an election contest at least probabilities that sufficient false votes were cast to change the result."

"The ballot boxes will not be opened by the courts and a recount had of the ballots in a contest of election until it is first established by other evidence sufficient to make out a *prima facie* case."

"It is never permissible to scrutinize the ballots themselves in the first instance to determine whether or not there is just cause for contesting the election."

"Where a petition is drawn in general terms without naming the alleged illegal voters the contestant should specify them by name and election district, by bill of particulars or otherwise, before contestee is called upon to put in his testimony."

"Where petition does not set forth the irregularities with sufficient particularity a bill of particulars will be ordered."

"Where a petition does not set forth the names of the alleged illegal voters and the causes of their disqualification, on motion a rule will be granted to file a bill of particulars."

"An allegation in the answer that in addition to the illegal votes named therein ten illegal votes were counted for the contestant for the office is subject to exception for indefiniteness."

"It is a clear violation of the right of the secret ballot to allow a contestant of an election on mere suspicion to have the ballots exposed and counted to enable him to find objections upon which to make a tangible charge."

Your committee have examined the authorities cited by counsel for contestant and hold that they do not in their judgment sustain the position of contestant. There is a material difference in the cases cited from the one being considered. In each of the cases cited the contestant set out the illegal voting with much greater exactness than contestant herein has done and in each case specific statements of voting by precinct is stated and such cases are easily reconciled with the views taken by your committee and are not in conflict with the authorities cited by contestee.

Your committee find from the petition and the law submitted by the respective parties that said petition is insufficient and the contestant having been given opportunity to file a bill of particulars, and declining to do so, your committee conclude that said contestant does not desire to present anything more than the petition to your committee for their consideration. Your committee, therefore recommend, for the reasons above stated which your committee believe are well founded in fact and in law, that the petition of the contestant is dismissed.

HERMAN H. BREIDT,
C. P. GARDNER,
W. CLYDE JONES,
CHARLES F. HURBURGH,
JOHN C. MCKENZIE,
W. O. POTTER,
E. D. REYNOLDS,
EDWARD J. KING,
W. T. ARMADOC,
ARWIN E. PRICE,
WILLIAM H. MACLEAN.

MINORITY REPORT.

The undersigned members of your committee chosen in the matter of the contested election case of Adlai E. Stevenson vs. Charles S. Deneen respectfully submit the following report:

Pursuant to a call a meeting was held on February 24th, 1909. The contestant, Adlai E. Stevenson, was represented by Ross C. Hall and George A. Cooke, and the contestee Charles S. Deneen was represented by Orville F. Berry.

Counsel for contestee asked that the contestant be ruled to file a bill of particulars, whereupon counsel for contestant waived all errors alleged in the petition except the allegation of a miscount of the ballots and elected to stand on such petition as presenting a *prima facie* case in that particular, at the same time declining to file a bill of particulars, and asked that the county clerks of the several counties of Illinois be subpoenaed to produce the ballot boxes containing the ballots voted for Governor at the last general election, and that the ballots so voted be recounted under the direction and supervision of the committee.

Your committee further reports that the contestant by his counsel at the hearing aforesaid produced a witness, the Hon. Douglas W. Pattison of Freeport, who it was alleged would testify that in the recent contest for the office of circuit clerk in Stephenson County, he together with the State's Attorney of said county, personally inspected and counted the ballots cast in that county at the last general election for Governor, and that one hundred and fifty votes were cast for Adlai E. Stevenson and counted for Charles S. Deneen. That a majority of the committees sustained the chairman in ruling out of order a motion and request made by a member of the committee and supported by five members that such witness be sworn and his testimony heard.

Your committee further reports that the authority of this committee was by joint resolution of the General Assembly circumscribed and limited to a consideration of the single question as to whether a *prima facie* showing had been or could be made.

Your committee reports that on the question of a miscount of the ballots the petition, in the judgment of the undersigned members of the committee, states a *prima facie* case. That the committee by requiring a bill of particulars imposed an impossible condition precedent to a hearing on the merits, inasmuch as the best and only evidence of a miscount are the ballots and a recount thereof. That by deliberately refusing to take the testimony of the witness as to either the intentional or inadvertent mistakes of the election judges in counting the vote of Stephenson county which gave Charles S. Deneen 150 votes cast for his opponent and made an error of 300 in the general result, a majority of the committee thwarted any further effort at a *prima facie* showing by evidence *alundi*, and created doubt and suspicion where none was thought to exist before.

Inasmuch, therefore, as the majority of the committee for reasons best known to themselves seemed to entertain grave doubts as to the committee's powers, if any it had, or should exercise, and in consequence and by reason thereof the committee through the fears of this majority having relapsed into "innocuous desuetude," we recommend that the General Assembly by appropriate joint resolution appoint a committee with the necessary statutory powers to hear the evidence in said contest as provided by law in such case, and that said committee send for the ballots and recount the votes.

ALBERT E. ISLEY,
C. S. HEARN,
D. W. HOLSTLAW,
D. D. DONAHUE,
JOHN O. HRUBY, JR.,
WILLIAM MURPHY,
JOHN P. WALSH.

Mr. Reynolds moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 25.

Mr. Hruby moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words and figures "Thursday, March 18" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Tuesday, March 23."

And the question being on the adoption of the amendment, it was decided in the negative.

The question recurring on the motion of Mr. Reynolds that the House concur, Mr. Lantz raised the point of order that the hour of 10:30 o'clock, a. m., as provided for in the resolution, having already passed, the resolution was therefore void.

The Speaker ruled that the point of order was not well taken.

The question being shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Joint Resolution No. 25, it was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 10:30 o'clock, a. m., in accordance with the provisions of Senate Joint Resolution No. 25, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie.
Bailev.	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Isley,	Mannv.
Baker,	Curtis,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback.	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Dunson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Schumacher.
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scott,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hoie,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	English,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardiji,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Finley,	King,	Nelson,	Tipplit,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kittelman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Welborn,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowaiski,	Perkins,	Werdel,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	York,
Church,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Riley,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Hamilton.	McCollum,		

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly announced that a quorum of the Senate and House was present.

Thereupon, Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the majority report of the Committee on Contest heretofore offered.

Whereupon, Mr. Isley moved as a substitute the adoption of the minority report.

Pending discussion Mr. Browne moved that the Joint Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of allowing the attorneys for the contestant and the contestee to present their argument,

And the motion prevailed.

And thereupon, the Speaker vacated the Chair, and appointed Mr. Shanahan to act as chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Shanahan assuming the Chair, the Joint Assembly went into a Committee of the Whole.

The hour of 12:00 o'clock, meridian, having arrived, Mr. Reynolds moved that the Committee of the Whole do now take a recess for the purpose of convening in joint session to ballot upon United States Senator,

And the motion prevailed.

And thereupon, the Speaker of the House of Representatives took the Chair and as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Isley,	Mannv.
Baker,	Curtis,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton.
Barr,	Dellenback.	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee.	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap.	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Broderick.	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg.	Tossey.
Brown,	Funk.	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain.	

And there were forty-nine members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Fardill,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Mvers,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Browne,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Grace,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Cernak,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Church,	Groves, J.,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.,	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Maclean.	Scanlan,	

And there were 144 members of the House of Representatives present,
And there were 193 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call by unanimous consent the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Lundberg (present but not voting) with Mr. Gibson.

Mr. Clark (present but not voting) with Mr. Rainey.

Mr. Luke (present but not voting) with Mr. Durfee.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	49 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	24 votes
Rufus N. Potts received.....	30 votes
Henry P. Bergen received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Cledgeon,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	—49

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Daley,	Finley,	Lantz,	Richardson,
Blair,	Donahue,	Gorman,	McCollum,	Scott,
Bolin,	English,	Groves, J.,	Murphy, Wm.,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Groves, W. M.,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burns,	Etherton,	Huston,	Poulton,	White,

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Those voting for Rufus N. Potts are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Fahy,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Forst,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Foster,	Link,	Myers,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.

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Those voting for Henry P. Burgen are: Messrs.

Hruby,	O'Toole,
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The roll of the Senate was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	27 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	9 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hav.	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Funk,	Henson,	Lish,	Stewart,
Dailey,	Gardner,			

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Hearn,	Isley,	Rainey,	

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the forty-sixth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 189, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	76 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	2 votes
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	34 votes
Rufus N. Potts received.....	30 votes
Henry D. Bergen received.....	2 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly convened for the purpose of electing a United States Senator, do now rise and resolve itself into a committee of the whole House for the purpose of further considering the report of the Committee on Contest,

And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker thereupon, called Mr. Shanahan to the Chair and the Joint Assembly again resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

At 12:45 o'clock, p. m., the Committee of the Whole adjourned and the Joint Assembly again resumed its session.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, presiding.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee of the Whole, reported that the committee had listened to the arguments of the contestant and contestee and now presented the matter for consideration to the Joint Assembly.

Thereupon, Mr. Reynolds moved to lay the minority report upon the table.

And on that question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 36; nays, 8.

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Clark,	Ettelson,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailev.	Cruikshank,	Funk,	Jones,	McKenzie.
Baker,	Curtis,	Gardner.	Juul,	Olson.
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Landee,	Pemberton.
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Lish,	Potter.
Billings,	Downing,	Hav,	Lundberg,	Schmitt.
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	McCormick,	Stewart.
Brown,				

Yeas—36

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Broderick.	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey.
Burton,	Hearn,	Jandus,		

Nays—8

Roll call on tabling minority report:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Keck,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Terrill,
Brady,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Ton,
Brownback,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Gray,	Lane,	Price,	Welborn,
Bush,	Hagan,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hamilton,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Church,	Hope,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hull,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zinger.
Crawferd,	Hutzler,	Maclean,		

Yeas—83

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.,	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Link,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Browne,	Forst,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	McCollum,	Poulton,	White,
Cermak,	Galligan,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Griffin,			Nays—57

The motion prevailed,

And the minority report was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the majority report, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

The following voted in the affirmative: Messrs.

Andrus,	Clark,	Funk,	Hurburgh,	McElvain.
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gardner,	Jones,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Hall,	Juul,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Landee.	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	Stewart,
Brown,	Ettelson,			Yeas—37

The following voted in the negative: Messrs.

Broderick,	Hobson,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey.
Burton,	Hearn,	Jandus,		Nays—8

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Keck,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Flags,	King,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Terrill,
Brady,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Ton,
Brownback,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Gray,	Lane,	Price,	Welborn,
Bush,	Hagan,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hamilton,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Church,	Hope,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hull,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hutzler,	Maclean,		Yeas—83

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.,	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	English,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Link,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Browne,	Forst,	Luke,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	McCollum,	Poulton,	White,
Cermak,	Galligan,	McConnell,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Griffin,			Nays—57

The motion prevailed, and the report was adopted.

At the hour of 1:00 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Reynolds moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Ton offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 42.

WHEREAS, It has been the settled policy of the United States not to levy tariff upon the necessities of life that do not compete with American products, therefore

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, That our Senators and Representatives be most earnestly requested to use all honorable means in their power to defeat the levying of a tariff upon either tea or coffee.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Mr. Ton offered a communication from the state of North Carolina, asking the passage of a joint resolution with reference to opening up harbors and other waterways by the United States Government which was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Mr. Pierson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 43.

Resolved, That beginning on Friday, March 26, 1909, the roll of this House be called each Friday morning until the close of the session, unless the two houses are adjourned over, and it is declared to be the sense of this House that a quorum should be present on Friday for the transaction of the business of the State.

And the resolution was adopted.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of their amendment to the following joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 26.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, March 18th, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 23d, 1909.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 26, by striking out the words and figures "Thursday, March 18th" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures, "Friday, March 19th."

Amendment concurred in March 18th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

At the hour of 1:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn,

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Perkins, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Browne presented several petitions relating to building and maintaining of good roads, which were referred to the Committee on Good Roads.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 342, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, as amended by subsequent Acts."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Lawrence introduced a bill, House Bill No. 343, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April twenty-eighth (28), 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1 1907.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Gorman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 344, a bill for "An Act to authorize cities and villages whose limits are coterminous with the limits of any township to levy for street purposes, a tax in addition to the tax of two per centum upon the aggregate valuation of all property within such city or village as now prescribed by law."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 345, a bill for "An Act to amend section nineteen (19) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 8, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Acts approved May

13 and 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by the Acts approved May 12, 13 and 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by Acts approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 346, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 8, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Acts approved May 13 and 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by the Acts approved May 12, 13 and 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by Acts approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto three additional sections to be known as 21a, 21b and 21c."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson called up Senate Bill No. 94 in the order of second reading,

And Senate Bill No. 94, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the fees of certain offices therein named in counties of the third class, to-wit: Sheriff, recorder and county clerk,' approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 12, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families, in force May 25, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 19, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased, indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late civil war, the Spanish-American war, the Philippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives or widows,' so as to increase the sum, etc."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 86, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 117, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the catching of whitefish, trout, herring, chubs, long-jaws, blackfins, perch and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding, etc."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 99.

A bill for An Act in regard to the administration of estates of persons presumed to be dead, by reason of seven years or longer absence from their former domicile in this State.

Passed by the Senate March 18th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 99 was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading, House Bill No. 205 a bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At the hour of 10:20 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:59 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:59 o'clock, a. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senator answered to his name: Mr. Hay—1.

And there was one member of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Beck,	Burgett,	Naylor,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker,
Browne,	Lyon,	Perkins,	Smejkal,	—9

And there were nine members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were ten members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each mem-

ber, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received..... 1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received..... 3 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 1 vote

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 3 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received..... 2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Burgett, Lyon, Perkins, —3

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck, Shanahan, Smejkal, —3.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Browne, Naylor, —2

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the forty-seventh joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 10, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-

sixth General Assembly 4 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 1 vote

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 3 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received..... 2 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate has received a majority of the votes of a quorum of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Beck moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

Mr. Browne moved that House Bill No. 340, be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary and that consideration of the motion be postponed until Tuesday, March 23, 1909,

And the motion prevailed.

At the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 23, 1909, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of Friday, March 19 was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Wm. Murphy, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Browne, Clark and Pervier presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Perkins presented a petition relating to township organization, which was referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Abbey introduced a bill, House Bill No. 347, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering employment of convicts, and prisoners in the penal institutions in the State of Illinois in the manufacture of and preparing road building and ballasting material, and to provide for securing quarry sites and erection of suitable stockades and barracks, and for the transfer and detention of prisoners within such stockades and barracks by the wardens of the State penal institutions, and to repeal Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Abrahams introduced a bill, House Bill No. 348, a bill for "An Act to prevent fraud in the sale of white lead, paint or compounds intended for use as such."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Corcoran introduced a bill, House Bill No. 349, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited and for the abolition by like means of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto section 20, providing for just compensation to the owner or owners of dram-shops located in the territory at the time such territory becomes anti-saloon territory."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 350, a bill for "An Act to consolidate in the government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city, to make additional provisions concerning parks and local improvements, and to provide revenue.

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 351, a bill for "An Act relating to the organization and powers of the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 352, a bill for "An Act relating to the ownership, regulation, and operation of public utilities in the city of Chicago, and to enlarge the powers of the city with reference to municipal undertakings and improvements."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 353, a bill for "An Act to provide for the form of ballot to be used at municipal elections to be held in and for the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 354, a bill for "An Act to provide for the submission of propositions to the voters of the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 355, a bill for "An Act relating to expenditures by candidates for offices in municipal elections to be held in and for the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 356, a bill for "An Act to regulate the civil service of the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 357, a bill for "An Act to create a department of education for the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 358, a bill for "An Act to confer the right to vote at municipal elections upon women citizens of the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 359, a bill for "An Act relative to the term of office and the time of holding elections for officers of the municipal court of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 360, a bill for "An Act to provide for the regulation of Sunday observance in the city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

Mr. Pervier introduced a bill, House Bill No. 361, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4), five (5) and six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to protect cemeteries and to provide for their regulation and management,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 362, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article five of 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force March 30, 1887, and as amended by an Act approved and in force December 31, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Rigney introduced a bill, House Bill No. 363, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the probate of wills,' approved June 31, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Shanahan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 364, a bill for "An Act to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying for additional improvements for and in connection with the construction of the seventh infantry, Illinois National Guard armory, situated in the city of Chicago, State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. H. A. Shephard introduced a bill, House Bill No. 365, a bill for "An Act to amend section 245, chapter 121, commonly known as gravel, rock and macadam hard roads bill."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Good Roads.

Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 366, a bill for "An Act extending the corporate limits of cities and providing for the extension of jurisdiction of such cities' officials."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Werdell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 367, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved

March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 18, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 368, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000.00) for the purpose of purchasing and acquiring land and property to be used for the Illinois approaches of the free bridge to be erected across the Mississippi river by the city of St. Louis, Missouri, at points between the city of St. Louis, Missouri, and the city of East St. Louis, Illinois, and providing for the appointment of a committee or commission whose duty it shall be to make the necessary transactions in acquiring such land and property that will be required for such free bridge approach."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 369, a bill for "An Act to amend sections eight, fifteen, twenty-one and thirty-two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith.

House Bill No. 205, a bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes, and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor."

The foregoing House Bill No. 205 was placed in the order of House bills on third reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 254, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, in favor of the widow."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 130.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Scott,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terrell,
Brady,	Finley,	Keck,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Rigney,	Zipf
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
				Yeas—130

The bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 205, a bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes, and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrell,
Beck,	Fieldstack,	King,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Black,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Brady,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	White,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Glade,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gorman,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Grace,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Riley,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf
Church,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,	
Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,	
Crawford,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.	
Curran,	Hull,			
				Yeas—109

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Groves, J. Huston,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up Senate Bill No. 176, the consideration of which had been postponed until today.

Whereupon, Mr. Brownback moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 176 be postponed until Tuesday, March 30, 1909,

And the motion prevailed.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 12, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families, in force May 25, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon, the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 12 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

By adding to section 11 the following: "All persons elected or selected to fill positions provided for in this section shall be exempt from the operation and provisions of any civil service acts or laws of this State."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 19, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased, indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late civil war, the Spanish-American war, the Philippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives or widows,' so as to increase the sum, etc."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 116, a bill for "An Act in relation to criminal conspiracy."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 154, a bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under and by virtue of 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 318, a bill for "An Act for the protection of inn-keepers."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time; And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 90, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers, approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 90 by striking out from line six of section one of the printed bill the word "towns" and insert in lieu thereof the words "any town."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section one of the printed bill by inserting in line nine of said section one of the printed bill after the word "board" the following: "and thereafter said board at its first regular meeting following each annual election of members of said board shall appoint [upon] its own motion, an overseer of the poor for that town, who shall be a resident of said town, fix his compensation and term of office which shall not exceed the term of said board."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Strike out of line twelve of the printed bill the word "may" and insert in lieu thereof the word "shall."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Strike out all the balance of said bill after the words "provided further" in line nineteen.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Browne offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend House Bill No. 90 by striking out the enacting clause.

Mr. Pervier moved to lay the amendment offered by Mr. Browne upon the table,

And the motion prevailed,

And amendment No. 5 was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Browne called up his motion entered on Friday, and postponed until this day and moved to re-refer House Bill No. 340 to Committee on Judiciary, pending discussion.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate preceded by the President of the Senate was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Holstlaw,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Olson,
Ball,	Daley,	Hall,	Jandus,	Pemberton.
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee.	Schmitt.
Breidt,	Dunlap.	Hearn,	Lish,	Stewart,
Broderick.	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson.	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,			

And there were forty-seven members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Scott.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler.	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Black,	Espy,	Jewel,	Murray.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Finley,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burns,	Foster,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	White.
Butts,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Poulton.	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Grace,	Luke,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Corccran,	Groves, W. M.			

And there were 137 members of the House of Representatives present,

And there were 184 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

- Mr. Lawrence (present but not voting) with Mr. Dillon.
- Mr. Allison (present but not voting) with Mr. Humphrey.
- Mr. Behrens (present but not voting) with Mr. Hrubby.
- Mr. Dudgeon (present but not voting) with Mr. Cermak.
- Mr. Donahue (present but not voting) with Mr. Wright.

Mr. Tossey (present but not voting) with Mr. McElvain.
 Mr. McMackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Kowalski.
 Mr. Lantz with Mr. Cliffe.
 Mr. Jones with Mr. Rainey.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	8 votes
John Broderick received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Olson,	Schmitt.	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2.
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Womack,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,		—8

Those voting for John Broderick are: Messrs.

Jandus,	Manny,	—2.
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	39 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	32 votes
William E. Cantillion received.....	14 votes
A. M. Foster received.....	1 vote
John Broderick received.....	2 votes
John Cuneo received.....	1 vote
J. Henry DeWolf received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Montelius.	Shepherd, F.W.
Bardill,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson.	Stevenson,
Brady,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Perkins.	Troyer,
Burgett,	Holaday,	King,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Robinson,	—39

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Stearns,	
Church,	Hull,	Pierson,		—12.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer.	Sollitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran.	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Bush,	Flannigen,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Parker,	Smejkal,	
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2.
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Daley,	Foster,	Myers,	Riley,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Groves, J.	Naylor,	Scott,
Bolin,	Espy,	Groves, W. M.	O'Brien,	Shaw,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Huston,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fahy,	Link,	Poulton.	White,
Clark,	Finley,	Luke,	Richardson,	
Corcoran,	Forst,	Murphy, Wm.		—32

Those voting for William E. Cantillion are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Murphy, E. J.	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Kannally,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Galligan,	McConnell,	Morris,	Wheelan,	—14.

Those voting for A. M. Foster are: Mr. DeWolf—1.

Those voting for John Broderick are: Messrs.

Gorman,	Werdell,	—2.
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Those voting for John Cuneo are: Mr. Murray—1.

Those voting for J. Henry DeWolf are: Mr. Shephard, H. A.—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced this, the result of the forty-eighth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 172, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly	67 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	16 votes
William E. Mason received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	40 votes
William E. Cantillion received.....	14 votes
A. M. Foster received.....	1 vote
John Broderick received.....	4 votes
John Cuneo received.....	1 vote
J. Henry DeWolf received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Pending further consideration of the motion of Mr. Browne, the question being, "Shall House Bill No. 340 be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary?" it was decided in the affirmative.

And the House Bill No. 340 was re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

At the hour of 1:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. Agey.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. H. A. Shephard, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 77.

A bill for an "An Act to give circuit courts of this State and the Superior court of Cook county, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts, in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts, and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof, and to repeal an act therein named."

Passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote March 23, 1909.

SENATE BILL No. 15.

A bill for "An Act to prohibit the organization or formation of secret fraternities and secret societies or permitting membership therein in any public high school, district, primary or graded school of this State, empowering and making it the duty of school trustees, directors or boards of education to adopt rules and regulations relating thereto, and to enforce the same and making it an offense to solicit pupils to join them, and prescribing the penalty therefor."

SENATE BILL No. 148.

A bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 60½."

SENATE BILL No. 187.

A bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 16a."

SENATE BILL No. 188.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Passed by the Senate March 23, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills Nos. 77, 15, 148, 187 and 188 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

In pursuance to the provisions of section 31 of article 6 of the Constitution of this State, the Speaker laid before the House the report of Solon Philbrick, judge of the sixth judicial circuit of Illinois,

Which was ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Bardill and Mr. Speaker presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Speaker presented two petitions, one relating to testing of cattle for tuberculosis which was referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, and the other relating to promoting temperance which was referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. Bardill presented a petition relating to education which was referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Flagg presented a petition relating to passage of Senate Bills No. 183, 184 and 177, which was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Messrs. Perkins and Tippit presented several petitions relating to county organization which were referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 24.

WHEREAS, The fire insurance laws of Illinois make no provision whatever as to what rates the fire companies shall charge for business procured in this State, the question of rates being one entirely with the companies or bureaus and there being no officer in this State who has any authority as to making or changing fire insurance rates; and,

WHEREAS, The fixing of the classifications of municipalities and physical conditions of properties as a basis for fire insurance rates in Illinois is also a matter entirely in private hands and not subject to appeal to any public official authority; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That the Governor is hereby authorized and requested to appoint a commission consisting of five competent and disinterested citizens of Illinois, whose duty it shall be to obtain information and report to this General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State.

One of said commissioners shall be selected from the city of Chicago, one from Rock Island, one from Springfield, one from East St. Louis and one from Quincy.

Said commissioners shall have power to subpoena and compel witnesses to attend and testify and to compel the production of all documents, exhibits or other information the commission may deem needful for the correct discharge of their duties and, to the extent of making penalties for false testimony applicable, the hearing of the commission shall be a judicial hearing.

Said commission shall be appointed immediately upon the joint adoption of this preamble and resolution and thereupon said commission shall at once assemble and begin and continue their hearings at such time and place as the commission may determine.

The members of said commission shall be allowed their actual expenses only, the same to be certified by the commissioners under oath, to the Governor, who shall thereupon recommend to the General Assembly to make an appropriation covering such expenses.

The commissioners shall file their report with the General Assembly not later than May 1, A. D. 1909.

In the event that said commissioners recommend the enactment of a law regulating fire insurance rates in Illinois, the commissioners shall submit with their report the draft of the bill whose basic plan and object shall be just and reasonable regulation of fire insurance rates with the least amount of official machinery and the lowest amount of public cost that would give the largest measure of justice and equity, with the simplest and easiest local application.

Adopted March 23, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 24 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 370, a bill for "An Act to provide for the inspection and licensing of all slaughtering, meat packing or rendering plant or plants or similar establishments in which cattle, sheep, swine, or poultry are slaughtered to be done under and by authority of the Board of Live Stock Commissioners of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Mr. Clark introduced a bill, House Bill No. 371, a bill for "An Act to enable courts of law, to grant relief against fraud."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 372, a bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an Act therein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fieldstack, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 373, a bill for "An Act to amend section 24 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Fieldstack, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 374, a bill for "An Act to prohibit persons holding offices requiring them to value or assess property for taxation from engaging in other business or occupation."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Flagg, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 375, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act to enable cities, towns and villages incor-

porated under any general or special law of this State to fix the rates and charges for the supply of water furnished by any individual, company, or corporation to any such city, town or village and the inhabitants thereof, approved June 6, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Gillespie introduced a bill, House Bill No. 376, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coroners,' approved February 6, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 10a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 377, a bill for "An Act to provide for the licensing of shorthand court reporters and to regulate the practice of shorthand court reporting."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Murray introduced a bill, House Bill No. 378, a bill for "An Act concerning the manner of commencing and conducting the prosecution of criminal offenses."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Myers introduced a bill, House Bill No. 379, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. O'Brien introduced a bill, House Bill No. 380, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 381, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202 of article 8, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 382, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts awarded by the court of claims to certain persons named therein."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. H. A. Shephard introduced a bill, House Bill No. 383, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the exhibit and improvement of dairy cattle at the Illinois State Fair."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Sullivan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 384, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means, of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. Tippitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 385, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,' in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Tippit introduced a bill, House Bill No. 386, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate and fix the time of killing fur-bearing animals,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Walsh introduced a bill, House Bill No. 387, a bill for "An Act to provide a minimum space between street cars operating on public highways and for a penalty for violation of this Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 388, a bill for "An Act to require corporations, companies or individuals who employ agents, servants or employes, to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury to any such agent, servant or employe by his or her representative and to enter upon the premises where the accident occurred for such purposes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. R. E. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 389, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the laws in relation to oil inspection,' approved March 12, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. R. E. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 390, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent sales of merchandise in fraud of creditors,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 279, being a bill for "An Act authorizing certain proof in mitigation of damages in actions for libel."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 184, being a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 215, being a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of sanitary districts, and the election of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and to protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Black, from the Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 144, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute, approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 162, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act relating to employment offices and agencies,' approved and in force May 11, 1903."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 268, being a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the product of the labor of their members."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 300, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employes in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 9, being a bill for "An Act to amend section seventeen (17) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to promissory notes, bonds, due bills and other instruments in writing, approved March 8, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 260, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 171, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Ill."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan asked and obtained unanimous consent to have House Bills Nos. 260 and 171 read at large a first time now.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 260, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 171, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

At the hour of 10:40 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m., having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	Manny,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Olson,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jones,	Potter,
Parr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Rainey,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Lish,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McKenzie,	

And there were forty-nine members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McColium,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Solitt,
Beck,	Erbv,	Huston,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Blair,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Ton,
Brady,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Navlor,	Trover,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Browne,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Rigney,	York,
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	

And there were 144 members of the House of Representatives present,

And there were 193 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Richter with Mr. Dillon.

Mr. Broderick (present but not voting) with Mr. Humphrey.

Mr. Tossey (present but not voting) with Mr. McElvain.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	27 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	10 votes
Samuel Alschuler received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Pellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		—27

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,			—2
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Those voting for Mr. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Rainey,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Womack,
				—10

Those voting for Samuel Alschuler are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	48 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
William J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	13 votes
J. H. DeWolf received.....	1 vote
R. E. Wilson received.....	1 vote
Albert Gorman received.....	1 vote
James Hamilton Lewis received.....	1 vote
Samuel Alschuler received.....	40 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Weiborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan,		—48

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Lederer,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher.	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf.
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill	—2
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	English,	Groves, W. M. O'Brien,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Richardson,
Bliscoe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	White,
			—13

Those voting for J. H. DeWolf are: Mr. Foster—1.

Those voting for R. E. Wilson are: Mr. DeWolf—1.

Those voting for Albert Gorman are: Mr. Daley—1.

Those voting for James Hamilton Lewis are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

Those voting for Samuel Alschuler are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Espy,	Hruby.	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Allison,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Finley,	Link,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Forst,	McCollum,	Myers,	Walsh,
Burns,	Galligan,	McConnell,	Naylor,	Werdeil,
Clark,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Donahue,	Hilton,	Morris,	Scott.	Wilson, R. E.
				—40

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this the forty-ninth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 189, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
William J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	23 votes
J. H. DeWolf received.....	1 vote
R. E. Wilson received.....	1 vote
Albert Gorman received.....	1 vote
James Hamilton Lewis received.....	1 vote
Samuel Alschuler received.....	41 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State

of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	10 votes
Herman J. Bauler received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Bar,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		
				—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt.	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank.			—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Rainey,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Womack,
				—10

Those voting for Herman J. Bauler are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	41 votes
Herman J. Bauler received.....	15 votes
H. J. C. Beckemeyer received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flags,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,			—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipl,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Daley,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Richardson.
Beckmeyer,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	Riley.
Blair,	English,	Hruby,	Morris,	Scott,
Bolin,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Browne,	Finley,	Link,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Burns,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Gorman,	McCullum,	Poulton,	White.
Corcoran,				—41

Those voting for Herman J. Bauler are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Galligan,	McLaughlin,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Fahy,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,	Wilson, F. J.
Forst,	Hilton,	Murray,	Walsh,	Wilson, R. E.
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Those voting for H. J. C. Beckemeyer are: Mr. DeWolf—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this the fiftieth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 187, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	51 votes
Herman J. Bauler received.....	16 votes
H. J. C. Beckemeyer received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the

Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	7 votes
Andrew J. Graham received.....	4 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs. .

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,			—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Holstlaw,			—7

Those voting for Andrew J. Graham are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Jandus,	Rainey,	—4
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose, with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	15 votes
H. D. Sexton received.....	2 votes
Andrew J. Graham received.....	41 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Yock,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,			—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,		—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chlperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,		—2
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Messrs.

Lederer,	Sollitt,		—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Briscoe,	Etherton,	Luke,	O'Brien,
Blair,	Daley,	Groves, J.	Murphy, Wm.	Richardson,
Bolin,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Myers,	White,
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Those voting for H. D. Sexton are: Messrs.

DeWolf,	Foster,		—2
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Those voting for Andrew J. Graham are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Forst,	Link,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Browne,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Clark,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wheelan,
Corcoran,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Wilson, F. J.
Donahue,	Hruby,	Morris,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
Espy,				—41

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-first joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 190, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	22 votes
H. D. Sexton received.....	2 votes
Andrew J. Graham received.....	45 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, an-

nounced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	8 votes
J. P. McGoorty received.....	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Deilenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2.
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Isley,		—8

Those voting for J. P. McGoorty are: Messrs.

Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Manny,	—3
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose, with the following result:

Olbert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	18 votes
J. P. McGoorty received.....	38 votes
Homer E. Shaw received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,			—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			—2
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Messrs.

Lederer,	Sollitt,			—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Daley,	Finley,	Huston,	O'Brien,
Blair,	English,	Griffin,	Luke,	Richardson,
Bolin,	Espy,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Scott,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Groves, W. M.		—18

Those voting for J. P. McGoorty are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Link,	Myers,	Tippit,
Allison,	Fahy,	McCollum,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Beckemeyer,	Forst,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Browne,	Galligan,	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Gorman,	Morris,	Shaw,	White,
Clark,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Kannally,	Murray,		—38

Those voting for Homer E. Shaw are: Mr. Riley—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-second joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 189, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	26 votes
J. P. McGoorty received.....	41 votes
Homer E. Shaw received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pair was announced:

Mr. Poulton (present but not voting) with Mr. Clark.

The roll call of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	48 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	11 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	2 votes
Charles S. Deneen received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	14 votes
Homer E. Shaw received.....	41 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan,		—48

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Hagan,	Kowalski,	Mills,	Price,
Butts,	Hull,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Fieldstack,				—11

Those voting for Wm. E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipt
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black, Terrill,

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Those voting for Wm. H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Charles S. Deneen are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Briscoe,	Groves, J.	Huston,	Richardson,
Blair,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Shaw,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Hruby,	O'Brien,	

—14

Those voting for Homer E. Shaw are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Espy,	Kennally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Allison,	Fahy,	Link,	Murray,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Finley,	McCollum,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Forst,	McConnell,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	White,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Morris,	Scott,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.	Wilson, R. E.
Donahue,				

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The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	27 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	8 votes
Homer E. Shaw received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Farr,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Dailey,	Gardner,			

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Isley,	Rainev,	

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Those voting for Homer E. Shaw are: Messrs.

Glackin,	Jandus,
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-third joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 185, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	16 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote

Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Charles S. Deneen received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	22 votes
Homer E. Shaw received.....	43 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the House of Representatives and of the Senate composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pair was announced:

Mr. Manny with Mr. Stewart.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	46 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	18 votes
E. J. Rainey received.....	39 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Rigney,	Wright,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Robinson,	York,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Scanlan,	
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Shepherd, F.W.	—46
Cliffe,	Hope,	Logan,	Stevenson,	
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Ton,	

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Stearns,	
Church,	Hull,	Pierson,		—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—17

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black, Terrill,

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Those voting for Wm. H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Aischuler,	Briscoe,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	O'Brien,
Beckemeyer,	Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, Wm.	Richardson,
Blair,	English,	Huston,	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Etherton,	Luke,		—18

Those voting for E. J. Rainey are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Espy,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Allison,	Fahy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Foster,	McConnell,	Riley,	White,
Daley,	Galligan,	McGuire,	Scott,	Wilson, F. J.
DeWolf,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
Donahue,	Griffin,	Morris,	Sullivan,	—39

The roll of the Senate was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	25 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	9 votes
E. J. Rainey received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Funk,	Helm,	Lundberg,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick.
Baker,	Downing,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank.
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Womack,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Rainey,	—9

Those voting for E. J. Rainey are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-fourth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 182, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes

William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	27 votes
E. J. Rainey received.....	40 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

- Mr. Dunlap (present but not voting) with Mr. Manny.
- Mr. Durfee (present but not voting) with Mr. English.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	25 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	10 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Eellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Funk,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
				—25

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Rainey,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Isley,	Hearn,	Womack,
				—10

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	46 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	1 vote

William H. McSurely received..... 1 vote
 Charles S. Deneen received..... 1 vote
 Lawrence B. Stringer received..... 20 votes
 Thomas J. O'Connor received..... 30 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyons,	Shepherd, F.W.
Bardill,	Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montellius,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	King,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,				—46

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Mills,	Price,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Church,	Hull,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipperfield,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Curran,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Mr. Terrill—1.

Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Charles S. Deneen are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Briscoe,	Espy,	Huston,	Myers,
Beckemeyer,	Burns,	Finley,	Luke,	O'Brien,
Blair,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Richardson,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, Wm.	Scott,
				—20

Those voting for Thomas J. O'Connor are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Browne,	Foster,	Link,	Riley,	Werdell,
Clark,	Galligan,	McConnell,	Shaw,	Wheelan,
Corcoran,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.	White,
Daley,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,	Wilson, F. J.
DeWolf,	Hilton,	Morris,	Tippit,	Wilson, R. E.
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-fifth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 175, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	1 vote
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Charles S. Deneen received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	30 votes
Thomas J. O'Connor received.....	30 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pair was announced:

Mr. Olson with Mr. Lundberg.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	24	votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4	votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2	votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1	vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	8	votes
John J. Mitchell received.....	2	votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dalley,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Hay,	Lish,	Stewart,
Billings,	Funk,	Helm,	McCormick,	—24

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Mr. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Gormai,	Isley,		—8

Those voting for John J. Mitchell are: Messrs.

Holstlaw,	Jandus,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	45	votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13	votes
William E. Mason received.....	2	votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16	votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1	vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1	vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1	vote

Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	15 votes
John J. Mitchell received.....	33 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Keck,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	York,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoe,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns.
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipperfield,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Curran,				

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Browne,	Etherton,	Huston,	O'Brien,
Bolin,	Burns,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	McConnell,	Richardson,

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Those voting for John J. Mitchell are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fahy,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Beckemeyer,	Forst,	McGuire,	Riley,	Werdell,
Clark,	Foster,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Wheelan,
Daley,	Galligan,	Morris,	Shaw,	White,
DeWolf,	Gorman,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.	Wilson, F. J.
Donahue,	Griffin,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Espy,	Hilton,	Myers,		

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-sixth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 161, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	69 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	23 votes
John J. Mitchell received.....	35 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	26 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	7 votes
W. L. Mounts received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Deffenback,	Gardner,	Henson,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Funk,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Dailey,				—26

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Holstlaw,	Isley,
Gibson,	Gorman,			—7

Those voting for W. L. Mounts are: Messrs.

Jandus,	Rainey,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	45 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	1 vote
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Charles S. Deneen received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	26 votes
W. L. Mounts received.....	22 votes
W. J. McGuire received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Mills,	Price,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Church,	Hull,			

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Charles S. Deneen are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Corcoran,	Foster,	Luke,	Scott,
Beckmeyer,	Etherton,	Groves, J.	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Groves, W. M.	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Finley,	Hruby,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Forst,	Huston,	Richardson,	Tippit,
Clark,				

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Those voting for W. L. Mounts are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Murphy, E. J.	Werdell,
Burns,	Griffin,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Daley,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	White,
Donahue,	Kannally,	Morris,	Waish,	Wilson, F. J.
Galligan,	Link,			

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Those voting for W. J. McGuire are: Mr. DeWolf—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-seventh joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 175, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Charles S. Deneen received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	33 votes
W. L. Mounts received.....	24 votes
W. J. McGuire received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Springer received.....	11 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Rainev,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Glackin,				—11

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	45 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	17 votes
J. M. Dailey received.....	32 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Trover,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack.	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Fahy,	Huston,	Myers,	Scott,
Bolin,	Finley,	Luke,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Groves, J.	Murphy, Wm.	Richardson,	Wheelan,
Etherton,	Groves, W. M.			

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Those voting for J. M. Dailey are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Browne,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Werdell,
Burns,	Foster,	Link,	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Galligan,	McGuire,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Gorman,			

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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-eighth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 179, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	73 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	28 votes
J. M. Dailey received.....	32 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of

Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	11 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Rainey,
Gibson,	Hearn,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Glackin,				—11

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose, with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Charles E. Fuller received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	31 votes
T. J. Crane received.....	23 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	von,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rieney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,			—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Mills,	Price,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Church,	Hull,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs:

Black,	Terrill,			—2
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Charles E. Fuller are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Griffin,	Myers,	Shepherd, H. A.
Blair,	Etherton,	Groves, J.	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Groves, W. M.	Poulton,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Link,	Richardson,	White,
Browne,	Forst,	Luke,	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,				—31

Those voting for T. J. Crane are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Galligan,	McConnell,	Murray,	Tippit,
Allison,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Daley,	Huston,	Morris,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.		—23

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the fifty-ninth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 186, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Charles E. Fuller received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	42 votes
T. J. Crane received.....	23 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	10 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		—23

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,			—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Manny,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Womack,
				—10

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	46 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	27 votes
George Hilton received.....	9 votes
G. B. Smiley received.....	18 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Keck,	Monteius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holladay,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,				—46

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns.
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			— 2
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Those voting for William H. McSurely are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Poulton,
Beckemeyer,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Richardson.
Blair,	Etherton,	Hruby,	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Fahy,	Huston,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Link,	O'Brien,	White,
Browne,	Foster,			—27

Those voting for George Hilton are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Gorman,	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Werdell,	—9

Those voting for G. B. Smiley are: Messrs.

Burns,	Espy,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Walsh,
Donahue,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Scott,	Wheelan,
Galligan,	McConnell,	Murray,	Shaw,	Wilson, F. J.
Hilton,	McGuire,	O'Toole,		—18

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixtieth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 184, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	74 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William H. McSurely received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	37 votes
George Hilton received.....	9 votes
G. B. Smiley received.....	18 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid, that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 4:20 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

At the hour of 4:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Curran moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. W. M. Groves.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Browne presented a petition relating to fraternal insurance, which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. ApMadoe, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 391, a bill for "An Act to prevent the adulteration of linseed oil or flaxseed oil, and to prevent fraud in the sale thereof, and in the sale of compounds thereof, and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 392, a bill for "An Act to protect the health of domestic animals in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Mr. Corcoran introduced a bill, House Bill No. 393, a bill for "An Act to prohibit discrimination in the price paid for products and commodities of like grade, gravity and quality by corporations and individuals engaged in transportation, their agents, officers and employes and other persons and corporations, and providing penalties."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Erby introduced a bill, House Bill No. 394, a bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 395, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act relating to the powers, duties, and property of telephone companies, approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. W. M. Groves introduced a bill, House Bill No. 396, a bill for "An Act providing for the incorporation of burial insurance companies,

specifying the requirements for the incorporation thereof, and for the transaction of the business of burial insurance; providing for examination of and reports by such incorporated companies, providing for a penalty for any violation of the provisions of this Act, and excepting certain organizations from its operation."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Hope introduced a bill, House Bill No. 397, a bill for "An Act to provide for the adoption and use of school text books in the free public schools of this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Hope introduced a bill, House Bill No. 398, a bill for "An Act to regulate the State charitable, penal and reformatory institutions, to revise the laws relating thereto and to repeal certain Acts."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Public Charities.

Mr. Ireland introduced a bill, House Bill No. 399, a bill for "An Act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Luke, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 400, a bill for "An Act to regulate the sale of secret remedies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. McNichols introduced a bill, House Bill No. 401, a bill for "An Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments, and defining certain offenses in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Zinger introduced a bill, House Bill No. 402, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars or so much thereof, as may be necessary for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of A Company, Fifth Regiment of the Illinois National Guard, located in Pekin, Tazewell county, Illinois, provided that there shall be deeded to the State suitable grounds upon which to erect said armory, the site to be approved by the Governor and the Adjutant General."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Perkins introduced a bill, House Bill No. 403, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected, to keep abstract books to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an Act therein named.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Brownback introduced a bill, House Bill No. 404, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to liens,' in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 229.

A bill for an Act to make an appropriation to defray certain expenditures made by members of the Illinois House of Representatives, in the Forty-fifth General Assembly of the State Illinois, in the expenses of and attendance upon the funerals of Honorable Richard Powers and Honorable Paul Finnan, deceased members of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois.

The foregoing House Bill No. 229 was placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 27.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, March 26, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 30, 1909.

Adopted March 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. McNichols moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 27,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Kowalski, from the Committee on Joint Rules, presented the following report:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 15.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That the following be the joint rules of the House of Representatives and Senate of the Forty-sixth General Assembly:

JOINT RULES.

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE OF THE FORTY-SIXTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

1. When a message shall be sent from the Senate to the House of Representatives, it shall be announced at the door of the House by the Door-keeper, and shall be respectfully communicated to the Chair by the person by whom it may be sent.

2. The same ceremony shall be observed when messages shall be sent from the House of Representatives to the Senate.

3. Messages shall be sent by such persons as a sense of propriety in each house may determine to be proper.

4. In every case of disagreement between the two houses, if either house request a conference, and appoint a committee for that purpose, the other house shall appoint a committee to confer therewith upon the subject of their disagreement. Said committee shall meet at a convenient time to be agreed upon by their chairman, and, having conferred freely, each shall report to its respective house the result of their conference. In case of an agreement the report shall be first made, with the papers referred accompanying it, to the disagreeing house, and there acted upon; and such action shall be immediately reported by the Clerk to the other house, the papers referred accompanying the message. In case of disagreement the papers shall remain with the house which referred them. The agreeing report of a conference committee shall be made, read and signed in duplicate by all members of the committee, or by a majority of those of each house, one of the duplicates being retained by the committee of each house. Should either house disagree to the report of the committee, such house shall appoint a second committee and request a second conference, which shall be acceded to by the other house before adhering. The motion for a committee of conference, and the report of such committee, shall be in order at any time. When both houses shall have adhered to their disagreement, a bill or resolution is lost.

5. While bills are on their passage between the two houses they shall be accompanied by a message signed by the Secretary or Clerk (as the case may be) respectively.

6. After a bill has passed both houses, it shall be enrolled before it is presented to the Governor.

7. When bills are enrolled, they shall be examined by a joint committee, which shall consist of five members, two from the Senate and three from the House, to be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House respectively. The clerk of the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills of the respective houses shall act as clerk of the committee whenever their services are required. Said committee shall carefully compare the enrolled bills with the engrossed bills, so passed by both houses, correct any errors which may be discovered in the enrolled bills, and make their report forthwith to their respective houses; the Secretary or Clerk having previously certified on the margin of the roll in which house it originated.

8. After examination and report, each bill shall be signed in the respective houses, first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and then by the President of the Senate.

9. After a bill shall have been signed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, it shall be presented by said Joint Committee to the Governor for his approval. The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor to each house, which time shall be carefully entered on the journals of each house.

10. All resolutions and memorials which are to be presented to the Governor shall be previously enrolled, examined, signed and presented to the Joint Committee, reported, and entry made thereof, as provided in case of bills.

11. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed one house is rejected in the other, information thereof shall be given to the house in which the same shall have passed.

12. When the consideration of any bill, memorial, or resolution, which has originated in one house shall be postponed in the other to a day so distant that it shall not be taken up again by the present session, the house in which such bill, memorial or resolution shall have originated shall be forthwith informed of such postponement.

13. When a bill, memorial or resolution which has passed one house is rejected in the other, it shall not again be introduced during the same session, except in the house so rejecting, and after three days' notice and leave of that house.

14. Each house shall transmit to the other all papers on which any bill or resolution shall be founded.

15. While the two houses are acting together upon elections, or on any other matter, the Speaker shall preside, and all questions of order shall be decided by him, subject to an appeal to both houses, as though but one body was in session. A call of members of either house may be had in joint meeting by order of the house in which the call is desired, and to constitute a quorum of the joint assembly, a majority of all the members elected to both houses shall be present and voting.

16. Motions to postpone or adjourn shall be decided by a joint vote of both houses, and yeas and nays upon such motions, if required shall be entered upon the journals of both houses.

17. Upon questions arising requiring the separate decision of either house, the Senate shall withdraw until the decision is made: *Provided*, that questions upon motions for a call of either house shall not come within the provisions of this rule.

18. Each house shall have the liberty of ordering the printing of bills, messages and reports without the consent of the other.

19. Whenever any message, bill, report or document shall be ordered to be printed by the Senate or House, for the use of both houses, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate or Clerk of the House (as the case may be) immediately to report the fact of the passage of such order to the other branch of the General Assembly, together with the number so ordered to be printed in case the same shall exceed 300.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading, House Bill No. 184, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 171, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expense of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 260, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 229, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to defray certain expenditures made by members of the Illinois House of Representatives, in the Forty-fifth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, in the expenses of and attendance upon the funerals of Honorable Richard Powers and Honorable Paul Finnan, deceased members of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 133.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Scott,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrell,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Blair,	Finley,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pierson,	White,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Glade,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Luke,	Rigney,	York,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scanlon,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hilton,	McConnell,		Yeas—133

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At the hour of 10:45 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Glade moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Pemberton,
Ball,	Daley,	Hall,	Jandus,	Potter,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Rainey,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,			

And there were forty-seven members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beckmeyer,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Esby,	Jewell,	Myers,	Terrill,
Black,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brady,	Finley,	King,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	White,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Piereson,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Gallgan,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wright,
Carter,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Chipherfield,	Gray,	Link,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Riley,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	

And there were 139 members of the House of Representatives present,

And there were 186 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Broderick (present but not voting) with Mr. Humphrey.

Mr. Gorman (present but not voting) with Mr. Kenzie.

Mr. Isley (present but not voting) with Mr. Olson.

Mr. Tossey (present but not voting) with Mr. McElvain.

Mr. English (present but not voting) with Mr. Durfee.

Mr. Liggett (present but not voting) with Mr. McGuire.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	27 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	2 votes
John T. Murray received.....	7 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Henson,	Lundberg,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pottér,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm.	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,			—27

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gibson,	—2
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Those voting for John T. Murray are: Messrs.

Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Rainey,	Womack,
Hearn,	Jandus,			—7

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	13 votes
John T. Murray received.....	42 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F.W.
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Lyons,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,			—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns.
Butts,	Hagan,	McLean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Briscoe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	O'Brien,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Groves, W. M.	McConnell,	Richardson,
Blair,	Foster,	Huston,		—13

Those voting for John T. Murray are: Messrs.

Abrahams.	Donahue,	Kannally	Myers,	Sullivan,
Allison,	Espy,	Link,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fahy,	McCeilum,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Browne,	Finley,	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Morris,	Riley,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Galligan,	Murphy, E. J.	Scott,	White,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Hilton,	Murray,	Shephard, H. A.	R. E.
DeWolf,	Hubry,			—42

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this the sixty-first joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 181, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	74 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	15 votes
John T. Murray received.....	49 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

At the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Chipperfield, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Glade, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Carter introduced a Bill, House Bill No. 405, a bill for "An Act appropriating to the University of Illinois, the money granted in an Act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled, 'An Act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts,' established under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862, and the money granted by an Act of Congress approved March 4, 1907, entitled, 'An Act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Lawrence introduced a bill, House Bill No. 406, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 245 and 248a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Good Roads.

Mr. Smejkal introduced a bill, House Bill No. 407, a bill for "An Act to amend section thirty-four of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Smejkal introduced a bill, House Bill No. 408, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide additional means for the construction of side walks in cities, towns and villages,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by Act approved and in force May 18, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Jewell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 409, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties, approved February 21, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Primary Elections.

Mr. Behrens introduced a bill, House Bill No. 410, a bill for "An Act to permit traffic agreements and consolidations between electric railway companies, whether organized under the general incorporation laws of the State of Illinois or the general railroad Act of this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed Bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 43.

A bill for "An Act to provide for testing the sight and hearing of pupils in public schools, and making an appropriation therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 62.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars used by any person, receiver, or corporation operating a line of railroad situated wholly or in part within the State.

SENATE BILL No. 151.

A bily for "An Act to amend section 276 of an Act entitled, "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes" approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 189.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of "An Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain acts therein named," approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 214.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois."

Passed by the Senate March 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills Nos. 43, 62, 151, 189 and 214 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

Mr. Speaker offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 16.

WHEREAS, The General Assembly in 1907 pased an Act providing for the appointment of a food standard commission with certain powers granted to determine the quality, purity and strength of various foods and among other things provided that the State Food Standard Commission in determining and adopting a standard of quality, purity and strength of milk or cream shall fix such standard as may be determined solely by the examination and test of milk and cream and the can or receptacle in which it is placed, and

WHEREAS, The city council of the city of Chicago in the month of July, A. D. 1908, passed three separate ordinances which then provided and are in force as follows, viz:

ORDINANCES REQUIRING TUBERCULIN TEST OF COWS.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Chicago:

MILK.

SECTION 1. No milk, cream, buttermilk or ice cream shall be sold, offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling within the city of Chicago after January 1, A. D. 1909, unless such milk or cream contained in buttermilk and ice cream, be obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year. The cows having been satisfactorily tested shall be marked "tuberculin tested" and shall be numbered and a certificate shall be filed with the provisions of milk inspection of the department of health of the city of Chicago upon forms furnished by the commissioner of health, giving the number, a brief description of the animal, the date of taking of said test, and the name of the owner. Said certificate shall be signed by the person making such test, provided however, that from January 1st, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: until January 1st, 1914 milk or cream or buttermilk and ice cream made from milk or cream, obtained from the cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis, may be sold within the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from said cows is pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. Any milk, cream, buttermilk or ice cream offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling within the city of Chicago shall be found within the city in violation of section one, shall be forthwith siezed, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents, or employes of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1st, 1909.

BUTTER.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Chicago:

SEC. 1. No butter shall be sold or offered for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago after January 1st, 1909, unless such butter be made from milk or cream obtained from cows that have given a satisfactorily negative tuberculin test within one year; provided, however, that from January 1, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: Until January 1st, 1914, butter made of milk obtained from cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis may be sold in the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from which such butter was made, was pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful to sell any butter in the city of Chicago, unless there be stamped on the package in plainly legible letters of not less than one-eight inch type: "Made of milk (or cream) from cows free from tuberculosis as shown by the 'tuberculin test' or made from milk (or cream) pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago."

SEC. 3. Any butter offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago, which shall be found within the city in violation of this ordinance, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents or the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1st, 1909.

CHEESE.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Chicago:

SECTION 1. No domestic cheese shall be sold or offered for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago after January 1st, 1909,

unless such cheese be made from milk or cream obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year; provided, however, that from January 1st, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: until January 1st, 1914, domestic cheese made of milk obtained from cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis, may be sold in the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from which such cheese was made, was pasteurized, according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful to sell any such cheese in the city of Chicago unless there be stamped on the package in plainly legible letters of not less than one-eighth inch type, "Made of milk (or cream) from cows free from tuberculosis as shown by tuberculin test," or "Made from milk (or cream) pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago."

SEC. 3. Any cheese offered for sale, exposed for sale, or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago, which shall be found within the city in violation of this ordinance, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents or employes of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1st, 1909.

Which said ordinances it is claimed are without foundation of law, unreasonable and void and

WHEREAS, Under and by virtue of said ordinances the board of health of the city of Chicago are assuming to inspect dairy herds in the State of Illinois and to condemn milk, butter and cheese that are produced from cows that have not been tested by the tuberculin test and that is manufactured and produced from milk, which has not been pasteurized and the producers of milk, butter and cheese tributary to the city of Chicago are being greatly annoyed, hindered and harrassed by agents of the board of health of the city of Chicago and the sale of their product is being injured, damaged and destroyed and,

WHEREAS, By reason of the said ordinances and the unlawful and unreasonable rules and restrictions of the board of health of the city of Chicago the price of milk in said city has increased and is being raised and threatened to be raised from six and seven cents a quart to nine cents a quart to the great injury and suffering to the people of that city and,

WHEREAS, It is a disputed question whether the tuberculin test is an accurate and efficient test to determine whether the disease of tuberculosis exists in the animal and it is a disputed question whether tuberculosis can be conveyed from the animal to the human being from milk and its products, and

WHEREAS, A bill is now pending in this Legislature providing for the enforcement of the law for the testing of dairy cows and breeding cattle by the tuberculin test and the payment by the State of the sum of seventy-five per cent of the appraised value of the cattle damages which will lead to an enormous expenditure of money by the State which may possibly be unnecessary, useless and great damage and injury to the dairy interests of the State, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That a joint committee of nine be appointed, six by the House and three by the Senate to investigate into the reliability and the efficiency and the necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois. That they take evidence and have the power to subpoena witnesses and send for documents and papers and acquaint themselves with the laws and results accomplished in other states and that said committee collect the evidence and if said tuberculin test should be found to be an actual and efficient test of the disease of tuberculosis among domestic animals then that said committee estimate the amount that should be paid for cattle condemned both under an optional law and a mandatory law and make the report to the next session of the

General Assembly and that said committee be provided with an appropriation of an adequate amount to pay clerk and stenographers' fees and hire and actual traveling expenses of the committee while engaged upon the work as herein set out.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

At the hour of 10:20 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Pierson moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock, a. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker *pro tem*, of the House, Mr. Chipfield, and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chipfield, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senator answered to his name: Mr. Hay—1.

And there was one member of the Senate present.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chipfield, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Browne,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Rigney,	
Chipfield,	Glade,	Lyon,	Pierson,	Smejkal,	—12
Erickson,	King,				

And there were twelve members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were thirteen members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chipfield, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Flagg (present but not voting) with Mr. Link.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received 1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	4 votes
George Edmund Foss received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

King,	Lyon,	Perkins,	Rigney,	—4
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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Pierson—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Chiperfield,	Glade,	Smejkal,	—3
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Browne—1.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chiperfield, as presiding officer, announced the result of this the sixty-second joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 10 of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-Sixth General Assembly	5 votes
George Edmund Foss received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chiperfield, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Glade moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session.

At the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Glade moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. W. M. Groves.

The Journal of Friday, March 26, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Wm. Murphy, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Pierson and Lantz presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Beck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 411, a bill for "An Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards and providing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Brownback, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 412, a bill for "An Act to amend (section 149, Hurd's Statutes of chapter 42,) an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' as amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

Mr. Browne introduced a bill, House Bill No. 413, a bill for "An Act to require foreign fire and casualty insurance companies to deposit a bond or securities with the insurance commissioner to protect contracts in this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Curran introduced a bill, House Bill No. 414, a bill for "An Act to amend sections four (4) and seven (7) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to oil inspection,' approved March 12, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. Flannigen, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 415, a bill for "An Act to provide a self-supporting board of examiners to determine who may engage in the business of a 'master electrician' in the State of Illinois, to provide for the furnishing by such 'master electrician' to the State of Illinois of a bond to guarantee the faithful per-

formance of contracts entered into by a 'master electrician' and to guarantee the owner or real party in interest against loss, damage or injury through want of skill or through the failure to use suitable or proper materials."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Link introduced a bill, House Bill No. 416, a bill for "An Act to regulate the licensing of dram shops within one mile of incorporated cities, towns and villages, fixing the minimum license therefor and providing for the disposition of the funds received for said license."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. McGuire introduced a bill, House Bill No. 417, a bill for "An Act to provide for the regulation and control of rates of premiums of fire insurance and to prevent discriminations therein."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 418, a bill for "An Act to effect and facilitate a thorough examination of electrical wiremen, linemen and operators throughout the State of Illinois, and to provide for a more adequate protection of life and property."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. O'Brien introduced a bill, House Bill No. 419, a bill for "An Act making it a felony for any corporation, association, co-partnership, person or persons to furnish by means of telegrams, telephone or private wire, market quotations for the pretended buying or selling of shares of stock or bonds of any corporation, or petroleum, cotton, grain, provisions or other produce, either on margins or otherwise."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Price, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 420, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin, Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Price, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 421, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for an Armory building for Company E, of the Third Regiment, Illinois National Guard."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 422, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 423, a bill for "An Act to amend section seven (7) of an Act entitled, 'An Act requiring re-

ports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain Acts therein named,' approved May 6, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 424, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 425, a bill for "An Act authorizing the University of Illinois to provide special training for persons employed in or being fitted for service in the State charitable and correctional institutions or in similar institutions over which the State now exercises or may hereafter exercise supervisory or visitorial powers, and for persons employed in or being fitted for the inspectional or other public service of the State, and to make appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 426, a bill for "An Act granting the right of eminent domain to electric light and distributing companies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Stevenson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 427, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 428, a bill for "An Act to amend the penal code to punish employers and contractors of labor, relative to bribery of representatives of labor organizations and providing a penalty for violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Holaday introduced a bill, House Bill No. 429, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 430, a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 431, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fugitives from justice,' approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 260.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Charitable Institutions herein named."

HOUSE BILL No. 171.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 90.

A bill for "An Act to amend An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers," approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874. As amended by Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877.

HOUSE BILL No. 12.

A bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families,' in force May 25, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 19.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late Civil war, Spanish-American war, Philippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives or widows,' so as to increase the sum that may be expended in any one case to fifty dollars."

HOUSE BILL No. 116.

A bill for "An Act in relation to criminal conspiracy."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 260, 171, 90, 12, 19 and 116, were placed in the order of House bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker called up House Bill No. 243, heretofore referred to the Committee on Revenue, and re-referred it to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 171, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expense of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Illinois."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 119.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Luke,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Shanahan,
Aischuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McCollum,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Mills,	Stearns,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Morris,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Troyer,
Browne,	Foster,	King,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Werdel,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kleenan,	O'Toole,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Piereson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gray,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Price,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Richardson,	
Curran,	Hagan,	Link,	Richter,	Yeas—119
Daley,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Robinson,	Nays—0

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 260, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Aischuler,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Espy,	Huston,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Black,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brady,	Finley,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Fulton,	King,	O'Toole,	Werdel,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	White,
Carter,	Glade,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Piereson,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Gray,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Price,	Wright,
Daley,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Richardson,	Zinger,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
Dillon,	Hogan,	Lyon,		Yeas—113

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-third of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 116, a bill for "An Act in relation to criminal conspiracy,"

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83; nays, 40.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Luke,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	Erickson,	Hope,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Bolin,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Browne,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Burns,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Chlperfield,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Poultton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Price,	Wright,
Curran,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Richardson,	York,
Daley,	Glade,	Lantz,	Richter,	Zinger,
DeWolf,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Dillon,	Groves, J.	Lewis,		Yeas—83

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Carter,	Hull,	Logan,	Pervier,
Adkins,	Erby,	Huston,	Lyon,	Pierson,
ApMadoc,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Maclean,	Robinson,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Jewell,	McCollum,	Sollitt,
Black,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Bush,	Gray,	Lane,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Butts,	Hagan,	Lawrence,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
				Nays—40

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Durfee called up Senate Bill No. 176, the same having been read at large a second time on March 11th, and further consideration postponed until this day and moved that the bill be ordered to a third reading.

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. G. H. Wilson called up House Bill No. 184 in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 184, a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of the bill by inserting after the words "July 1, 1874," the following, "as amended by an Act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 1 of the bill by inserting after the words "July 1, 1874," in line four of section 1 of the printed bill, the following: "as amended by an Act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Islev,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,		

And there were forty-eight members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Scott,
Allison,	English,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Espy,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Elack,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Forst,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Browne,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gray,	Lewis,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Richardson,	York,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Link,	Richter,	Zinger,
Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Rigney,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Hagan,	Luke,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Dillon,	Hamilton,	Lyon,		

And there were 134 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 182 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United

States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Behrens (present but not voting) with Mr. Bush.

Mr. Lundberg with Mr. Olson.

Mr. Crawford with Mr. McMackin.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	9 votes
Edward J. Novak received	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Gorman,	Isley,	Tcssey,	—9

Those voting for Edward J. Novak are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Hearn,	Jandus,	—3
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	46 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	11 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	15 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	23 votes
Edward J. Novak received.....	30 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lvon,	Shenherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Fulton,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Durfee,				—46

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hull,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Fieldstack,				—11

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Curran,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
				—15

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,		—2
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	English,	Groves, J.	Murphy, Wm.	Scott,
Bolin,	Espy,	Groves, W. M.	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Corcoran,	Etherton,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Daley,	Fahy,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Finley,	Luke,		—23

Those voting for Edward J. Novak are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McConnell,	O'Toole,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Poultton,
Blair,	Forst,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Browne,	Foster,	Kannally,	Morris,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Murray,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Naylor,	White,
				—30

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this the sixty-third joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 181, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	15 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	32 votes
Edward J. Novak received.....	33 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Gillespie offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 44.

WHEREAS, A portion of the spelter manufactured in the United States is produced from ores mined in the State of Illinois, and

WHEREAS, No zinc ore was imported prior to the year 1905 and during the last four years over 300,000 tons of Mexican zinc ores have been imported, which ores are produced by peon labor at one-third the cost of producing ores in the State of Illinois, and

WHEREAS, The result of said importation of foreign ores is the curtailment of development and operation of zinc mines in the State of Illinois and has resulted recently in the material reduction of wages, throwing out of employment a large number of wage earners and the closing of many zinc mines in this State, and,

WHEREAS, No tariff, up to the present time, has been asked on zinc ores, owing to the fact that no foreign ores have been imported until recently, and,

WHEREAS, For the last forty years lead ore has been subject to an adequate tariff duty, the result of which is that the State of Illinois is today one of the lead producing states in the Union, and since the cost of producing lead ore and zinc ore in the State of Illinois is the same. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we favor a just and equitable import duty on all zinc ores and that we request our Senators in the Senate of the United States and our members of Congress to work and vote for such legislation as will save this important industry from destruction and produce a substantial revenue to the Government.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

At the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Grace moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. W. M. Groves.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 70.

A bill for "An Act concerning embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 232.

An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for making improvements and repairs upon highways adjoining public parks and pleasure grounds," approved and in force April 22, 1907, and to add thereto three new sections, to be known as sections 2, 3 and 4.

Passed Senate, March 30, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

SENATE BILL No. 47.

An Act to provide for the fees of county clerks in counties of first and second class, and to provide for the payment of the same.

SENATE BILL No. 66.

An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats," approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

SENATE BILL No. 190.

"An Act to amend section 14 of an Act to regulate public warehouses and the warehousing and inspection of grain and to give effect to article 13 of the Constitution of this State," approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

Passed the Senate March 30, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbers 70, 232, 47, 66 and 190 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a House Bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 109.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois.

Together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments, I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Insert in title after the word printing where it first occurs, the words "and binding."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Insert in first whereas in lines two and three after the word printing, where it first occurs in each line, the words "and binding."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In the second whereas, strike out the word "a" in the sixth line.

In the seventh line add the letter "s" to the word contract." In the same line, strike out the word "has" and insert the word "have." In the seventh and eighth lines, after the word printing, insert the words "and binding."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Insert the following as section 2.

That the sum of \$15,000.00 be and is hereby appropriated to the Board of Commissioners of State Contracts to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for the public binding of the State, now under contract.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Renumber the present "section 2" and make it "section 3."

Renumber the present "section 3," and make it "section 4." ...

Number the last section "section 5."

Passed by the Senate as amended, March 30th, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendments to House Bill No. 109 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs: Flagg, Pervier and Shaw presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Pervier presented a petition relating to coal mines which was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Bardill, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 432, a bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 433, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the suppression and prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Mr. Bush introduced a bill, House Bill No. 434, a bill for "An Act to amend section 17 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 435, a bill for "An Act to provide for certain exemptions from taxation of honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the Mexican and Civil wars, and in the event of death of such soldier or sailor to the widow remaining unmarried of such soldier or sailor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 436, a bill for "An Act to regulate the manufacture and use of paint containing white lead, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. DeWolf introduced a bill, House Bill No. 437, a bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed deposits in banking institutions."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. English introduced a bill, House Bill No. 438, a bill for "An Act to define prohibition territory and prohibit and punish the keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor therein and to provide for searching for, seizing and destroying intoxicating liquor so kept."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Erby introduced a bill, House Bill No. 439, a bill for "An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Etherton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 440, a bill for "An Act in relation to corporations furnishing electricity for purposes of light, heat, fuel or power in cities having a population of one hundred thousand inhabitants or over."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Fahy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 441, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated

towns,' approved April 29, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 16, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 442, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, and in force July 1, 1883."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 443, a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Finley introduced a bill, House Bill No. 444, a bill for "An Act to require non-residents of this State to take out license annually before being permitted to fish in this State and increasing fines for violation of this Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Galligan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 445, a bill for "An Act to protect the public from imposition in relation to canned and preserved food and other articles of food."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Galligan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 446, a bill for "An Act to compel corporations operating interurban electric railroads outside the limits of incorporated cities and towns to sound certain alarms at grade crossings."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Gray introduced a bill, House Bill No. 447, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to mills and millers and dams for mills and other machinery and navigation,' approved March 2, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

Mr. Holaday introduced a bill, House Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes,' approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Hull introduced a bill, House Bill No. 449, a bill for "An Act to establish free employment offices in cities of 150,000 or more inhabitants."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Mr. Hutzler introduced a bill, House Bill No. 450, a bill for "An Act to prevent fraud in the use of coupons, checks, tickets, stamps and similar devices and to provide a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Kannally introduced a bill, House Bill No. 451, a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to purchase, construct or enlarge waterworks, to provide for the management thereof, and giving them authority to levy an annual tax for the creation of a fund for such purchase, construction or enlarging, and limiting the granting or extension of waterworks franchise."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Kannally introduced a bill, House Bill No. 452, a bill for "An Act to regulate demurrage and car service charges by railroads and common carriers, and to place control of the same under the jurisdiction of the Illinois Railroad and Warehouse Commission."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Lane, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 453, a bill for "An Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any manufacturing, mercantile, or mechanical establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, in order to safeguard the health of such employes, to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 454, a bill for "An Act prohibiting the making or publishing of false or exaggerated statements or publications of or concerning the affairs, pecuniary condition or property of any corporation, joint stock association, co-partnership or individual, with the intent to give or which shall have a tendency to give a lesser or greater apparent value to the shares, bonds, or property or any part thereof of said corporation, joint stock association, co-partnership or individual than such shares, bonds or property shall actually and in fact possess and providing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McConnell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 455, a bill for "An Act to remove overhead trolley wires and to place them underground in cities of ten thousand inhabitants and over, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. McConnell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 456, a bill for "An Act providing for the safety of passengers at elevated railroad stations."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. McGuire introduced a bill, House Bill No. 457, a bill for "An Act to provide for refunding of ratable premiums by fire and marine insurance companies, and prescribing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. McLaughlin introduced a bill, House Bill No. 458, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. McNichols introduced a bill, House Bill No. 459, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof,' approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Mr. Wm. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 460, a bill for "An Act to regulate the business of transmitting communications by telegraph from one place to another within the State of Illinois, and charging toll therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. O'Brien introduced a bill, House Bill No. 461, a bill for "An Act amending section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the use of clock, tape, slot, or other machines or devices for gambling purposes,' approved and in force June 21, 1895."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Parker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 462, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved May 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 463, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to records,' approved March 9, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as sections 12a and 12b."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 464, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the disposal of unclaimed monies in the hands of administrators and executors,' approved May 12, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Schumacher introduced a bill, House Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing or hereafter organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other state, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependants, hospitals, asylums and sanatoriums."

And asked and obtained unanimous consent to have the bill read a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 465 was taken up, and read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading without reference.

Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 466, a bill for "An Act providing for the licensing, regulation and inspection of cold storage warehouses and regulating the sale of articles of food stuff stored therein."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Sullivan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 467, a bill for "An Act to remove overhead wires and to place them underground in cities of fifty thousand inhabitants and over, and to provide penalties for the violation of this provision."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Walsh introduced a bill, House Bill No. 468, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the use of coloring matter in the manufacture of sausage."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Werdell, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 469, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition by like means, of territory so created, approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

Mr. York introduced a bill, House Bill No. 470, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited, to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. York introduced a bill, House Bill No. 471, a bill for "An Act to prevent foreign insurance corporations doing business in the State of Illinois from writing contracts or assuming liabilities, which cannot be written or assumed by like corporations organized under the laws of this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. York introduced a bill, House Bill No. 472, a bill for "An Act to appropriate five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Zinger introduced a bill, House Bill No. 473, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Allison introduced a bill, House Bill No. 474, a bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. W. M. Groves introduced a bill, House Bill No. 475, a bill for "An Act to prevent injuries from the mistaken use of gasoline or other inflammable fluids."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

The House proceeding upon the order of reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 154.

A bill for an Act to legalize certain elections held under and by virtue of "An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water," approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

HOUSE BILL No. 50.

A bill for an Act to amend section 3 of an "Act to revise the law in relation to fences," approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

The foregoing House Bills numbers 154 and 50 were placed in order of House Bills on third reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 12.

WHEREAS, It is the evident will of the people of this commonwealth that the University of Illinois shall be made so complete in its organization and equipment that no son or daughter of this State shall be obliged to seek in other states or other countries those advantages of higher education which are necessary to the greatest efficiency of social service either in public or private station; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has imposed upon this institution, in its agricultural and engineering experiment stations, and in its graduate school, the duty of carrying on extensive and important investigations of vital interest to the agriculture, industry and education of the State, and the conduct of these investigations calls for the very highest ability and the most thorough training on the part of those entrusted with their supervision; and

WHEREAS, The great progress of this institution in the last five years has attracted the attention of the whole country and made other institutions desirous of drawing away the members of the faculties in said University; and

WHEREAS, The present schedule of salaries is not sufficient to enable the institution to compete on equal grounds with other State and private universities in the United States; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That it is the sense of this General Assembly that the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois should adopt such a policy as will in their judgment attract to, and retain in, the service of the University and the State, the best available ability of this and other countries."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it be adopted.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 340, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 108, being a bill for "An Act to amend section ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 42, being a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the establishment of an insurance department, and the appointment of an insurance superintendent,' approved June 20, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 53, being a bill for "An Act in relation to consolidation and reinsurance by life insurance companies,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 10, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,' approved May 23, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

Mr. Browne moved that the House non-concur in the report of the committee, and that further consideration of the motion be postponed until Wednesday, April 7, 1909,

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred House Bill No. 14, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred House Bill No. 309, being a bill for "An Act regarding reinforced concrete bridges and providing for the filing of drawings of the same."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred House Bill No. 17, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein, approved June 23, 1883, and in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 66, being a bill for "An Act to amend section eighteen of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same

in several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 100, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks, and deputy county and probate clerks from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 155, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 2, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereto,' approved April 22, 1899, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 194, being a bill for "An Act to make the findings of juries final in suits at common law."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 154, a bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under and by virtue of 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 135; nays, 0.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	English,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Black,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Blair,	Etherton,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	King,	Myers,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Forst,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burns,	Foster,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Pierson,	White,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Riley,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	
DeWolf,				Yeas—135

The bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 12, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families, in force May 25, 1907,"

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 128.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	English,	Jewell,	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	King,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Black,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Browne,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Bush,	Glade,	Link,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Grace,	Logan,	Price,	White,
Campbell,	Gray,	Luke,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Riley,	York,
Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Donahue,	Hull,	McNichols,		Yeas—128

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Hall,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dallenback,	Hamilton,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hay,	Jones,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Juul,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Landee,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Funk,	Henson,	Lish,	Tossey,
Brown,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gibson,			

And there were forty-seven members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F.W.
Beckemeyer,	Espv,	Ireland,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Tipplit,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Welborn,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	White,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Richter,	York,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Lyons,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
DeWolf,	Hilton,			

And there were 142 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 189 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United

States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Lundberg with Mr. Olson.

Mr. Ettelson with Mr. Rainey.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	6 votes
Eugene Brown received.....	6 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	Stewart,
Clark,	Gardner,	Humphrey,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,			—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Gorman,	Isley,	Tossey,
Gibson,				—6

Those voting for Eugene Brown are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Manny,	Womack,
Hearn,				—6

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	11 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	16 votes.
Eugene Brown received.....	37 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Keck,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F.W.
Bardill,	Fulton,	King,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Grace,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Robinson,	York,
Durfee,	Ireland,			—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Pierson,	Stearns,	
Fieldstack,	Maclean,			—11.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,		—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Smejkal,	
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,		—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,		—2
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Dillon,	Finley,	Luke,	Richardson,
Blair,	English,	Groves, W. M.	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Huston,	O'Brien,	
Burns,	Etherton,			—16

Those voting for Eugene Brown are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Forst,	Link,	Murray,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	White,
Corcoran,	Hruby,	Morris,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,				—37

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Messrs.

McConnell,	O'Toole,		—2
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixty-fourth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 185, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	15 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	22 votes
Eugene Brown received.....	43 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	2 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

And continuing upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 50, a bill for "An Act to amend section three (3) of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fences,' approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto, having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time.

Whereupon, Mr. Browne moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 50 be postponed until Wednesday, April 7, 1909.

Mr. Pervier moved to lay the motion of Mr. Browne upon the table.

And the question being, "Shall the motion of Mr. Browne lie upon the table?" it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to postpone was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question now being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79; nays, 44.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hope,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Erickson,	Hull,	Maclean,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Etherton,	Huston,	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Montellus,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Butts,	Gillespie,	King,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Grace,	Kittleman,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gray,	Kleeman,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Groves, J.	Lane,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lawrence,	Richardson,	York,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zinger,
Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Durfee,	Holaday,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
English,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Schumacher,	Yeas—79

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Luke,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Finley,	McCollum,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	McConnell,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Clark,	Foster,	McLaughlin,	O'Toole,	White,
Curran,	Galligan,	McMackin,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Geshkewich,	McNichols,	Riley,	Nays—44

This bill having been received, the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 19, a bill for "An Act to amend section two (?) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased, indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late Civil war, the Spanish-American war, the Phillippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives or widows,' so as to increase the sum that may be expended in any one case to fifty dollars,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 131.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	English,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F.W.
Beck,	Erby,	Kannally,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Black,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Etherton,	King,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flags,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Browne,	Foster,	Lantz,	Parker,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wheeler,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Piereson,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gray,	Logan,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hollenbeck,			

Yeas—131

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Scanlan offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 45.

WHEREAS, The Honorable Urbin S. Ellsworth, a member of the Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth General Assemblies, from La Salle County, departed this life on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1906, and

WHEREAS, The said Honorable Urbin S. Ellsworth was an honored citizen of this State, a man thoroughly representative of that great class of our citizenship, the farmer; one who always took a prominent part in all movements for the public good, doing all in his power to protect and advance the interests of this State; a man, who, as a member of this House, was ever watchful of the welfare of the people of his district and of the State at large; one who served the people of his community in different official capacities with credit to himself, and a man whose every act, both as a public officer and as a private citizen was in behalf of the people; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of the Honorable Urbin S. Ellsworth, the State of Illinois has lost one whose every act and vote as a member of this House was in the interest of, and for the good, of the people of his district and the State at large; the district that he represented a faithful and hard-working representative; his wife a loving husband; his children a kind and indulgent father, and the community in which he resided an honored and distinguished citizen, and be it further

Resolved, That in respect to his memory, this preamble and resolution be entered upon the Journal of this House, and a copy thereof, suitably engrossed and signed by the Speaker and Clerk of this House, be forwarded to the family of the deceased, and that as a further mark of respect, this House do now stand adjourned.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote,

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 12:50 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Zinger, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and Joint Resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 28.

WHEREAS, The seemingly hopeless deadlock in the joint session of the General Assembly in the matter of the election of a United States Senator has demonstrated the futility of the primary election law as a medium for the expression of the will of the majority, and

WHEREAS, This republic, as a government deriving its just powers from the consent of the governed, is greatly menaced by the present pernicious system of electing United States Senator, and

WHEREAS, The unprecedented example of the Illinois Legislature in refusing to abide the advisory vote of the people at the recent primary election, has fully emphasized the pressing necessity of legislation by Congress for the correction and suppression of this monstrous evil, therefore be it

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein. That we earnestly recommend immediate action on the part of Congress looking forward to a constitutional amendment, authorizing the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people.

Adopted March 31, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 28, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following Joint Resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 15.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein. That the following be the joint rules of the House of Representatives and Senate of the Forty-sixth General Assembly:

JOINT RULES
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE OF THE FORTY-SIXTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

1. When a message shall be sent from the Senate to the House of Representatives, it shall be announced at the door of the House by the Door-keeper, and shall be respectfully communicated to the Chair by the person by whom it may be sent.

2. The same ceremony shall be observed when messages shall be sent from the House of Representatives to the Senate.

3. Messages shall be sent by such persons as a sense of propriety in each house may determine to be proper.

4. In every case of disagreement between the two houses, if either house request a conference, and appoint a committee for that purpose, the other house shall appoint a committee to confer therewith upon the subject of their disagreement. Said committee shall meet at a convenient time to be agreed upon by their chairmen, and, having conferred freely, each shall report to its respective house the result of their conference. In case of an agreement the report shall be first made, with the papers referred accompanying it, to the disagreeing house, and there acted upon; and such action shall be immediately reported by the Clerk to the other house, the papers referred accompanying the message. In case of disagreement the papers shall remain with the house which referred them. The agreeing report of a conference committee shall be made, read and signed in duplicate by all members of the committee, or by a majority of those of each house, one of the duplicates being retained by the committee of each house. Should either house disagree to the report of the committee, such house shall appoint a second committee and request a second conference, which shall be acceded to by the other house before adhering. The motion for a committee of conference, and the report of such committee, shall be in order at any time. When both houses shall have adhered to their disagreement, a bill or resolution is lost.

5. While bills are on their passage between the two houses they shall be accompanied by a message signed by the Secretary or Clerk (as the case may be) respectively.

6. After a bill has passed both houses, it shall be enrolled before it is presented to the Governor.

7. When bills are enrolled, they shall be examined by a joint committee, which shall consist of five members, two from the Senate and three from the House, to be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House respectively. The clerk of the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills of the respective houses shall act as clerk of the committee when their services are required. Said committee shall carefully compare the enrolled bills with the engrossed bills, so passed by both houses, correct any errors which may be discovered in the enrolled bills, and make their report forthwith to their respective houses; the Secretary or Clerk having previously certified on the margin of the roll in which house it originated.

8. After examination and report, each bill shall be signed in the respective houses, first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and then by the President of the Senate.

9. After a bill shall have been signed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, it shall be presented by said Joint Committee to the Governor for his approval. The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor of each house, which time shall be carefully entered on the journals of each house.

10. All resolutions and memorials which are to be presented to the Governor shall be previously enrolled, examined, signed and presented to the Joint Committee, reported, and entry made thereof, as provided in case of bills.

11. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed one house is rejected in the other, information thereof shall be given to the house in which the same shall have passed.

12. When the consideration of any bill, memorial, or resolution, which has originated in one house shall be postponed in the other to a day so distant that it shall not be taken up again by the present session, the house in which such bill, memorial or resolution shall have originated shall be forthwith informed of such postponement.

13. When a bill, memorial or resolution which has passed one house is rejected in the other, it shall not again be introduced during the same session, except in the house so rejecting, and after three days' notice and leave of that house.

14. Each house shall transmit to the other all papers on which any bill or resolution shall be founded.

15. While the two houses are acting together upon elections, or on any other matter, the Speaker shall preside, and all questions of order shall be decided by him, subject to an appeal to both houses, as though but one body was in session. A call of members of either house may be had in joint meeting by order of the house in which the call is desired, and to constitute a quorum of the joint assembly, a majority of all the members elected to both houses shall be present and voting.

16. Motions to postpone or adjourn shall be decided by a joint vote of both houses, and yeas and nays upon such motions, if required shall be entered upon the journals of both houses.

17. Upon questions arising requiring the separate decision of either house, the Senate shall withdraw until the decision is made: *Provided*, that questions upon motions for a call of either house shall not come within the provisions of this rule.

18. Each house shall have the liberty of ordering the printing of bills, messages and reports without the consent of the other.

19. Whenever any message, bill, report or document shall be ordered to be printed by the Senate or House, for the use of both houses, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Senate or Clerk of the House (as the case may be) immediately to report the fact of the passage of such order to the other branch of the General Assembly, together with the number so ordered to be printed in case the same shall exceed 300.

Adopted by the House March 25, 1909.

Together with the following amendment thereto.

Strike out rule 6 and insert the following in lieu thereof:

RULE 6.

Bills may be engrossed in long hand, type writing or printing, as the respective committees on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills of the Senate and House of Representatives, may from time to time, or in particular cases, decide. After a bill has passed both houses, it shall be enrolled before it is presented to the Governor.

In the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

I am also instructed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as members of the Joint Committee on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills on the part of the Senate, Senators Billings and Gibson.

Concurred in March 31, 1909, as amended.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The following message reporting an amendment to House Joint Resolution No. 15, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 244.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee heretofore authorized by Joint Resolution of the House and Senate of February 24, 1909, to be appointed to investigate the interests of the State of Illinois in certain public lands in said Joint Resolution referred to, and making an appropriation of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars therefor."

Passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote March 31, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 216.

A bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to construct and protect public beaches and bathing places over and upon the beds of public waters adjoining public parks and playgrounds."

Passed the Senate by a two-thirds vote March 31, 1909.

SENATE BILL No. 50.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased, indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late Civil war, the Spanish-American war, the Philippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives or widows.'"

SENATE BILL No. 154.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 121 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Passed by the Senate March 31, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The following Senate Bills numbered 216, 50 and 154 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Kerrick presented a petition relating to fraternal insurance, which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Messrs. Tippitt and York presented several petitions relating to appropriations, which were referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. York presented a petition relating to mining, which was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Tippitt presented a petition relating to protection of fur bearing animals, which was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Abrahams introduced a bill, House Bill No. 476, a bill for "An Act to regulate the business of express companies and to prohibit them from engaging in the business of selling express money orders or bills of exchange."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Adkins introduced a bill, House Bill No. 477, a bill for "An Act to prevent creating a monopoly in the business of buying milk, cream or butter fat for the purposes of manufacture or buying poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of sale or storage."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. ApMadoc introduced a bill, House Bill No. 478, a bill for "An Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 479, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agricultural societies, and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, and in force July 1, 1883."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 480, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to nurses and providing for their registration,' approved May 2, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Mr. Durfee introduced a bill, House Bill No. 481, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize mining or manufacturing companies to own and hold shares of the capital stock, and to own and hold securities of railroad companies whose roads shall connect the different plants of such mining or manufacturing companies with each other, or with other railroads or harbors,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Erickson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 482, a bill for "An Act to amend section 35 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1908, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Erickson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 483, a bill for "An Act to amend section 9, section 10, as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, section 12, section 13, as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, and section 29 as amended by the Act approved May 24, 1907, of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Espy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 484, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, by adding thereto four new sections, to be known as sections 29a, 29f, 29g and 29h.

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Mr. Espy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 485, a bill for "An Act concerning the cutting and sale of ice."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 486, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of an Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Forst, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 487, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 8 and 74 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Foster introduced a bill, House Bill No. 488, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum, and other biological products for free distribution to the live stock producers of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Foster introduced a bill, House Bill No. 489, a bill for "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing hawks."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Fulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 490, a bill for "An Act authorizing the making of additions to, and the correction of, names of Illinois soldiers or sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within the Illinois State Monument, or Memorial Temple, in the National Military Park at Vicksburg, Mississippi, and providing for the appointment of commissioners therefor, and making appropriation for the payment of the cost and expenses thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Sailors' Orphans' Home.

Mr. Fulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 491, a bill for "An Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any post of the Grand Army of the Republic."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

Mr. Galligan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 492, a bill for "An Act to provide for interchangeable telephone service and toll therefor, and to provide punishment for violations of the provisions hereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Geshkewich introduced a bill, House Bill No. 493, a bill for "An Act providing for the licensing, regulation and inspection of cold storage warehouses and regulating the sale of articles of food stuffs stored therein."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Grace introduced a bill, House Bill No. 494, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 1, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by amending sections 1 and 4a to read as follows:"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Good Roads.

Mr. Grace introduced a bill, House Bill No. 495, a bill for "An Act to prohibit discrimination amongst insurants of the same class, or rebates of premiums for policies issued by insurance companies other than life."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Hagan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 496, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, and as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and to add another section to said Act to be known as section 5 thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Holaday, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 497, a bill for "An Act relating to societies of students attending public high schools."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Hollenbeck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 498, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved April 22, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Hutzler introduced a bill, House Bill No. 499, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 6 and 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to divorce,' approved March 10, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Ireland introduced a bill, House Bill No. 500, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to appropriate three thousand dollars for the relief of Henry Stringer, formerly an employé of the State of Illinois at Lincoln Feeble-Minded Institution.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Kannally introduced a bill, House Bill No. 501, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for drainage for agricultural and sanitary purposes and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' approved June 27, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding a section thereto to be known as section 27 providing for an appeal from special assessments."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

Mr. Kittleman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 502, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and regulate the maximum rate of charges for the transportation of passengers by corporations or companies operating or controlling railroads in part or in whole in this State and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and repealing all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict herewith,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Kleeman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 503, a bill for "An Act fixing the maximum rate of fare to be charged by railroad companies, or corporations in this State, and within the limits of all cities in this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Kleeman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 504, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to sanitary districts of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district, and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Waterways.

Mr. Kowalski introduced a bill, House Bill No. 505, a bill for "An Act to regulate and control the sale of certain articles of food."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Kowalski introduced a bill, House Bill No. 506, a bill for "An Act to protect the public from imposition in relation to canned and preserved food and other articles of food."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 507, a bill for "An Act to enforce publicity in the operation and business conduct of life insurance companies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 508, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors, and the custody of the United States field notes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 509, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 510, a bill for "An Act regulating the locating, operating and maintaining of public places of amusement."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Liggett, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 511, a bill for "An Act providing for the election of village marshals."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 512, a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation by petition of legal voters, of anti-saloon territory, within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the discontinuance by like means of territory so created."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 513, a bill for "An Act to amend article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, by inserting a new section therein following section six (6) of said article III to be known as section 6½."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 514, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to quo warranto,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as said section was amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend

section one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to quo warranto,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' approved May 27, 1881. in force July 1, 1881."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. McConnell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 515, a bill for "An Act to promote the public health by restricting and regulating the sale of foods containing chemical preservatives."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. McGuire introduced a bill, House Bill No. 516, a bill for "An Act to provide for the stamping of notes, bills of credit and books of account by assessors and making the same void when not so stamped."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. McMackin introduced a bill, House Bill No. 517, a bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

And asked and obtained unanimous consent to have the bill read a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 517, was taken up, and read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading without reference.

Mr. Montelius introduced a bill, House Bill No. 518, a bill for "An Act further to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory, by providing for the creation, within counties as units, of anti-saloon territory, within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited and for the abolition by like means of territory so created."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. E. J. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 519, a bill for "An Act to define and establish the liability of persons, associations and corporations owning, controlling and operating electric light, heat, and power plants, for the propelling of street cars, for injuries to the person, and for deaths and destruction of property caused by reason of any wrongful act, neglect or default of such persons, associations or corporations."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. E. J. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 520, a bill for "An Act to prevent persons from advertising or holding themselves out to be fortune tellers, clairvoyants, mediums, astrologers, trance mediums, palmists, life readers and from obtaining money by means of representation that they can read the past, present or future by means of cards, spirits, palms, stars, trances or anything of a like nature and providing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 521, a bill for "An Act to prevent the preparation, manufacture, packing, storing or distributing of food intended for sale, or sale of food, under insanitary, unhealthful or unclean conditions or surroundings, for the appointment of inspectors, to create a sanitary inspection and to provide penalties for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Price introduced a bill, House Bill No. 522, a bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of park commissioners and repealing certain portions of 'An Act authorizing townships to issue bonds for park purposes and providing for the payment thereof,' approved and in force March 2, 1907, and 'An Act authorizing townships to acquire and maintain lands for park purposes,' approved and in force March 2, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Mr. Schumacher, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 523, a bill for "An Act for the regulation and control of fraternal benefit societies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 524, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for procuring documents, papers, and materials and publications relating to the northwest and the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 525, a bill for "An Act to regulate and prohibit the misbranding or the non-branding of food products other than hermetically sealed canned goods."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Tippitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 526, a bill for "An Act to regulate all corporations, associations and persons, engaged in this State, in the business of carrying crude petroleum, or its products, through pipe lines, to regulate operators of oil wells and refiners of crude petroleum and its products, regulating the purchasing of mineral oil by pipe lines and providing punishments for violations thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. Walsh introduced a bill, House Bill No. 527, a bill for "An Act to define trusts and conspiracies against trade, declaring contracts in violation of the provisions of this Act void, and making certain Acts in violation thereof misdemeanors, and prescribing the punishment therefor, and matters connected therewith."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Wheelan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 528, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the deposit of reserve and the registration of policies and annuity bonds by

life insurance companies of this State,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Wheelan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 529, a bill for "An Act relating to fire insurance, and to provide for the regulation and control of rates of premium thereon, and to prevent discriminations therein."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Bush introduced a bill, House Bill No. 530, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Bush introduced a bill, House Bill No. 531, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to fencing and operating railroads,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Bush, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 532, a bill for "An Act to regulate the handling of freight in car load lots by railroad companies, shippers and consignees, and imposing car service charges and penalties, for the use and detention of cars and failure to furnish cars and transport the same, and imposing terms for the confiscation of merchandise by railroads, and also, giving to the railroad and warehouse commissioners the power to regulate demurrage and all rules and practices relating thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Blair, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 533, a bill for "An Act to regulate the sale of spirituous or malt liquors."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

The Speaker took up House Bills numbered 338 and 339 heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table and referred them to the Committee on License.

Also House Bill No. 347 heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table and referred it to the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following Joint Resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 29.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, April 2, 1909, they stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 7, 1909.

Adopted April 1, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Zinger moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 29.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 138, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain Acts therein named, approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 157, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 160, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois, approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 158, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act defining and declaring the rights of the public in navigable lakes and streams meandered in the survey by and under the authority of the United States of America.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 177, being a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 14,

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it be not adopted.

The report of the committee was concurred in and House Joint Resolution No. 14 was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported the following committee bill, House Bill No. 534, being a bill for "An Act creating attorney's lien and for the enforcement of same,"

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Hollenbeck, from the Committee on Farm Drainage, to which was referred House Bill No. 137, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of drains, ditches, and natural streams constructed for agricultural or sanitary and mining purposes, and to require all persons owning land bordering same, and all persons owning land over or through which said drains, ditches, and natural streams may pass or flow to annually remove all obstructions from same."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erby, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 394, being a bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Zinger, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 120, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for the reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Zinger, from the Committee on State and County Fairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 133, being a bill for "An Act to amend section five (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 109 and moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 109.

And the question being, "Shall the House concur?" a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McConnell,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hull,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	English,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Erby,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Jewell,	McNichols,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Fahy,	Keck,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Finley,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Parker,	Welborn,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Glade,	Liggett,	Pierson,	White,
Campbell,	Grace,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gray,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Luke,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wright,
Clark,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Rigney,	York,
Curran,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Donahue,	Hollenbeck,			Yeas—122

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 109.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up Senate Bill No. 176 in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 176, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook into judicial circuits,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, and pending discussion Mr. Tippit moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until June 1, 1910.

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gray, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 535, a bill for "An Act to amend sections six (6) and eight

(8), of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 536, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Illinois and Michigan Canal and for the improvement of the Illinois and Little Wabash rivers,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hutzler called up House Bill No. 86 on the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 86, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois,"

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. King moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Hutzler moved to lay the motion of Mr. King upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the negative.

The question recurring on the motion to strike out the enacting clause, it was decided in the affirmative.

And House Bill No. 86 was ordered to lie upon the table.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Hall,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McElvain,	Womack,

And there were forty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Glade,	Link,	Price,	Wright,
Campbell,	Grace,	Logan,	Richardson,	York,
Carter,	Gray,	Luke,	Richter,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Church,	Groves, J.	Macleam,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Robinson,	

And there were 129 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 169 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Rigney (present but not voting) with Mr. Dillon.
 Mr. Troyer (present but not voting) with Mr. Sollitt.
 Mr. Reynolds (present but not voting) with Mr. Corcoran.
 Mr. Logan (present but not voting) with Mr. Scott.
 Mr. Liggett (present but not voting) with Mr. DeWolf.
 Mr. Cliffe (present but not voting) with Mr. Crawford.
 Mr. Barr with Mr. Brown.
 Mr. Humphrey with Mr. Broderick.
 Mr. Olson with Mr. Lundberg.
 Mr. Hurburgh with Mr. Glackin.
 Mr. Ettelson with Mr. Jandus.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	25 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	7 votes
John Powers received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Henson,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Helm,	McCormick,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Jones,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Tossey,	Womack,	—7
Gibson,	Holstlaw,				

Those voting for John Powers are: Messrs.

Hearn,	Manny,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	42 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Charles S. Deneen received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	24 votes
John Powers received.....	25 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Adkins,	Erby,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Bardill,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stevenson,	
Behrens,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,	
Brady,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.	
Burgett,	Grav,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.	
Campbell,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Wright,	
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Robinson,	York,	—42
Dudgeon,	Hope,				

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,	
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,	—12
Church,	Hull,				

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,	
Bush,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,	
Chiperfield,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,	—16
Curran,					

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Charles S. Deneen are: Mr. Lantz—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Burns,	Forst,	Huston,	O'Brien,	
Blair,	Donahue,	Geshkewich,	Kannally,	Richardson,	
Bolin,	English,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Shepherd, H. A.	
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, Wm.	Wilson, R. E.	
Browne,	Finley,	Hubry,	Naylor,		—24

Those voting for John Powers are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Essoy,	McCollum,	Murray,	Sullivan,	
Allison,	Fahy,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	Tippit,	
Beckemeyer,	Galligan,	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Walsh,	
Clark,	Hilton,	Morris,	Riley,	Werdell,	
Daley,	Link,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,	White,	—25

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixty-fifth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 166, of which—	
Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	67 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	15 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Charles S. Deneen received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	31 votes
John Powers received.....	27 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session,

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up House Bill No. 215, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of sanitary districts, and the elections of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Fieldstack offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Applying to the Congress of the United States of America to call a Constitutional Convention for proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America, providing for the popular election of Senators to the Senate of the United States:

WHEREAS, There has been wide dissatisfaction with the present mode under the Federal Constitution of 1787, for the election of Senators to the Senate of the United States, and

WHEREAS, Popular sovereignty or the rule of the people, is the fundamental principle of the governments of the several states, and of the general government, and

WHEREAS, United States Senators under any theory of the present constitution would represent states, and if elected by popular vote as well as if elected by the Legislature; therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein, That the Congress of the United States call, and it is

hereby requested to call, if the legislatures of two-thirds of the several states make like application, a convention of the several states for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America providing for the election of Senators to the Senate of the United States, by the direct vote of the people of the several states, in order that the said amendment, if formulated and adopted by such convention, may be duly ratified by the constitutional number of the states by their several legislatures, or by their several conventions.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Naylor offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 18.

WHEREAS, In the cities of Chicago, Peoria, East St. Louis, Springfield, Decatur and other Illinois cities, at the present time there are many thousands of men and women deprived of the means of employment and unable to find work of any kind; and

WHEREAS, Such a condition is a menace to the best interests of these cities, not only entailing suffering upon children, as well as parents, but in constituting a constant pressure towards acts of violence and crime; and

WHEREAS, The situation is extraordinary and abnormal, owing to the last fifteen months' of hard times, and calls for emergency action by the Legislature; therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring therein, That when there are more than ten or fifteen thousand unemployed in any one of the cities above cited, such figures to be substantiated by the Labor Commissioners of Illinois, that continuous employment be provided upon the roads, waterways and other public work at short hours and living wages; and furthermore, be it

Resolved, That the workers be allowed free transportation from the congested centers of industry to the places of employment.

Unanimous consent being refused for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Naylor moved that the rules be suspended for that purpose.

And the question being on the motion to suspend the rules, it was decided in the negative.

And the resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Mr. Donahue offered a resolution, House Resolution No. 46, with reference to the requirements of proposed amendments to the Constitution,

And the resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dudgeon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 537, a bill for "An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering in the College of Engineering at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

At the hour of 12:55 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Perkins, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 254.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, in favor of the widow.

Passed by the Senate April 1, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 169.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of a safe for the insurance department, and making appropriation therefor."

Passed the Senate by a two-thirds vote April 1, 1909.

SENATE BILL No. 147.

A bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

SENATE BILL No. 191.

A bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act, to be known as section 5a."

SENATE BILL No. 225.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent the introduction of the San Jose scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits, and repealing a certain Act therein named,' filed June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

SENATE BILL No. 243.

A bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to punish persons for willful injury to lines, poles and other apparatus used in transmitting or carrying electric current or messages.'"

SENATE BILL No. 250.

A bill for 'An Act to amend section 16 of an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879; approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved and in force April 19, 1907, as amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1907, and all acts amendatory thereof."

SENATE BILL No. 327.

A bill for "An Act to create a board of trustees of the department of electricity pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled members of said department and the widows and minor children of deceased members of said department; to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the department of electricity, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid department of electricity."

Passed by the Senate April 1, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 169, 147, 191, 225, 243, 250 and 327 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Bills, the roll was called for that purpose, whereupon,

Mr. Burgett introduced a bill, House Bill No. 538, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Mr. Curran introduced a bill, House Bill No. 539, a bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an Act therein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Espy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 540, a bill for "An Act relating to the taxing of telegraph, telephone and electric light and power companies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Galligan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 541, a bill for "An Act to regulate sleeping car companies, and to provide penalties for violations of such regulations."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 542, a bill for "An Act to provide for crediting back to life insurance companies organized under the laws of the state of New York certain amounts collected from them under the retaliatory provisions of the laws of this State."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. McConnell introduced a bill, House Bill No. 543, a bill for "An Act to regulate the business of express companies and to prohibit them from engaging in the business of selling express money orders or bills of exchange."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Nelson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 544, a bill for "An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Nelson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 545, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures and to repeal a certain Act therein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Nelson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 546, a bill for "An Act requiring commodities and merchandise sold, offered or exposed for sale by the package, container or parcel to have marked on such package, container or parcel the net weight, the net measure or the number of the articles contained therein, fixing a penalty for violation of the same, providing certain defenses to prosecutions for violations thereof and repealing all Acts contrary to or inconsistent with said Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Sullivan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 547, a bill for "An Act to prevent accidents from the mistaken use of gasoline or other inflammable fluids."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Walsh introduced a bill, House Bill No. 548, a bill for "An Act to amend section 235 and section 236 of an Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence, approved March 27, A. D., 1874, in force July 1, A. D., 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 549, a bill for "An Act to provide for the appointment of a State engineer, the improvement of public highways, and to provide for maintaining the same, and to create State aid roads, and furnish road building material therefor, and to furnish certain crushed stone free to townships and road districts for certain purposes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Good Roads.

Mr. Smejkal introduced a bill, House Bill No. 550, a bill for "An Act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of same, regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing a certain Act named therein."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Mr. Smejkal moved to reconsider the vote by which House Resolution No. 46 was adopted on yesterday,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Resolution No. 46 was deemed reconsidered and on motion of Mr. Smejkal, was referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

The House, proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 133, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading,

House Bill No. 120, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for the reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 137, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of drains, ditches and streams constructed for agricultural or sanitary and mining purposes and to require all persons owning lands bordering same and all persons owning land over or through which said drains, ditches and streams may pass, etc."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 160, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 157, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 138, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 158, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act defining and declaring the rights of the public in navigable lakes and streams meandered in the survey by and under the authority of the United States of America.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 394, a bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all Acts in conflict therewith."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 309, a bill for "An Act regarding reinforced concrete bridges and providing for the filing of drawings of the same."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 14, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 17, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges etc.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 194, a bill for "An Act to make the findings of juries final in suits at common law."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 155, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled 'An Act to establish appellate courts' in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereto,' approved April 22, 1899 etc."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 100, a bill for "An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks, and deputy county and probate clerks from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 66, a bill for "An Act to amend section eighteen of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved etc."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 108 a bill for "An Act to amend section ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 162, a bill for "An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act relating to employment offices and agencies,' approved and in force May 11, 1903."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 144, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 268, a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the product of the labor of their members."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 300, a bill for "An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employes in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 279, a bill for "An Act authorizing certain proof in mitigation of damages in action for libel."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 62, a bill for "An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars used by any person, receiver, or corporation operating a line of railroad situated wholly or in part within the State."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 214, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 188, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 151, a bill for "An Act to amend section 276 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 148, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 60½."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 77, a bill for "An Act to give the circuit courts of this State and the superior court of Cook county, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts, in all matters pertaining to the organization from drainage districts and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof, and to repeal an Act therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 43, a bill for "An Act to provide for testing the sight and hearing of pupils in public schools, and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 21, a bill for "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate courts, and county courts having probate jurisdiction so to include the complete administration of testate estates."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 20, a bill for "An Act to amend section 72 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 186, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of article 2 of 'An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 99, a bill for "An Act in regard to the administration of estates of persons presumed to be dead, by reason of seven years or longer absence from their former domicile in this State."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 189, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 187, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 16a."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 15, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the organization or formation of secret fraternities and secret societies or permitting membership therein in any public high school, district, primary or graded school of this State, empowering and making it the duty of school trustees, directors, or boards of education to adopt rules and regulations relating thereto, and to enforce the same, and making it an offense to solicit pupils to join them, and prescribing the penalty therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication protesting against Senate Bill No. 284.

Which was referred to the special committee to investigate lands.

At the hour of 11:00 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:59 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:59 o'clock, a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker, and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Mr. Hay—1.

And there was one member of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Burgett,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shanahan,	Wilson, H. W.
Curran,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Smejkal,	Mr. Speaker.
Erickson,	Lewis,			—12

And there were twelve members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were thirteen members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received..... 1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received..... 6 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 1 vote

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Burgett,	Lewis,	Lyon,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Jewell,				—6

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Speaker—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Curran,	Shanahan,	Smejkal,	—3
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixty-sixth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 11, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-

sixth General Assembly..... 7 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 1 vote

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 3 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Lyon moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

At the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed

And the House stood adjourned until Wednesday, April 7, 1909, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. W. M. Groves.

The Journal of Friday, April 2 was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Governor, by James Whittaker, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the House the following:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, April 7, 1909.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives: I transmit herewith to your Honorable Body the report of the Industrial Commission, appointed by me under authority of Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, adopted by the Forty-fifth General Assembly.

The commission has investigated the subjects of—

1. The guarding of hazardous and dangerous machinery and places of employment; and
2. The maintenance of proper and sufficient sanitary and ventilation systems in places of employment.

The report of the commission shows that the suggestions offered therein for the protection of hazardous and dangerous machinery and for the improvement of sanitation and ventilation in shops and manufacturing establishments are of the most conservative character and have in a large measure been already put to practical test by many of the progressive manufacturers of the State; that the installation of the life and health-saving devices recommended will entail but little additional outlay compared with the actual expenditures now borne by employers as a result of accident; and that the adoption of some such measures as those suggested by the commission is necessary to the life and health of employes.

Accompany the report of the commission is the draft of a bill entitled, "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State."

The attention of the General Assembly has been heretofore directed to the necessity for legislation of the character provided in the accompanying bill, and its importance has already been recognized by your Honorable Body in the creation of the commission on occupational diseases, which is now investigating that important subject.

I therefore urge that the present report and bill be given your early consideration with a view to the enactment of the needed legislation during the present session of the General Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. DENEEN,

Governor.

The foregoing message was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Reynolds and Montelius presented several petitions relating to fraternal insurance which were referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Messrs. Jewell, J. Groves, Keck, Lantz, Montelius, Huston and Hollenbeck presented several petitions relating to osteopathy, which were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Blair presented a petition relating to an appropriation for a permanent system of agriculture, which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. DeWolf presented a petition relating to the use of seines, which was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. O'Brien presented a petition relating to the greater safety of railroad employes, which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 551, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois, and regulating the conditions and provisions of policies of life insurance companies, organized under the laws of this State, or doing business herein,' approved May 20, 1907, in force January 1, 1908."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 552, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to correct certain abuses and prevent unjust discriminations and by life insurance companies doing business in this State, between insureds of the same class and equal expectation of life, in the rates, amount, or payment of premiums, in the return of premiums, dividends, rebates on other benefits,' approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippet introduced a bill, House Bill No. 553, a bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 554, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases and to provide for the collection of the same,' approved June 15, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by adding thereto section 151½."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hollenbeck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 555, a bill for "An Act to amend sections two (2), twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,

as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott introduced a bill, House Bill No. 556, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 12, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 28, 30, 31 and 34 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 23, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by an Act approved May 23, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and as amended by Acts approved May 13, 25 and 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 557, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the use of powder in coal mines,' approved and in force May 14, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 558, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 16, 18 and 34 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 559, a bill for "An Act to amend section 20 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Acts approved May 18 and 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 560, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the use of powder in coal mines,' approved and in force May 14, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 561, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act

concerning the use of powder in coal mines,' approved and in force May 14, 1903, and as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Finley, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 562, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Finley, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 563, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Finley, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 564, a bill for "An Act to amend section 20 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Acts approved May 18 and 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 565, a bill for "An Act to authorize the city of Carmi, White county, Illinois, to construct a dam across the Little Wabash river, for sanitary purposes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvement and Commerce.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 249, being a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL 184.

A bill for an Act and to amend section four (4) of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages, approved Feb. 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The foregoing House Bill No. 184 was placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

The Speaker took up the following House bills heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table and referred them to the following committees:

House Bill No. 535 to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

House Bill No. 485 to to the Committee on Manufacturers.

House Bill No. 428 to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

House Bill No. 540 to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 477 to the Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 481 to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bills numbered 520, 450 and 415 to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up House Bill No. 108 in the order of second reading, whereupon,

House Bill No. 108, a bill for "An Act to amend section ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McMackin called up House Bill No. 517, in the order of second reading, whereupon, House Bill No. 517, a bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Pervier called up House Bill No. 144, in the order of second reading, and House Bill No. 144, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Agriculture offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 144, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 144 in line thirteen of the printed bill by striking out the words and figures "fifty thousand (50,000) and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "sixty thousand (60,000)."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Price called up House Bill No. 17, in the order of second reading, and House Bill No. 17, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges, etc.,'

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Roads and Bridges, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 17, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 17, by striking out of section one (1) the words and figures, "Ten Thousand (10,000) and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures, "Fifteen thousand (15,000)."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. W. Wilson called up House Bill No. 157, in the order of second reading, whereupon,

House Bill No. 157, a bill for "An Act to amend section (6) of 'An Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. W. Wilson called up House Bill No. 162, in the order of second reading, whereupon,

House Bill No. 162, a bill for "An Act to amend section 12, of 'An Act relating to employment offices and agencies,' approved and in force May 11, 1903,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. W. Wilson called up House Bill No. 160, in the order of second reading, whereupon,

House Bill No. 160, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11, of 'An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Pending discussion Mr. Smeikal moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until tomorrow, and that the bill retain its place on the calendar.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Lyon called up House Bill No. 309, in the order of second reading, and House Bill No. 309, a bill for "An Act regarding reinforced concrete bridges and providing for the filing of drawings of the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Roads and Bridges offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 309 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Commence at the word "the" in line nine of section 4, page three, of the printed bill, strike out the following "county treasurer of said county" and insert in lieu thereof the following "contractor."

The amendmend was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In line three, section 6, page three of the printed bill, strike out the words and figures "Ten dollars (\$10.00) and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures, "Fifty dollars (\$50.00) and in line four of section 6, page three, printed bill, strike out the words and figures "Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "One hundred dollars (\$100.00)."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Durfee offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 309 by adding to the language of the "title" the words, "and providing a penalty for failure so to do."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up House Bill No. 215, in the order of second reading, whereupon,

House Bill No. 215, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of sanitary districts, and the election of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow, etc.'"

Having been printed, was taken up, and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The Speaker called up the motion heretofore made by Mr. Browne and postponed until this day, that the House non-concur in the report of the Committee on County and Township Organization with reference to Senate Bill No. 10, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town,' approved May 23, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Whereupon Mr. Adkins moved to lay the motion of Mr. Browne upon the table.

And on that question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 86; nays, 51.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hope,	McConnell,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Espy,	Huston,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Mills,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Finley,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Foster,	King,	Perkins,	Tippitt,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Ton,
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Kittleman,	Pierson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Grace,	Lantz,	Price,	Welborn,
Bush,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Groves, W. M.	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Link,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Church,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	York,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Macleam,	Scott,	Zipf
DeWolf,				

Yeas—86

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Glade,	Luke,	Poulton,
Allison,	Dillon,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Richer,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Griffin,	McNichols,	Riley,
Black,	Erby,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shanahan,
Brady,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Browne,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Forst,	Lane,	O'Brien,	White,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,				Nays—51

The motion of Mr. Browne to non-concur in the report of the committee was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Perkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the motion of Mr. Browne was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Adkins moved to lay the motion of Mr. Perkins upon the table. The motion prevailed,

And the motion of Mr. Perkins to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gardner,	Henson,	Lish,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gibson,	Holstlaw,	Lundberg,
Baker,	Curtis,	Glackin,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bail,	Dailey,	Gorman,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Isley,	Manny,
Billings,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Broderick,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Jones,	Potter,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Hearn,	Juul,	Stewart,
Burton,	Funk,	Helm,	Landee,	Tossey,

And there were forty-five members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scott,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Alschiuer,	Durfee,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erickson,	Huston,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Finley,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terril,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pierson,	White,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Link,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.

And there were 140 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 185 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of the members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. McMackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Crawford.

Mr. Troyer (present but not voting) with Mr. Schumacher.

Mr. Hearn (present but not voting) with Mr. Schmitt.

Mr. Lundberg (present but not voting) with Mr. Olson.

Mr. McCormick with Mr. Rainey.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	8 votes
Guy R. Williams received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKerzie,
Baker,	Dowring,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landel,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Brown,	Jones,	
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	
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—2.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gibson,	Gorman,	Manny,	Tossey,	
Burton,	Glackin,	Isley,			—8

Those voting for Guy R. Williams are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	15 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	25 votes
Guy R. Williams received.....	27 votes
Richard F. Kinsella received.....	1 vote
Arthur F. Evans received.....	2 votes
Charles Comiskey received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlon,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Neison,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Ton,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,			

—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	Zipf

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			—2
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Clark,	English,	Huston,	O'Brien,
Blair,	Corcoran,	Espy,	Link,	Richardson,
Bolin,	Daley,	Etherton,	Luke,	Scott,
Briscoe,	Dillon,	Finley,	McLaughlin,	Staymates,
Browne,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Tippit,

—25

Those voting for Guy R. Williams are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Forst,	Hilton,	Murray,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Foster,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Beckemeyer,	Geshkewich,	Kannally,	Poulton,	Werdell.
Burns,	Gorman,	McCollum,	Riley,	White,
DeWolf,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
Fahy,	Groves, J.			—27

Those voting for Richard F. Kinsella are: Mr. Lantz—1.

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Messrs.

McConnell, O'Toole,

—2

Those voting for Charles Comiskey are: Mr. Murphy, Wm.—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixty-seventh joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 181, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	15 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	33 votes
Guy R. Williams received.....	28 votes
Richard F. Kinsella received.....	1 vote
Arthur F. Evans received.....	2 votes
Charles Comiskey received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kowalski introduced a bill, House Bill No. 566, a bill for "An Act requiring that boots and shoes made in certain parts of substitutes for leather, and boots and shoes made by 'convict or prison labor,' to be stamped, and providing a penalty for failure to so stamp."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 567, a bill for "An Act to define gift enterprise and to provide a penalty for carrying on the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 568, a bill for "An Act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 569, a bill for "An Act to regulate the manner of discharging explosives in coal mines and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush introduced a bill, House Bill No. 570, a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish a Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners and prescribe their powers and duties,' approved April 13, 1871, in force July 1, 1871."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Murray introduced a bill, House Bill No. 571, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act requiring compensation for causing death by wrongful Act, neglect or default,' approved February 12, 1853, in force February 12, 1853, as amended by Act approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

This bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. E. J. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 572, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act to amend section 421 of an Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence, approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster introduced a bill, House Bill No. 573, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28) twenty-nine (29), and thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Smejkal offered a comparison of estimates prepared by Lyman E. Cooley to accompany House Bill No. 330, in connection with the development of a deep waterway.

And moved that five thousand copies be printed for the use of the members,

The motion prevailed.

And it was ordered.

Mr. Lane offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 47.

WHEREAS, The coat room janitors who have in charge the coats, hats and other property of the members of the House from early morn until the adjournment of the committees, frequently extending until late at night, requiring their constant presence; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Speaker of the House be authorized to certify to their names on the payroll as policemen at a per diem of three dollars (\$3.00) per day, dating from January 6th, the first day of the session. This resolution shall apply to the janitor in charge on the Republican side and to the janitor in charge on the Democratic side.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative by a two-thirds vote.

Mr. Stearns offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 19.

WHEREAS, The loss of life in coal mine explosions in Illinois has increased to such a degree during recent years, that the utmost efforts to prevent such explosions and to make human lives otherwise as safe as possible in the mines should be made by all mine owners and by the mine workmen and by persons legally charged with the enforcement of the mining laws and by the enactment of additional laws, if it shall appear that additional laws may be helpful, and

WHEREAS, It appears that the causes of such explosions and other coal mining accidents and available means for the prevention thereof and not now fully known and understood, but the technologic branch of the United States Geologic Survey is now engaged in scientific investigations bearing upon the cause of such accidents, and

WHEREAS, It is alleged that a vast amount of coal is being made unavailable for future use and is being permanently lost by present methods of mining and marketing coal in Illinois, therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That a commission be constituted to be known as the mining investigation commission, consisting of two mine owners, two coal miners, one representative of the Illinois Geologic Survey, one representative of the United States Geologic Survey, two members of the Illinois State Mining Board, and two State mine inspectors, to be appointed by the Governor, with power and authority to investigate all and singular the aforesaid matters; that such commission shall have power and are authorized to administer oaths, compel the attendance of and to examine witnesses, and also to compel the production of books, documents and papers by subpoenas, and to make such rules not inconsistent with or contrary to law for the government of proceeding before it, as it may deem proper, and shall have the same power to enforce such rules and to preserve order and decorum in its presence as is vested by the common law or statutes of this State in any court of general jurisdiction. The fees and per diem of witnesses shall be the same as in courts of record.

Said commission shall meet within ten days after notice of appointment in Springfield, Illinois, on receipt of a call signed by any three of its members, and immediately elect a chairman and secretary, who shall cause a record to be made and kept of all its proceedings. Six members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and said commission may hold sessions at such places as it may deem proper within the State of Illinois.

Said commission shall report to the Governor and to the General Assembly at its next session, submitting a proposed revision of the coal mining

laws of the State, together with such other recommendations as to the commission shall seem fit and proper relating to coal mining in the State of Illinois.

The members of said commission shall receive no compensation for their services, but they shall be reimbursed for their actual expenses incurred in and about the actual work of such commission.

Said commission may appoint a stenographer or clerk and such other employes as are necessary, and shall fix their compensation, and may incur such other expenses as are properly incidental to the work of the commission.

The sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) is hereby appropriated for the postage, stationery, clerical and expert services, and incidental traveling expenses of the commission, and the Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized to draw his warrant for the foregoing amount, or any part thereof, in payment of any expenses, charges or disbursements authorized by this Act, on order of this commission, signed by its chairman, attested by its secretary, and approved by the Governor.

The State Board of Contracts is hereby authorized and directed to provide all necessary printing for the mining investigation commission, and testimony taken by it shall be reported in full and may be published from time to time by the commission.

The foregoing House Joint Resolution No. 19, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Chipfield offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 48.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in His wisdom to remove from the field of activity the Adjutant General of the State of Illinois, Major General Thomas W. Scott, and

WHEREAS, His death has come to the State of Illinois and to the General Assembly thereof as a profound shock by reason of its unexpected occurrence, and

WHEREAS, Major General Scott was during his lifetime one of the most useful citizens of the State of Illinois, a man of sterling qualities who by his considerate treatment of all with whom he was brought into contact had won a warm place in their hearts and affections, and

WHEREAS, He was a warm friend, a kind husband and a loving father and a gentleman of the highest character in all of his relations in life, and

WHEREAS, In his administration of the office of the Adjutant General of the State of Illinois, the National Guard of this State has been advanced to a high degree of efficiency and now stands among the first organizations of a similar nature in this country, and

WHEREAS, During the time of the nation's need, in its struggle between the North and the South, in the War of the Rebellion, General Scott was a brave Union soldier, who performed with credit to himself and devotion to his country every duty to which he was assigned; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of Illinois as a mark of esteem, affection and respect and as indicative of the high regard borne by this House of the General Assembly for Major General Thomas W. Scott, That a committee of fifteen be appointed from the members of this House to attend the funeral of the said Major General Scott in a body and that we extend to the family of the deceased our tenderest sympathy in the hour of this their affliction; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and that a copy suitably engrossed be forwarded by the Clerk to the family of the deceased and that as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and in accordance therewith, at the hour of 12:55 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

The Speaker appointed as the committee provided for in the foregoing resolution: Messrs.

Durfee, Logan, Kirkpatrick, Keck, Flagg, Welborn, Lyon, Stevenson, King, Crawford, Luke, Morris, White, Tippet, Blair.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Wm. Murphy, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17.

Applying to the Congress of the United States of America to call a Constitutional Convention for proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America, providing for the popular election of Senators to the Senate of the United States:

WHEREAS, There has been wide dissatisfaction with the present mode under the Federal Constitution of 1787, for the election of Senators to the Senate of the United States, and

WHEREAS, Popular sovereignty, or the rule of the people, is the fundamental principle of the governments of the several states and of the general government, and

WHEREAS, United States Senators under any theory of the present Constitution would represent states, and if elected by popular vote as well [as] if elected by the legislature; therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein, That the Congress of the United States call, and it is hereby requested to call, if the legislatures of two-thirds of the several states make like application, a convention of the several states for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America, providing for the election of Senators to the Senate of the United States, by the direct vote of the people of the several states, in order that the said amendment, if formulated and adopted by such convention, may be duly ratified by the constitutional number of the states by their several legislatures, or by their several conventions.

Concurred in April 7, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 30.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein. That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, April 8th, they stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 14, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Adopted April 8, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipperfield moved to amend the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 30 by striking out the words and figures "Thursday, April 8th" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Friday, April 9th,"

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Chipperfield thereupon moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the resolution as amended,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the amendment thereto.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 165.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 24 and 25 of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain, at the expense of the county, a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis.

Together with the following amendments thereto; in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend title by striking out all after the figures "1874" and put a period after 1874.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend said bill by striking out the word "cure" in line eighteen, printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "treatment."

Passed the Senate as amended, April 7, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Wright moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 165,

And on this question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:
Yeas, 116.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Grace,	Lewis,	Richardson,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Link,	Rigney,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Robinson,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Scott,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hope,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hull,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Black,	Erickson,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stearns,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Morris,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Burns,	Flagg,	King,	Murray,	Werdel,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	White,
Campbell,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wright,
Clark,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Zipf,
Corcoran,				

Yeas—116

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 165.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 171.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Illinois.

Passed by the Senate April 7, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 28.

A bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal and charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 192.

A bill for an Act to amend section 11 of "An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois," approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877.

SENATE BILL No. 195.

A bill for an Act to amend section 21 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 305.

A bill for an Act to provide for judges of circuit courts and judges of the superior court of Cook county holding court in the several circuits of the State and Cook county by order of the Supreme Court or any judge thereof.

Passed by the Senate April 7, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 28, 192, 195 and 305, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Kerrick presented a petition relating to osteopathy, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 574, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixteen (16) and seventeen (17) of 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held November 7, 1905, and adopted, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, adopted at election held September 17, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lawrence introduced a bill, House Bill No. 575, a bill for "An Act authorizing the Governor to appoint a State forestry board and State forester, and for the purchase of a white pine forest tract in Ogle county to be known as the 'Ogle county White Pine Forest Reserve,' and appropriating moneys therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter introduced a bill, House Bill No. 576, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of optometry in the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 216, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 170, being a bill for "An Act to prevent improper treatment of prisoners or persons suspected of crime by police and other officers or persons for the purpose of attempting to obtain confessions or admissions, and to provide a penalty therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 423, being a bill for "An Act to amend section seven (7) of an Act entitled, 'An Act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain Acts therein named,' approved May 6, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 478, being a bill for "An Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred House Bill No. 59, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the election of town clerks in counties under township organization except in the county of Cook and to fix their term of office."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill as amended do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred House Bill No. 261, being a bill for "An Act to abolish the office of county surveyor and in its place to establish that of county engineer with additional duties and powers as set forth in the following sections."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Tippit, from the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, to which was referred House Bill No. 43, being a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to sell diseased horses and mules and to provide a penalty therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fulton, from the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, to which was referred House Bill No. 491, being a bill for "An Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any post of the Grand Army of the Republic."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fulton, from the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, to which was referred House Bill No. 490, being a bill for "An Act authorizing the making of additions to and the correction of names of Illinois soldiers or sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within the Illinois State Monument, or Memorial Temple, in the National Military Park, at Vicksburg, Mississippi, and providing for the appointment of, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fulton, from the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, to which was referred House Bill No. 243, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 183, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 23 of 'An Act in relation to courts of record in cities,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 96, being a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 266, being a bill for "An Act relative to the practice of veterinary surgery."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 130, being a bill for "An Act to repeal 'An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 161, being a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act to be known as section 5a."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, reported that House bills of the following titles have been correctly enrolled, signed by the presiding officers of both houses, and, on the 7th day of April, 1909, were laid before the Governor for his approval:

HOUSE BILL No. 109.

A bill for an Act making appropriation to meet the deficiency in the appropriations for the payment of public printing and for the purchase of printing paper and stationery under contract by the State of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 244.

A bill for an Act to provide for the expenses of the committee heretofore authorized by joint resolution of the House and Senate of February 24, 1909, to be appointed to investigate the interest of the State of Illinois in certain public lands in said joint resolution referred to, and making an appropriation of fifteen (\$15,000.00) dollars therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 254.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly in favor of the widow.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 318.

A bill for "An Act for the protection of inn keepers."

The foregoing House Bill No. 318, was placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred House Bill No. 45, being a bill for "An Act to provide turn pike, gravel or macadam roads, and to provide a penalty for its violation."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading:

House Bill No. 249, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Ton, from the Committee on Federal Relations to which was referred,

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 42.

WHEREAS, It has been the settled policy of the United States not to levy tariff upon the necessities of life that do not compete with American products; therefore

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, That our Senator and Representatives be most earnestly requested to use all honorable means in their power to defeat the levying of a tariff upon either tea or coffee.

Reported the same back with a recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

The report of the committee was concurred in,

And the resolution was adopted.

Mr. McMackin, from the Committee on Good Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 406, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 245 and 248a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Tippitt, from the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 16, reported the same back with a substitute therefor being,

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 20.

WHEREAS, The General Assembly in 1907 passed an Act providing for the appointment of a food standard commission, with certain powers granted, to determine the quality, purity and strength of various foods, and among other things provided that the State Food Standard Commission, in determining and adopting a standard of quality, purity and strength of milk or cream, shall fix such standard as may be determined solely by the examination and test of milk and cream and the can or receptacle in which it is placed; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Chicago, in the month of July, A. D. 1908, passed three separate ordinances which then provided and are in force as follows, viz.:

ORDINANCES REQUIRING TUBERCULIN TEST OF COWS.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Chicago:

MILK.

SECTION 1. No milk, cream, buttermilk, or ice cream shall be sold, offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling within the city of Chicago after January 1, A. D. 1909, unless such milk or cream contained in buttermilk and ice cream, be obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year. The cows having been satisfactorily tested shall be marked "tuberculin tested" and shall be numbered and a certificate shall be filed with the division of milk inspection of the department of health of the city of Chicago upon forms furnished by the commissioner of health, giving the number, a brief description of the animal, the date of taking said test, and the name of the owner. Said certificate shall be signed by the person making such test, provided, however, that from January 1, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: until January 1, 1914 milk or cream or buttermilk and ice cream made from milk or cream, obtained from the cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis, may be sold within the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from said cows is pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. Any milk, cream, buttermilk or ice cream offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling within the city of Chicago shall be found within the city in violation of section 1, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents, or employes of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1st, 1909.

BUTTER.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Chicago:

SEC. 1. No butter shall be sold or offered for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago after January 1st, 1909, unless such butter be made from milk or cream obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year; provided, however, that from January 1, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: January 1st, 1914, butter made of milk obtained from cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis may be sold in the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from which such butter was made, was pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful to sell any butter in the city of Chicago, unless there be stamped on the package in plainly legible letters of not less than one-eighth inch type: "Made of milk (or cream) from cows free from tuberculosis as shown in the 'tuberculin test' or made from milk (or cream) pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago."

SEC. 3. Any butter offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago, which shall be found within

the city in violation of this ordinance, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed, by the milk and food inspectors of other duly authorized agents or the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1, 1909.

CHEESE.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Chicago:

SECTION 1. No domestic cheese shall be sold or offered for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago after January 1, 1909, unless such cheese be made from milk or cream obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year; provided, however, that from January 1, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: until January 1, 1914, domestic cheese made of milk obtained from cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis, may be sold in the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from which such cheese was made, was pasteurized, according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful to sell any such cheese in the city of Chicago unless there be stamped on the package in plainly legible letters of not less than one-eighth inch type, "Made of milk (or cream) from cows free from tuberculosis as shown by tuberculin test," or "Made from milk (or cream) pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago."

SEC. 3. Any cheese offered for sale, exposed for sale, or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago, which shall be found within the city in violation of this ordinance, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents or employés of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1, 1909, which said ordinances it is claimed are without foundation of law, unreasonable and void; and

WHEREAS, Under and by virtue of said ordinances, the board of health of the city of Chicago are assuming to inspect dairy herds in the State of Illinois and to condemn milk, butter and cheese that are produced from cows that have not been tested by the tuberculin test and that is manufactured and produced from milk which has not been pasteurized, and the producers of milk, butter and cheese tributary to the city of Chicago are being greatly annoyed, hindered and harrassed by agents of the board of health of the city of Chicago, and the sale of their product is being injured, damaged and destroyed; and

WHEREAS, By reason of the said ordinances and the unlawful and unreasonable rules and restrictions of the board of health of the city of Chicago, the price of milk in said city has increased and is being raised and threatened to be raised from six and seven cents a quart to nine cents a quart, to the great injury and suffering to the people of that city; and

WHEREAS, It is a disputed question whether the tuberculin test is an accurate and efficient test to determine whether the disease of tuberculosis exists in the animal, and it is a disputed question whether tuberculosis can be conveyed from the animal to the human being from milk and its products; and

WHEREAS, It is disputed and denied that the disease of tuberculosis exists to any appreciable extent among the dairy herds and breeding animals of the State, and such dispute leads to the damage and loss of values of such dairy herds and breeding animals by reason of such dispute and contention, and loss and injury to the owner of such dairy herds and sale of their products, by reason of the said city ordinances and the rules and regulations and inspections of the department of the board of health of the city of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, It is plain that the pasteurizing of milk destroys its value for the manufacturer of butter and cheese and renders it impossible to manu-

facture any reasonable quality of butter or cheese from such milk and tends rather to increase the bacteria germs naturally in milk, where it is not used immediately, and otherwise injures and destroys the strength and food qualities in the milk; and

WHEREAS, A bill is now pending in this Legislature providing for the enforcement of the law for the testing of dairy cows and breeding cattle by the tuberculin test, and the payment by the State of the sum of 75 per cent of the appraised value of the cattle damaged, which will lead to an enormous expenditure of money by the State, which may possibly be unnecessary, useless and of great damage and injury to the dairy interests of the State:

Therefore, be it resolved by the House, the Senate concurring: That a joint committee of nine be appointed, six by the Speaker of the House and three by the President of the Senate, to investigate into the reliability and the efficiency and the necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois, and that said committee investigate and determine the question as to whether or not the disease germ passes from an animal afflicted with tuberculosis, through the milk, to a human being, and the effect of pasteurizing milk as such food product is pasteurized, bottled up, shipped and used in the city of Chicago, taken from the dairy districts at a distance from said city.

That they take evidence and have the power to subpoena witnesses and send for documents and papers and acquaint themselves with the laws and results accomplished in other states, and that said committee collect the evidence and opinions of expert bacteriologists upon said question, and if said tuberculin test should be found to be an actual and efficient test of the disease or tuberculosis among domestic animals, then that said committee estimate the amount that should be paid for cattle condemned, both under an optional law, mandatory law, and make their report to the next session of the General Assembly; and that said committee be provided with an appropriation of an adequate amount to pay clerk and stenographer's fees and hire and actual traveling expenses of the committee while engaged upon the work as herein set out.

And recommended that the original House Joint Resolution No. 16 lie upon the table and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the original House Resolution No. 16 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute House Joint Resolution No. 20 was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dudgeon, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 577, a bill for "An Act to create one additional term of the circuit court in and for the county of Grundy and to fix the time of holding the same and changing the terms of court in and for said county."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Espy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 578, a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading:

House Bill No. 90, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 55; nays, 68.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Chiperfield,	Holaday,	Liggett,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hope,	Maclean,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Terrell,
Beck,	Church,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Black,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Keck,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gray,	King,	Pierson,	York,
Campbell,	Hagan,	Kittleman,	Price,	Zinger,
Carter,	Hamilton,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—55

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Riley,
Allison,	Daley,	Glade,	McCollum,	Scott,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Erby,	Groves, J.	McMackin,	Shepard, H. A.
Blair,	Erickson,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Stearns,
Bolin,	Espy,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Werdell,
Browne,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Feldstack,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	White,
Cermak,	Finley,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Forst,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Foster,	Link,	Richter,	Nays—68

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared lost.

Mr. Staymates moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 90 had failed to pass.

Mr. Browne moved to lay the motion of Mr. Staymates on the table.

The question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

House Bill No. 184, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 88; nays, 33.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Bardill,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Blair,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	King,	Perkins,	Trover,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Grace,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Richter,	York,
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Holaday,	Maclean,		Yeas—88

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Alschiuler,	Espy,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, Wm.	Werdell,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hilton,	O'Brien,	White,
Browne,	Fahy,	Luke,	Shepherd, H. A.	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Forst,	McConnell,	Staymates,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Tippit,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Gorman,	Morris,		Nays—33

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask thir concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 318, a bill for "An Act for the protection of inn-keepers,"

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106; nays, 9.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Scott,
Adkins,	Cliffe,	Gillespie,	Lyon,	Shaw,
Allison,	Corcoran,	Glade,	McCollum,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschiuler,	Curran,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Grace,	McGuire,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	DeWolf,	Gray,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Beck,	Donahue,	Griffin,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Groves, W. M.	Mills,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Hagan,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Black,	English,	Hamilton,	Murray,	Trover,
Brady,	Erby,	Hilton,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Holaday,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Espy,	Hollenbeck,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Etherton,	Hope,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Fahy,	Huston,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Finley,	Keck,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Richter,	York,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Carter,	Foster,	Lederer,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Chiperfield,				Yeas—106

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Groves, J.	Ireland,	King,	Liggett,	Murphy, Wm.
Hull,	Kerrick,	Lawrence,	Luke	Nays—9

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordred that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the amendments of the House to Senate Joint Resolution No. 30.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, April 8, 1909, they stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 14, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out the words and figures Thursday, April 8, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures Friday, April 9.

Amendment concurred in April 8, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Ball,	Dailey,	Gorman,	Isley,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Jandus,	Manny,
Billings,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Broderick,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Brown,	Ettelson,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Burton,	Funk,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Gardner,	Henson,	Lundberg,	

And there were forty-four members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	De Wolf,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Ion,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Mills,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Bardill,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Terrill,
Black,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	King,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Browne,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	White,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Gray,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Riley,	York,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Link,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Church,	Grace,	Luke,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Macleam,	Shanahan,	
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McCollum,		

And there were 142 members of the House of Representatives present,

And there were 186 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909. and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Lundberg with Mr. Olson.
 Mr. Baker with Mr. Gorman.
 Mr. Corcoran with Mr. Reynolds.
 Mr. Espy with Mr. Kirkpatrick.
 Mr. York with Mr. Dillon.
 Mr. McMackin with Mr. Crawford.
 Mr. Hutzler with Mr. Schumacher.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Wm. B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	7 votes
Joseph Sabbath received.....	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	Stewart,
Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,		
				—23

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gibson,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Glackin,			
				—7

Those voting for Joseph Sabbath are: Messrs.

Hearn,	Jandus,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	43 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	15 votes
Wm. B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	14 votes

P. J. Lucey received.....	37 votes
Richard F. Kinsella received.....	2 votes
Joseph Sabbath received.....	1 vote
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Lyons,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erby,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Keck,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Grace,	King,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,		—43

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigan,	Lane,	Parker,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
				—15

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			—2
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	English,	Groves, W. M.	O'Brien,	Staymates,
Blair,	Etherton,	Huston,	Richardson,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Luke,	Scott,	—14

Those voting for P. J. Lucey are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Link,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	McCollum,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Foster,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Gorman,	Morris,	Riley,	White,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Groves, J.			—37

Those voting for Richard F. Kinsella are: Messrs.

Lantz,	Wilson, F. J.			—2
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Those voting for Joseph Sabbath are: Mr. Forst—1.

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixty-eighth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 177, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	16 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
Wm. B. McKinley received.....	2 votes

Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	21 votes
P. J. Lucey received.....	37 votes
Richard F. Kinsella received.....	2 votes
Joseph Sabbath received.....	3 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations and their subordinate lodges by officers thereof,"

Was taken up and having heretofore been read at large a second time, March 3, 1909.

The Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 37 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. Any person who is a member and officer of any fraternal beneficiary society, corporation or association or subordinate lodge thereof and as such member is a beneficial owner of any part of any funds or property of any such beneficiary society, corporation, association or subordinate lodge thereof, who shall embezzle or fraudulently convert to his own use or take and secrete with intent so to do, without the consent of the beneficiary society, corporation, association, or subordinate lodge thereof as the case may be, any funds or property of any such beneficiary society, corporation, association or subordinate lodge thereof which has come to his possession or is under his care by virtue of such office, shall be deemed guilty of larceny the same as if he had not been or was not a member of such fraternal beneficiary society, corporation, association, or subordinate lodge thereof or one of the beneficial owners of such funds or property; and it shall be sufficient in any indictment for embezzlement of funds or property of any beneficiary society, corporations, association, or subordinate lodge thereof to allege the title to such funds or property to be in the Supreme Lodge, Grand Lodge or subordinate lodge thereof by the name by which the same is commonly known and it shall not be a defense under such indictment that any officer has a personal interest in the funds or property.

SEC. 2. Whereas, an emergency exists, therefore this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and its approval by the Governor.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 33, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats,' approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Browne moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Chipfield moved to lay the motion of Mr. Browne upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the motion to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. White offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 33 by inserting in section 2, line six, after the word "trains," "either electric, steam, or interurban."

And the motion was lost.

There being no further amendments, the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 302, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to allow per diem fees to clerks of the circuit and probate courts in counties of the first and second class,'"

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 579, a bill for "An Act to allow a per diem fee to clerks of the circuit, county and probate courts in counties of the first and second class and to repeal certain Acts therein named,"

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 302, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 302, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 579, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 580, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 17, article 6, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 22, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 169, being a bill for "An

Act to amend sections 97, 124 and 125 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 581, a bill for "An Act to amend section 97 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 169, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 169, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 581, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker recalled House Bill No. 56 from the Committee on Judiciary and re-referred it to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

At the hour of 1:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Lewis moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Hon. Mr. C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Perkins, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 10.

“WHEREAS, The desks and chairs of the members of the Senate and House of the General Assembly have been in use for the past thirty-three years, many of them are much defaced and in bad order, all are poorly planned and illy suited to their purposes. The desks are so constructed that they are easily opened by thieves and the contents abstracted and the chairs are especially uncomfortable; and,

WHEREAS, Intelligent legislation requires frequent reference to the Revised Statutes, Session laws and official State reports; and,

WHEREAS, The members of the General Assembly ought to be provided by the State with chairs which are reasonably comfortable and with desks of sufficient capacity in which can be safely kept under lock and key the statutes, session laws, official reports of the State, and all necessary stationery, writing materials, postage, etc. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein, That a commission of five persons to consist of the Secretary of State, the Superintendent of the Capitol building and grounds, two members of the House, to be appointed by the Speaker, and one member of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate.

Be, and is hereby created, and is hereby given full power and authority to purchase or cause to be constructed the number of desks and chairs required for the use of the members of the House and Senate, together with suitable chairs for the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate, of reasonable cost, in style harmonizing with the finish and furniture of the hall of the House and Senate chamber and of modern construction suited to the needs of the members, ready for use at as early a date as practicable, such furniture to be constructed in some State institution if found practicable and within the law; and be it further

Resolved, That the necessary funds for the purpose above specified be ascertained and appropriated in the usual manner, and that the commission report its acts in the premises to this or the next General Assembly and file therewith vouchers for all disbursements, all services to be rendered by such commission to be without compensation.”

Together with the following amendments thereto; in the adoption of which amendments, I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out in line three of paragraph four of resolution printed in Senate Journal of Feb. 18, 1909, the words "the superintendent of the Capitol building and grounds."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out in line five of paragraph four, the word "one" and insert the word "two."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend by inserting after the word "Senate" in line four of paragraph five the following: "and such other improvements in the hall of the House and the Senate Chamber as the commission may deem necessary."

Concurred in as amended, April 8, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate Amendments to House Joint Resolution No. 10, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 19.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the burial of deceased, indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late Civil war, the Spanish-American war, the Philippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives or widows," so as to increase the sum that may be expended in any one case to fifty dollars.

Passed by the Senate April 8, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 367.

A bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing, or hereafter organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society, organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other state, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependents, hospitals, asylums and sanitariums.

Passed Senate April 8, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

SENATE BILL No. 149.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by Act approved April 8, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as sections 12a and 12b, respectively.

SENATE BILL No. 174.

A bill for an Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed, and for other purposes relating thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 193.

A bill for an Act to amend section 12 of "An Act relating to employment offices and agencies," approved and in force May 11, 1903.

SENATE BILL No. 233.

A bill for an Act defining itinerant vendors of goods, wares and merchandise, regulating and licensing such itinerant vendors, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this Act.

SENATE BILL No. 246.

A bill for an Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for scholarships in the University of Illinois," approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

Passed by the Senate April 8, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 149, 174, 193, 233, 246 and 367, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. Beck and Browne presented several petitions relating to osteopathy, which were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 582, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of non-medical healing in the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 130, a bill for "An Act to repeal 'An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 216, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 170, a bill for "An Act to prevent improper treatment of prisoners or persons suspected of crime, by police and other officers or persons for the purpose of attempting to obtain confessions or admissions, and to provide a penalty therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 423, a bill for "An Act to amend section seven (7) of an Act entitled, 'An Act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain Acts therein named,' approved May 6, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, be amended so as to read as follows:"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 478, a bill for "An Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence;"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 59, a bill for "An Act to provide for the election of town clerk in counties under township organization except in the county of Cook and to fix their term of office,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 43, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to sell diseased horses and mules and to provide a penalty therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 491, a bill for "An Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any posts of the Grand Army of the Republic,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 490, a bill for "An Act authorizing the making of additions to and the correction of names of Illinois soldiers or sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within the Illinois State Monuments or Memorial Temple, in the National Military Park at Vicksburg, Miss., and providing for the appointment of commissioners therefor, and making appropriation for the payment of the cost and expenses thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 243, a bill for "An Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 188, a bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-three (23) of 'An Act in relation to courts of record in cities,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 161, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act, to be known as section 5a,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 45, a bill for "An Act to provide turnpike, gravel or macadam roads, and to provide a penalty for its violation,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 406, a bill for "An Act to amend section 245, and 348a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 231, a bill for "An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a house of correction employes' fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 66, a bill for "An Act to amend section eighteen of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 100, a bill for "An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks, and deputy county and probate clerks from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 155, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts, in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereto,' approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 194, a bill for "An Act to make the findings of juries final in suits at common law,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 268, a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the product of the labor of their members,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 117, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the catching of whitefish, trout, herring, chubs, longjaws, black fins, perch and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section 8a and section 8b,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, the Committee on Fish and Game offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 117 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of House Bill 117 by striking out the word "a" and substituting the word "two" and by changing the word "section" to "sections" and by adding the words "and section 8b."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

SECTION 8b. No person shall be permitted to use or operate a steam tug, gasoline launch, sail boat or row boat for sailing in or upon the waters mentioned in the first section of this Act without first obtaining a license so to do from the city clerk or county clerk of any city or county bordering upon such waters, which clerks are hereby authorized to issue such licenses. The fee for such licenses to be paid to such clerk in advance shall be as follows: 'For each steam tug, \$25.00; for each gasoline launch \$15.00; for each sail boat \$10.00; for each row boat \$10.00. And each city or county clerk issuing any license shall be entitled to a fee of twenty-five cents for each license so issued by him, in addition to the fee above provided for, to be paid by the party applying for such license. Which payment so made shall entitle the person making the same to use and operate such steam tug, gasoline launch, said boat or row boat, at such time as prescribed by this Act. The license fee above provided for shall be paid by the said clerk to the State Treasurer at the end of each month, and shall be placed to the credit of a fund to be known as the State Fish Protection Fund, and shall be distributed by the State Treasurer on warrants signed by the State Fish Commissioners approved by the Governor and filed with the Auditor of Public Accounts who shall draw his warrant therefor on the State Treasurer. And said license expire on the first day of June following its issuance. *Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed as limiting or restraining the right of any person to fish at any time with a hook and line without any license.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments the foregoing amendments were ordered printed;

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 259, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits,' approved April 23, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Was taken up and by unanimous consent was ordered to lie upon the table.

House Bill No. 137, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of drains, ditches and streams constructed for agricultural or sanitary and mining purposes and to require all persons owning lands bordering same and all persons owning land over or through which said drains, ditches, streams may pass or flow to annually remove all obstructions from same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon, the Committee on Farm Drainage offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 137 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

The words stream or streams wherever appearing in this bill or title of same shall be substituted by the words "natural stream or streams." After the word "constructed" in the title substitute the words "or maintained."

In section one, line ten, of printed bill following the words, "provided, that," shall read as follows: "That said drain, ditch, or natural stream where constructed or maintained for agricultural or sanitary and mining purposes, and this Act shall not interfere with fences, flood gates, bridges or culverts where so constructed as not to impede the flow of the water in such streams, drains or ditches, and not to include rivers within the State."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 138, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing, or hereafter organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other state, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain, and operate for its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependants, hospitals, asylums, and sanitariums,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 534, a bill for "An Act creating attorney's lien and for enforcement of the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 394, a bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Military Affairs offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 394 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend article seventeen (17), section four (4), line one (1), by striking out the word "may" after commander-in-chief and inserting in lieu thereof the word "will."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Burgett moved to recall House Bill No. 309 from the order of third reading to the order of second reading,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 309 was recalled and placed in the order of House Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 249, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 47, a bill for "An Act to provide for the fees of county clerks in counties of first and second class and to provide for the payment of the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Senate Bill No. 50, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the burial of deceased indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors, or marines of the late Civil war, the Spanish-American war, the Phillippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China, or their mothers, wives or widows,'"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

Senate Bill No. 70, a bill for "An Act concerning embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 147, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insur-

ance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 169, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of a safe for the insurance department, and making appropriation therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 190, a bill for "An Act to amend section 14 of 'An Act to regulate public warehouses and the warehousing and inspection of grain and to give effect to article 13 of the Constitution of this State,' approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871, as amended by an Act approved March 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

Senate Bill No. 191, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act, to be known as section 5a,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 216, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to construct and protect public beaches and bathing places over and upon the beds of public waters adjoining public parks and play grounds,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to lie upon the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 225, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2, 3 and 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits and repealing a certain Act therein named,' filed June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Horticulture.

Senate Bill No. 232, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for making improvements and repairs upon highways and adjoining public parks and pleasure grounds,' approved and in force April 22, 1907, and to add thereto three new sections to be known as sections 2, 3 and 4,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Senate Bill No. 243, a bill for "An Act entitled an Act to punish persons for wilful injury to lines, poles and other apparatus used in transmitting or carrying electric current or messages,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to lie upon the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 250, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois exclusive

of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 1, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved and in force April 19, 1907, as amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1907, and all Acts amendatory thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 327, a bill for "An Act to create a board of trustees of the department of electricity pension fund, to provide and distribute such funds for the pensioning of disabled members of said department and the widows and minor children of deceased members of said department, to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the department of electricity, and for other purposes connected therewith in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds 50,000 inhabitants having a paid department of electricity,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Second Reading,

Senate Bill No. 91, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the killing, interfering with or injuring carrier pigeons and to provide punishment for the violation thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 42, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the establishment of an insurance department, and the appointment of an insurance superintendent,' approved June 20, 1893, in force July 1, 1893,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 53, a bill for "An Act in relation to consolidation and reinsurance by life insurance companies,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Erby moved to reconsider the vote by which the enacting clause was stricken from House Bill No. 86 on April 1st.

And the motion prevailed.

And the vote was thereupon deemed reconsidered and the question again being, "Shall the enacting clause be stricken out?" it was decided in the negative.

And there being no further amendments, the question being, "Shall this bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At the hour of 11:30 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 11:59 o'clock, a. m.,

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:59 o'clock, a. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President, *pro tem*, of the Senate, Senator Hay was announced by the Speaker, and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Mr. Hay—1.

And there was one member of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Abbey,	Bush,	Hope,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Beck,	Carter,	Jewell,	Pervier,	Mr. Speaker.
Behrens,	Church,	King,	Riley,	
Bolin,	Donahue,	Lantz,	Shanahan,	
Burgett,	Flannigen,	O'Toole,	Troyer,	

And there were twenty-two members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were twenty-three members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....10 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 2 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 4 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received..... 5 votes

Richard F. Kinsella received 1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Burgett,	Hope,	King,	Pervier,	
Behrens,	Carter,	Jewell,	Perkins,	Troyer,	—10

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Church,	Mr. Speaker.	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Bush,	Flanniger,	Shanahan,	—4.
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Bolin,	Donahue,	O'Toole,	Riley,	Wheelan,	—5.
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Those voting for Richard F. Kinsella are: Mr. Lantz—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the sixty-ninth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 23, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth Assembly	11 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	4 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	5 votes
Richard F. Kinsella received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

At the hour of 12:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Church moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Wednesday, April 14, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Friday, April 9, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Messrs. English and Durfee presented several petitions relating to fish and game, which were referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Messrs. Beck and J. Groves presented several petitions relating to education, which were referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 583, a bill for "An Act to amend section 354, paragraph 12, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts and remove obstruction in the DesPlaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, and amended May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

And asked unanimous consent to have the bill read a first time now and advanced to second reading without reference.

Unanimous consent being refused, Mr. Kleeman moved to suspend the rules for that purpose.

And the question being on the motion to suspend the rules, it was decided in the negative.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 583 was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Waterways.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church introduced a bill, House Bill No. 584, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith,' filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 585, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of article three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885,

in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Mills introduced a bill, House Bill No. 586, a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 587, a bill for "An Act concerning the publication of legal notices."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 588, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Keek introduced a bill, House Bill No. 589, a bill for "An Act to amend section 87 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 590, a bill for 'An Act to amend sections 20 and 21 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to State contracts,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wheelan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 591, a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties, bridges owned or constructed by cities or villages outside the city or village and to be forever for the use of the public and maintained by counties."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott introduced a bill, House Bill No. 592, a bill for "An Act to amend section number three of an Act entitled, 'An Act to indemnify the owners of sheep in cases of damage committed by dogs,' approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 30, 1881, as amended by an Act approved and in force June 19, 1893, as amended by Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Troyer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 593, a bill for "An Act to enable park commissioners to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks and pleasure grounds, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 594, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structures."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 595, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structures and to create fireproof building districts."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 596, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to fire escapes,' approved and in force April 21, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. J. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 597, a bill for "An Act to amend section 44 of 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lyon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 598, a bill for "An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' in force July 1, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hilton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 599, a bill for "An Act to provide for the inspection of locomotive boilers on railroads, and the care of steam locomotives on railroads, and steam and water cocks, and to provide a penalty for the violations of the provisions of said Act."

The bill was taken up, read by title and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading without reference.

Mr. Pierson offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 49.

WHEREAS, The statutes of this State on the subject of drainage, other than sanitary districts, are incomplete, disconnected, and in many respects ambiguous and conflicting, and their revision is expedient and necessary;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, That a commission consisting of three persons, each of whom shall be a member of the bar of Illinois, and learned in the law pertaining to drainage, shall be appointed by the Speaker of this House and is hereby authorized to prepare and submit to this House or the House of the next General Assembly, with their recommendation, a draft of a bill for an Act for the revision of the drainage laws of the State, all services of such commission to be rendered without compensation, their necessary expenses, however, which shall not exceed \$300.00 in the aggregate, shall be paid on vouchers submitted in the usual manner by warrant drawn upon the Auditor of Public Accounts and signed by the Speaker.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

House Bill No. 279, a bill for "An Act authorizing certain proof in mitigation of damages in action for libel,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 279 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Insert the words "in writing" after the word "agreed" in line four of the printed bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hull moved to amend House Bill No. 279 by striking out the enacting clause.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Yeas, 125; nays, 6.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hagan,	Luke,	Rigney,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scott,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Fahy,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Finley,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Forst,	King,	Myers,	Walsh,
Burns,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	O'Neill,	White,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lane,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wright,
Daley,	Groves J.	Liggett,	Price,	Zinger,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Richter,	Zipf,

Yeas—125.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Behrens,	Shanahan,	Smejkal,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Chipherfield,				Nays—6.

The motion prevailed and House Bill No. 279 was ordered to lie upon the table.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 340, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 490, a bill for "An Act authorizing the making of additions to and the correction of names of Illinois soldiers or sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within the Illinois State Monuments, or Memorial Temple, in the National Military Park at Vicksburg, Mississippi, and providing for the appointment of, etc."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 491, a bill for "An Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any post of the Grand Army of the Republic,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 43, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to sell diseased horses and mules and to provide a penalty therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 579, a bill for "An Act to allow a per diem fee to clerks of the circuit, county and probate courts in counties of the first and second class and to repeal certain Acts therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 59, a bill for "An Act to provide for the election of town clerks in counties under township organization except in the county of Cook and to fix their term of office,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on County and Township Organization, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 59, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 59 by striking out of line six of printed bill the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 406, a bill for "An Act to amend section 245, and 248a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Good Roads, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 406, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

On page 2, section 245 strike out in printed bill, line 18, after the word "roads" the words "not exceeding two."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker recalled House Bill No. 307, from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred it to the Committee on Claims.

A message from the Governor, by James Whittaker, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the House of Representatives the following:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, April 14, 1909.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives:

I transmit herewith to your Honorable Body the report of the National Conservation Commission for Illinois, appointed by me to coöperate with the Federal National Conservation Commission in the conservation of the natural resources of this State.

This commission owes its origin to the suggestion of President Roosevelt, that the work of the various State agencies engaged in conserving our natural resources would be greatly facilitated by coöperation. In consonance with this suggestion and with the purpose of the commission to coöperate with the national government, the following gentlemen were appointed members of the Illinois commission:

Messrs. Isham Randolph, of the Internal Improvement Commission; C. G. Hopkins, of the Agricultural Experiment Station; LaFayette Funk, of the State Highway Commission; H. F. Bain, of the State Geological Survey; Frank M. Hall, of the Illinois Farmers' Institute; G. W. Traer, of the Illinois Coal Operators' Association; John H. Walker, of the United Mine Workers; T. C. Chamberlin, of the Illinois Academy of Science; E. T. Perkins, of the United States Reclamation Service; William Hill, of the University of Chicago; Walter L. Fisher, of the Conservation League, and S. A. Forbes, of the State Natural History Survey.

Through the coöperation of these gentlemen as members of the National Conservation Commission of Illinois, a large mass of material bearing upon the important subject with which the commission deals, has been for the first time gathered and coördinated and is presented in such a manner as to afford a general view of the State's resources, of the relations subsisting between their several parts and of the best means of preserving and developing them as a whole, in view of the important bearing of their maintenance upon the future prosperity of our agricultural, mining, manufacturing and other industrial pursuits.

Before the appointment of this commission, numerous instances of coöperation between State, and between State and national, bureaus had arisen from the necessity or manifest advantage of such coöperation. Thus, the State Board of Health and the State Water Survey have for some time past united in the maintenance of a common laboratory for the study of sanitary problems; the State Waterways Reclamation Committee has united with representatives from the Internal Improvement Commission, the State Geological Survey, and the United States Department of Agriculture, in the study of stream improvement in this State. It is the aim of the present commission to extend this coöperation into all branches of conservation work and to transform it from a mere working arrangement entered into voluntarily by certain departments for their mutual advantage, to a compulsory coöperation with duties imposed by law.

For this purpose it is recommended that provision be made for a permanent commission, consisting, in part, of representatives of the State bureaus concerned, and, in part, of persons having no such connection; to be charged with the duty of investigating subjects necessary to the proper conservation and utilization of the natural resources of the State, the better development and administration of the scientific and technical work of the State, and the better correlation of the work of the various State scientific and technical bureaus.

The report of the National Conservation Commission for Illinois furnishes abundant evidence of the advantages which would follow the creation of a permanent commission. The condensed account of the work accomplished by the present commission is a record of which the State and its citizens may well be proud and I trust that the recommendations of the individual commissions and boards will receive your earnest attention and such support as they merit and the exigencies of the public revenue will allow.

The report, though condensed, is too long for general review, but I would call the attention of your Honorable Body to certain specific conditions brought out in the report which seem to constitute a need for emergency action.

In particular, attention is invited to the need of more complete plans for the conservation and protection of public water supplies. Hitherto attention has been directed mainly to protecting public water supplies from contamination. Much remains to be done in this direction. The Lake Michigan Water Commission, organized by executive action to promote coöperative investigation by the various states concerned, is without any funds and in view of the large and vital interests involved, a small appropriation may well be made to cover our part of this work. The facilities of the Water Survey and of the Board of Health should be increased so that they may adequately study the demands of the future as well as of the present. It is also, probably, none too soon to take into account the quantity of water which will be needed for sanitary and industrial purposes as our population increases. Illinois is in the humid belt and has ample rainfall. Owing, however, to the natural irregularities of rainfall and to the perfection of the drainage, in certain parts of the State there are frequent periods of flood followed by severe though infrequent droughts. There was such a period of drought in southern Illinois in 1908 and at many points the industrial activities of the region were seriously disarranged. Factories, mines, lighting plants, and even street car systems were shut down for want of water. The railways were obliged to haul it long distances and even then were unable to maintain full service. As the population of this area becomes more dense and manufacturing increases, these recurring water famines will be more and more serious in their effects and adequate means should be devised for meeting the situation.

In several of the eastern states, provision has been made for public water supply commissions having authority to adjust the diversion and distribution of the water of streams so as to protect the public interest. It was found in one case that when such a commission was established, most of the

valuable water supplies of a large part of the State had already passed into the control of a private corporation which has as a result, at least potentially, one of the most valuable of monopolies. It would be well to take such steps as may be necessary to protect the public interest in this particular throughout the State.

Provision should also be made for a thoroughly sanitary milk supply for cities and towns, for each of which there is great reason to believe that many lives, especially of babies and children, are being annually sacrificed.

Suitable provision should be made for the study of dangerous occupations. The large and increasing use of machinery in transportation and manufacturing, demands attention and funds should be available for making any investigations necessary.

There should be prompt completion of a forestry survey of the State and the early formulation of a correct and practical policy of protection, management and maintenance for lack of which our remaining sources of supply for forest products seems rapidly disappearing.

There is also need for the completion of an economic survey of the organic life of the Illinois river and its tributary waters. This is indispensable to a clear knowledge of the kind and amount of its present and possible values, without which avoidable but irreparable damage to our fisheries, is likely to be done by the various developmental operations in progress or impending in connection with that stream.

The severely despressed condition of the coal industry, the large losses in mining and using coal and the numerous and fatal accidents occurring in our mines, warrant some provision for special study.

The report of the commission also devotes attention to the question of waterway development in its relation to a general program for the conservation of the State's natural resources. This is most important. The possible development of water power as an incident to waterway construction has furnished one of the chief incentives to the immediate prosecution of the work of extending the deep waterway from Lockport to Utica. Other benefits, such as drainage and land reclamation, which are naturally incidental to waterway construction, can undoubtedly be secured by a proper and timely investigation and consideration of conservation problems. This is one of the principal advantages which will flow from the coöperation, through the Conservation Commission, of the various state agencies which are now pursuing special lines of conservation work.

The entrance by the State upon so great an undertaking as the building of a deep waterway and the expenditure of \$20,000,000 in the enterprise has naturally turned the attention of the State to related subjects and has enforced the demand for a general taking of stock of all the forms of natural advantages which our State possesses in such abundance. Many branches of this work are in a fair state of advancement under the direction of the State Geological Survey, the Internal Improvement Commission, the Agricultural Experiment Station, the State Highway Commission and other agencies. What is needed is the correlation of the work already under way and the prosecution of divisions of the work of conservation which have been heretofore neglected. This can be best accomplished through such an agency as the National Conservation Commission for Illinois. The data collected by this commission will cover the entire field of our natural resources and its reports will present to the General Assembly a general view of their extent and relations, with suggestions for their preservation and development which can be best drawn only from a study of their conservation as a whole. In my judgment, this important work should be continued and the commission made a permanent organization. I therefore urge upon the General Assembly the careful consideration of the suggestions and recommendations of the commission.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. DENEEN, *Governor.*

The foregoing message was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Chicago Medical Society referring to Senate Bill No. 249, which was referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,

And there were fifty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hull,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Hutzier,	Morris,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brady,	Flags,	King,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Browne,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Werdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	White,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Link,	Rigney,	Wright,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Robinson,	York,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Daley,	Hagan,	Macleam,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker,
Dillon,	Hilton,	McConnell,		

And there were 138 members of the House of Representatives present,

And there were 188 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pair was announced:

Mr. Fulton with Mr. O'Toole.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Humparey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart.

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank.
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack.
Gibson,	Hearn,			

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	45 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	32 votes
Philip Frieler received.....	23 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F.W.
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Rotts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black, Terrill,

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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Bolin,	English,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Staymates,
Burns,	Espy,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Clark,	Etherton,	Link,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Corcoran,	Fahy,	Luke,	Poulton,	White,
Daley,	Finley,	Murphy, Wm.	Scott,	Wilson, F. J.
Dillon,	Groves, J.	Myers,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
Donahue,	Groves, W. M.			

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Those voting for Philip Frieler are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Forst,	Hilton,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Beckmeyer,	Foster,	Lantz,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Browne,	Geskewich,	McCoilum,	Murra,	Werde,
Cermak,	Gorman,	McGuire,		

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Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventieth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 189, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	44 votes
Philip Frieler received.....	23 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Joint Resolution No. 10, which were read at large by the Clerk as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out in line 3 of paragraph 4 of resolution as printed in Senate Journal of February 18, 1909, the words "the superintendent of the Capitol Building and Grounds."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out in line 5 of paragraph 4 the word "one" and insert the word "two."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend by inserting after the word "Senate" in line 4 of paragraph 5 the following: "And such other improvements in the hall of the House and the Senate Chamber as the Commission may deem necessary."

Mr. Pierson moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Joint Resolution No. 10,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 422, being a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 498, being a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 144.

"An Act to amend section 4 of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903."

HOUSE BILL No. 231.

"An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a house of correction, employes fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants."

HOUSE BILL No. 162.

"An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act relating to employment offices and agencies,' approved and in force May 11, 1903."

HOUSE BILL No. 108.

"An Act to amend section (10) of 'An Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

HOUSE BILL No. 33.

"An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats,' approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; title as amended by and approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

HOUSE BILL No. 17.

"An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.

HOUSE BILL No. 215.

"An Act to legalize the organization of sanitary districts, and the election of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow, etc.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 517.

"An Act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

HOUSE BILL No. 157.

"An Act to amend section 6 of an Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 144, 231, 162, 108, 33, 17, 215, 517 and 157, were placed in the order of House bills on third reading.

At the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Chiperfield moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. DeWolf, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 24.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 74, 75 and 77 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and as amended in regard to said section 75, by an Act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

SENATE BILL No. 145.

A bill for an Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal certain acts therein named.

SENATE BILL No. 230.

A bill for an Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members, or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith," approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

SENATE BILL No. 241.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a municipal employé's pension fund in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand," approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and to add two sections thereto, to be numbered sections 15 and 16, respectively, and to provide a penalty for violation of the same.

SENATE BILL No. 269.

A bill for an Act to enable courts of law to grant relief against fraud.

SENATE BILL No. 323.

A bill for an Act to amend section 166½ of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

Passed by the Senate April 14, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 24, 145, 230, 241, 269 and 323 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 43, being a bill for "An Act to provide for testing the sight and hearing of pupils in public schools,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Tippit, from the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, to which was referred House Bill No. 166, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 361, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections four (4), five (5) and six (6), of an Act entitled, 'An Act to protect cemeteries and to provide for their regulation and management,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 103, being a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State and instruments or writing relating to any obligation enforceable in this State executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 431, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fugitives from justice,' approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 263, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 93 of division 1, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 214, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 76, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments,' approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, and as amended,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 74, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 77, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control,' approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, and as amended May 18, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 73, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the rate of taxation in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved and in force May 30, 1881,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 75, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and as amended,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 72, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 69, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization, and to provide for the adoption of the same,' approved May 10, 1901,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 71, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 62 and 64 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of road districts, the election and duties of officers therein and in regard to roads and bridges, in counties not under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved May 4, 1887, in force July 1, 1877, and as amended,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 294, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 293, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 17 and 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 70, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 13, 14, 19, 83 and 119 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, reported the following Committee Bill, House Bill No. 600, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 9 of 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Terrill, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred House Bill No. 285, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examinations of persons seeking employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violation of the same," approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cernak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 594, being a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the use, construction location, improvement and repair of buildings and structures,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 595, being a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the use, construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structure and to create fire-proof building districts,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 232, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the pursuit of the business art and avocation of a barber, and to insure the better qualification of persons following such business in the State of Illinois,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 596, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to fire-escapes,' approved and in force April 21, 1899,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The House, proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 422, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 498, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time of holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force, etc.,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 601, a bill for "An Act to define trusts and conspiracies against trade, declaring contracts in violation of this Act void, making certain Acts in violation thereof felonies and prescribing the punishment therefor, and matters connected therewith."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 602, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation in counties having a population not more than two hundred thousand,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hruby introduced a bill, House Bill No. 603, a bill for "An Act fixing the rate of interest that may be charged on certain loans and making certain requirements as to the security given for the payment of such loans."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 604, a bill for "An Act in relation to certain old mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancellation thereof on the records, as incumbrances against real estate."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 605, a bill for "An Act in relation to a municipal court in the City of Chicago, and to repeal certain Acts therein named."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 606, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, and by adding thereto nineteen new sections to be known as sections 29a, 29b, 29c, 50e, 56a, 59a, 63a, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79."

The bill was taken up read by title ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts.

The House again proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees, Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 111, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74 and 75 of Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 434, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 17, of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning cir-

cuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 530, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 248, being a bill for "An Act to authorize circuit courts to transfer to county courts appeals from justices of the peace,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 250, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved and in force April 19, 1907, as amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1907, and all Acts amendatory thereof,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that a House Bill of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL NO. 394.

A bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith."

The foregoing House Bill No. 394 was placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 144, a bill for "An Act to amend section (4) of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903,"

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F.W.
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hull,	McNichols,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	English,	Huston,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Erby,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Morris,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Pehrens,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Troyer,
Black,	Fieldstack,	King,	Myers,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Browne,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Link,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Robinson,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Shaw,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.	Yeas—111
Dillon,	Holaday,			

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Butts,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 162, a bill for "An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act relating to employment offices and agencies,' approved and in force May 11, 1903,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 105; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hope,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hull,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Troyer,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Werdell,
Browne,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	White,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Curran,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf,

Yeas—105

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

DeWolf,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 108, a bill for "An Act to amend section (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 122.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Sollitt,
Abrahams,	De Wolf,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Staymates,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Mills,	Sullivan,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Beck,	English,	Hull,	Morris,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Walsh,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	Murray,	Welborn,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Werdell,
Brady,	Fahy,	King,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	White,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Price,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Rigney,	Zipf
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Luke,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Cocoran,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Shaw,	Yeas—122
Curran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F.W.	Nays—0

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 33, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats,' approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 82; nays, 32.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	English,	Hull,	Luke,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Huston,	Lyon,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Etherton,	Ireland,	McCollum,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	McConnell,	Stearns,
Beck,	Finley,	Keck,	McLaughlin,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Mills,	Terrill,
Black,	Flannigan,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Burns,	Gorman,	Kittleman,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Grace,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gray,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Groves, W. M.	Lantz,	Price,	York,
Church,	Hagan,	Lederer,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zipf
Daley,	Holaday,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Durfee,	Hollenbeck,			Yeas—82

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Cermak,	Fahy,	Kowalski,	Murray,	Walsh,
Clark,	Foster,	Link,	Myers,	WerdeU,
Curran,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Naylor,	Wilson, F. J.
De Wolf,	Griffin,	Morris,	O'Brien,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Groves, J.			Nays—32

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 17, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 90; nays, 21.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durfee,	Kerrick,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	King,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Kittleman,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Espy,	Kowalski,	Myers,	Stearns,
Burgeit,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Bush,	Glade,	Lederer,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Butts,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Park,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Gray,	Maclean,	Perkins,	WerdeU,
Chirerfield,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Church,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Poulton,	White,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Corcoran,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Crawford,	Hope,	McMackin,	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	York,
Donahue,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Dudgeon,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shaw,	Mr. Speaker.
				Yeas—90

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Carter,	Groves, W. M.	Kirkpatrick,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Etherton,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Flagg,	Huston,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Black,	Groves, J.	Jewell,	Robinson,	Wright,
Bolin,				Nays—21

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 48.

A bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Passed by the Senate April 15, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 48 was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 185.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 3, 4 and 8, of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the creation of pleasure driveway and park districts," approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Passed by the Senate April 15, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 185 was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus.	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker.	Curtis,	Gorman.	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus.	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton.
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Burton.	Gardner.	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain.	Womack,

And there were fifty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Smekkal,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hutzel,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson.
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Finley,	Keck,	Murrav,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Tippitt,
Browne,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bush,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wright,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Link,	Rigney,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McCollum,		

And there were 138 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 188 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Behrens (present but not voting) with Mr. Brownback.

Mr. Fulton (present but not voting) with Mr. O'Toole.

Mr. Bailey (present but not voting) with Mr. Manny.

Mr. Olson with Mr. Lundberg.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton.
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter.
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	Stewart,
Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,		—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,			—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			

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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
William J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	45 votes
Charles S. Luke received.....	4 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Sullivan,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			

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Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	Morris,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Espy,	Huston,	Murray,	Tipnit,
Furns,	Fahy,	Iantz,	Myers,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Finley,	Link,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Clark,	Foster,	Luke,	O'Brien,	White,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	McCollum,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.

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Those voting for Charles S. Luke are: Messrs.

Browne,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	Shephard, H. A.	
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Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-first joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 178, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	72 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	57 votes
Charles S. Luke received.....	4 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 34.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, April 16, 1909, they stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 21, 1909.

Adopted April 15, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipperfield moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 34,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

House Bill No. 215, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of sanitary districts, and the election of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow, etc.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 124.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beck,	English,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	King,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Tipplit,
Browne,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Parker,	Werdell,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Perkins,	White,
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Luke,	Rigney,	York,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Daley,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scott,	Yeas—124
				Nays—0

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker added the names of Messrs. ApMadoc and Galligan to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

The House again proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 26, being a bill for "An Act relating to the liability of employers to their employes for personal injuries and providing that in all actions hereafter brought against any employer to recover damages for personal injuries to an employe or where such injuries have resulted in his death no contract of employment, insurance, relief, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Flannigen, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 328, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1,

1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,”

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 607, a bill for “An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, ‘An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,’ approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,”

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 328, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 328 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 607, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Flannigen, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 179, being a bill for “An Act to amend sections 3, 6, 7 and 17 of an Act entitled, ‘An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,’ approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by Acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by emergency Acts approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,”

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 608, a bill for “An Act to amend article III of an Act entitled, ‘An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,’ approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,”

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 179, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 179, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 608, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Parker, from the Committee on Drainage and Waterways, to which was referred House Bill No. 504, being a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to sanitary districts of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district, and to construct dams, water-wheels and other works, etc.'"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 16, reported from the Senate March 12, which was read at large by the Clerk.

Whereupon, Mr. Adkins moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Joint Resolution No. 16,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Curran asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 300, in the order of second reading.

Unanimous consent being refused.

Mr. Curran moved to suspend the rules for that purpose.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 300, a bill for "An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employes in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Curran moved to lay the motion of Mr. Shanahan on the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the negative.

The question recurring on the motion to strike out the enacting clause, a division of the House was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 76; nays, 30.

The motion prevailed.

And House Bill No. 300 was ordered to lie upon the table.

At the hour of 1:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Perkins moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Perkins, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Lawrence presented several petitions relating to fish and game, which were referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Speaker presented several petitions, one relating to House Bill No. 232, which was referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, one relating to tuberculin test of dairy cattle, which was referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, one referring to House Bills Nos. 267 and 336, which was referred to the Committee on Education, and one referring to the local option law which was referred to the Committee on License and one referring to fish and game which was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

The following House and Senate Bills heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table were taken up and referred to committees as follows:

House Bill No. 571, to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 553, to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 216, to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 243, to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Kowalski, from the Committee on Joint Rules, called up House Joint Resolution No. 15 and moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment thereto, which said amendment is as follows:

Strike out rule 6 and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Rule 6. Bills may be engrossed in longhand, typewriting or printing, as the respective Committees on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills of the Senate and House of Representatives, may from time to time, or in particular cases, decide. After a bill has passed both houses, it shall be enrolled before it is presented to the Governor.

And the question being on the motion to concur, it was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 heretofore reported to the House on February 24, which was read at large by the Clerk.

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Joint Resolution No. 18?" it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 21, being a bill for "An Act to provide for moral and humane education in the public schools and to prohibit certain practices inimical thereto,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 578, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 176, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 79, being a bill for "An Act to provide for an increase of the number of judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook and to designate the date of their election,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 20, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 72 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred House Bill No. 305, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred House Bill No. 448, being a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes,' approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred House Bill No. 306, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks, to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred House Bill No. 430, being a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Morris introduced a bill, House Bill No. 609, a bill for "An Act to authorize the erection of a soldier's monument on the Capitol grounds, and making appropriation therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 504, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to sanitary districts of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district, and to construct dams, water-wheels and other works, etc.,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 248, a bill for "An Act to authorize circuit courts to transfer to county courts, appeals from justices of the peace,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 530, a bill for "An to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 434, a bill for "An Act to amend section 17, of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, etc.,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 26, a bill for "An Act relating to the liability of employers to their employes for personal injuries and providing that in all actions hereafter brought against any employer to recover damages for personal injuries to an employe or where such injuries have resulted in his death no contract of employment, insurance, relief, etc.,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 285, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, etc.,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 594, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repairs of buildings and structures,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 595, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structures and to create fire-proof building districts,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 596, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to fire escapes,' approved and in force April 21, 1899,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 69, a bill for "An Act to amend section (36) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization and to provide for the adoption of the same,' approved May 10, 1901,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 70, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 13, 14, 19, 83 and 119 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 71, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 62 and 64 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of road districts, the election of officers therein, and in regard to roads and bridges, in counties not under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved May 4, 1887, etc.,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 72, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 73, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the rate of taxation in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved and in force May 30, 1881,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 74, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 75, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and as amended,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 76, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments,' approved May 2, 1873 in force July 1, 1873, and as amended,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 77, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control,' approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, and as amended May 18, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 293, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 17 and 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 294, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 103, a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State and instruments or writing relating to any obligation enforceable in this State executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed, etc.,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 111, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74 and 75 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 166, a bill for "An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 431, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fugitives from justice,' approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 361, a bill for "An Act to amend sections four (4), five (5) and six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to protect cemeteries and to provide for their regulation and management,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 232, a bill for "An Act to regulate the pursuit of the business, art and avocation of a barber, and to insure the better qualifications of persons following such business in the State of Illinois,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 154.

A bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under and by virtue of 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Passed by the Senate April 15, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 158, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act defining and declaring the rights of the public in navigable lakes and streams meandered in the survey by and under the authority of the United States of America,'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 130, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named, approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 170, a bill for "An Act to prevent improper treatment of prisoners or persons suspected of crime, by police and other officers or persons for the purpose of attempting to obtain confessions or admissions, and to provide a penalty therefor,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 188, a bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-three of 'An Act in relation to courts of record in cities,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 216, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 243, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 423, a bill for "An Act to amend section seven (?) of an Act entitled, 'An Act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain Acts therein named,' approved, etc.,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 478, a bill for "An Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 498, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force, etc.,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 160, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11, of 'An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Having heretofore been read at large a second time on April 7, was taken up,

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal offered the following amendments:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 160 by striking out the title of the bill and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "A bill for 'An Act to amend sections 7 and 11 of an Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by Act in force July 1, 1907."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section 1 strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following: "That sections 7 and 11 of 'An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by and in force July 1, 1907, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend by adding after section 1 a new section to be known as section 7 as follows:

SECTION 7. Any person who violates or refuses to obey any rules and regulations of the State Board of Health shall be liable to a fine not to exceed \$200.00 for each offense or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months or both in the discretion of the court. All prosecutions and proceedings instituted by the State Board of Health for violation of their rules and regulations shall be instituted by the board or its executive officer, and it shall be the duty of the State's Attorney of each county to prosecute all persons in his county violating or refusing to obey the rules and regulations of the State Board of Health. All fines, fees, penalties and judgments paid collected and received shall be paid into the State Treasury.

Mr. Smejkal moved that the foregoing amendments be printed and that further consideration of House Bill No. 160 together with the foregoing amendments be postponed.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 154, a bill for "An Act to amend section 121 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 28, a bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal and charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for violation thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 149, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved April 8, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as sections 12a and 12b, respectively,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 174, a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings, relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 192, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 193, a bill for "An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act relating to employment offices and agencies,' approved and in force May 11, 1903,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 195, a bill for "An Act to amend section 21 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 233, a bill for "An Act defining itinerant vendors of goods, wares and merchandise, regulating and licensing such itinerant vendors, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this Act,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 246, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for scholarships in the University of Illinois,' approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 305, a bill for "An Act to provide for judges of circuit courts and judges of the superior court of Cook county holding court in the several circuits of the State and Cook county by order of the Supreme Court or any judge thereof,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 367, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing or hereafter organized under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other State, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependents, hospitals, asylums and sanitariums,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 66, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats,' approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Second Reading, Senate Bill No. 250, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same

in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 1, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved and in force April 19, 1907, as amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1907, and all Acts amendatory thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 9, a bill for "An Act to amend section seventeen (17) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to promissory notes, bonds, due bills and other instruments in writing,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Jewell moved to strike out the enacting clause.

And the question being on the motion to strike out the enacting clause, it was decided in the affirmative.

And Senate Bill No. 9 was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Geshkewich gave notice, that on the next legislative day, he would move to reconsider the vote by which the enacting clause was stricken out of Senate Bill No. 9.

Mr. Cermak moved to reconsider the vote by which the House on yesterday struck out the enacting clause of House Bill No. 300,

And the motion prevailed,

And thereupon the vote by which the enacting clause was stricken out of House Bill No. 300 was deemed reconsidered.

The question again being, 'Shall the enacting clause be stricken out of House Bill No. 300?' it was decided in the negative.

And House Bill No. 300 was placed in the order of House Bills on Second Reading.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.
Hearn, Rainey, —2

And there were two members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Adkins,	Cermak,	Lyon,	Naylor,	Shephard, H. A.,
Browne,	Church,	Maclean,	Perkins,	Smejkal,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Montelius,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Ireland,	Morris,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
Carter,	Lewis,			

And there were twenty-two member of the House of Representatives present,

And there were twenty-four members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Lawrence B. Stringer received..... 2 votes

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Hearn,	Rainey,	—2
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received..... 9 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 4 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 4 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received..... 4 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Carter,	Lewis,	Montelius,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Perkins,	— 9

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Church,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Flannigen,	Shanahan,	Smejkal,	—4
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Browne,	Cermak,	Morris,	Naylor,	—4
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-second joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 23, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-

sixth Assembly..... 9 votes

George Edmund Foss received..... 4 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received..... 4 votes

Lawrence B. Stringer received..... 6 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, heretofore reported to the House on March 24, which was read at large by the Clerk,

And referred to the Committee on Insurance.

At the hour of 12:15 o'clock, p. m.; Mr. Church moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 1909—10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Friday, April 16 was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 234.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named.

Passed Senate April 15, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

SENATE BILL No. 49.

A bill for an Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies," approved March 24, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

SENATE BILL No. 242.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, "An Act to authorize cities of 100,000 population and under to construct outlet sewers, reservoirs, pumping works and machinery, and maintain and keep in repair the same, the cost thereof to be defrayed by special assessment or special taxation, and if the assessment is paid in installments, to issue bonds to anticipate the deferred installments," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL No. 244.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act to amend section 14 of an Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization; and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903.

SENATE BILL No. 281.

A bill for an Act for the regulation of pawnbrokers, and repealing a certain Act therein named.

Passed by the Senate April 15, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 234, 49, 244 and 281 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions Mr. Lantz presented several petitions, one relating to fraternal insurance which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, and the other relating to House Bills Nos. 267 and 336 and Senate Bill No. 96 which was referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Chipperfield offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 21.

Be it Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That the Secretary of War of the United States, the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, and the Attorney General of the United States, be and they are hereby each respectfully requested upon behalf of the State of Illinois, to furnish to the Lake Front Investigating Committee, heretofore authorized to be appointed by a joint resolution of the House and Senate of Illinois, such records, data, evidence, documents, maps, plats, surveys, field notes and profiles as each may have in the possession of his respective department, that will assist the said Lake Shore Investigating Committee in making a full and complete investigation of the rights of the People of the State of Illinois in and to the submerged lands along the lake shore of Lake Michigan within the limits of the State of Illinois, and in and along all of the navigable lakes, rivers and streams and bodies of water of the said State of Illinois; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives, and the Secretary of the Senate, be and they are hereby directed to certify to a properly engrossed copy of this resolution to each of the said The Secretary of War, the said The Secretary of the Interior, and the said The Attorney General of the United States.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 37.

"An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 340.

"An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

HOUSE BILL No. 66.

"An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

HOUSE BILL No. 490.

"An Act authorizing the making of additions to, and the correction of, names of Illinois soldiers and sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within

the Illinois State Monument, or Temple, in the National Military Park at Vicksburg, Mississippi; and provide for the appointment of commissioners therefor; and making appropriation for the payment of the cost and expenses thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 59.

"An Act to provide for the election of town clerks in counties under township organization (except in the county of Cook) and to fix their term of office."

HOUSE BILL No. 100.

"An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks and deputy county or probate clerks from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions."

HOUSE BILL No. 249.

"An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 194.

"An Act to make the findings of juries final in suits at common law."

HOUSE BILL No. 155.

"An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' (in force July 1, 1877, and Act amendatory thereto),' approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

HOUSE BILL No. 43.

"An Act making it unlawful to sell diseased horses and mules and to provide a penalty therefor."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 37, 340, 66, 490, 59, 100, 249, 194, 155 and 43 were placed in the order of House Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 610, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled: 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by Act approved April 8, 1875, in force July 1, 1875; title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as sections 12a and 12b respectively."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent Mr. Holaday introduced a bill, House Bill No. 611, a bill for "An Act to create county text book commissions in all counties having a population of less than 200,000, with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties and to regulate the price of such text books."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent Mr. Shaw introduced a bill, House Bill No. 612, a bill for "An Act to amend the school laws of Illinois by adding a section thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent Mr. Fieldstack introduced a bill, House Bill No. 613, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts.

By unanimous consent Mr. Grace introduced a bill, House Bill No. 614, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act in relation to domestic animals running at large within the State of Illinois,' approved June 21st, 1895, in force July 1st, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 16th, 1905, in force July 1st, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 615, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the appointment, qualifications and duties of notaries public and certifying their official acts,' approved April 5th, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved April 13, 1875, in force July 1, 1875."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent Mr. Church, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 616, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to corporations engaged in furnishing suretyship on bonds and their agents; to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon and to prevent discrimination therein, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purpose specified in this Act.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gillespie introduced a bill, House Bill No. 617, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article thirteen of the Constitution of this State,' approved April 25th, 1871, in force July 1st, 1871, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Warehouses.

By unanimous consent Mr. Poulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 618, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the descent of property,' approved April 9, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent Mr. Behrens introduced a bill, House Bill No. 619, a bill for "An Act to prevent any person, partnership or corporation connected as owner, part owner, officer, director, stockholder, agent, or employè with, or financially interested in any brewery or distillery, from keeping or having any financial interest in a dramshop, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of this Act; and also to provide that any citizen or tax-payer may enforce this Act by a bill in equity."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

By unanimous consent Mr. Fahy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 620, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved April 28, 1903 and in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 157, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 115.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shepard, H. A.
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Black,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Burns,	Foster,	King,	Nelson,	Weiborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gashkewich,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Price,	Wright,
Clark,	Grace,	Lewis,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Curran,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zipf,

Yeas—115

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 517, a bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 116.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	Morris,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Terrill,
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Myers,	Tippitt,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Ton,
Black,	Etherton,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Brady,	Finley,	King,	Parker,	Werdell,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	White,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gray,	Liggett,	Schumacher,	York,
Chipperfield,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Scott,	Zinger,
Church,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Shaw,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.	
Corcoran,	Hamilton,			

Yeas—116

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 394, a bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 124; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Hagan,	Logan,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Shaw,
Allison,	Daley,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Sollitt
Beck,	Donahue,	Hope,	McConnell,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erby,	Huston,	McMackin,	Sullivan,
Black,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Terrill,
Blair,	Espy,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Ton,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Walsh,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Welborn,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Forst,	King,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wright,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lane,	Price,	York,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lantz,	Richter,	Zinger,
Chipperfield,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Schumacher,	Yeas—124

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Morris,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Third Reading,

Senate Bill No. 42, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the establishment of an insurance department, and the appointment of an insurance superintendent,' approved June 20, 1893; in force July 1, 1893."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto, having been printed and engrossed was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 116; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Huston,	McConnell,	Scott,
Allison,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Espy,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Black,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Flannigen,	King,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Butts,	Glade,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Carter,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Chipherfield,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Hagan,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Hilton,	Luke,	Rigney,	Wright,
Daley,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Robinson,	York,
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Dillon,				Yeas—116

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Beck,	Shaw,	Nays—3
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 422, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint short-hand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon Mr. King offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 422 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 422 by striking out the word "fifteen" in line 16 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 161, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act/to be known as section 5a."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 530, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 434, a bill for "An Act to amend section 17, of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, etc."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 596, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to fire escapes,' approved and in force April 21, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 26, a bill for "An Act relating to the liability of employers to their employes for personal injuries and providing that in all actions hereafter brought against any employer to recover damages for personal injuries to an employe or where such injuries have resulted in his death no contract of employment, insurance, relief, etc."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 594, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repairs of buildings and structures."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 594 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 594 as printed by inserting the word "use" after the word "the" in title of said bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 594 as printed by inserting after the words "president and" the words "board of" in line 2, section 1.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 595, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structures and to create fireproof building districts."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 595 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House No. 595 as printed in title by inserting after the word "the" the word "use."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 595 as printed by inserting the words "board of" after the word "and" in line 2 in section 1 of said bill, and the word "use," after the words "regulate the" in line 3 of section 1 of said bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 248, a bill for "An Act to authorize circuit courts to transfer to county courts appeals from justices of the peace."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon Mr. Foster moved to strike out the enacting clause.

And the motion prevailed.

And House Bill No. 248 was ordered to lie upon the table.

The House, proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 21, a bill for "An Act to provide for moral and humane education in the public schools and to prohibit certain practices inimical thereto."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 578, a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended, etc."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the joint assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Anarus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton.
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner.	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,

And there were 50 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
AmMadoc,	Durfee,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns.
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Finley,	King,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Browne,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wardell,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Link,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Hamilton,			

And there were 142 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 192 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes

William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	11 votes
Michael Zimmer received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dalley,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton.	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap.	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton.
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs:

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Isley,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,				

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Those voting for Michael Zimmer are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	48 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Milton J. Foreman received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	20 votes
Michael Zimmer received	33 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote
Cyrus H. Martin received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Lyon,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleemar,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipfield,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Curran,				

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,

Terrill,

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Those voting for Milton J. Foreman are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,
Bohn,
Burns,
Daley,

Dillon,
Donahue,
Espy,
Etherton,

Finley,
Griffin,
Groves, J.
Groves, W.

Huston,
Luke,
O'Brien,
M. Richardson,

Scott,
Shaw,
Tippit,
White,

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Those voting for Michael Zimmer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,
Allison,
Alschuler,
Beckemeyer,
Browne,
Cermak,
Clark,

Corcoran,
DeWolf,
Fahy,
Forst,
Foster,
Geschewich,
Gorman,

Hilton,
Kannally,
Lantz,
Link,
McCollum,
McLaughlin,
Morris,

Murphy, E. J. Sullivan,
Murray, Walsh,
Myers, Werdel,
Naylor, Wheelan,
Poulton, Wilson, F. J.
Shephard, H. A. Wilson, R. E.

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Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

Those voting for Cyrus H. Martin are: Mr. Wm. Murphy—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-third joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 190, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	78 votes
George Edmund Foss received	18 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	18 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Milton J. Foreman received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	31 votes
Michael Zimmer received	34 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote
Cyrus H. Martin received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:45 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Black from the Committee on Agriculture to which was referred House Bill No. 477, being a bill for "An Act to prevent creating a

monopoly in the business of buying milk, cream or butter fat for the purpose of manufacture or buy poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of sale or storage."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Black from the Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 271, being a bill for "An Act to regulate service of stallions in Illinois."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Black from the Committee on Agriculture to which was referred House Bill No. 486, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of an 'Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for the reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

Reported the same back without recommendation.

Under his notice entered on April 16, Mr. Geshkewich, moved to reconsider the vote by which the enacting clause was stricken out of Senate Bill No. 9.

And the question being on the motion to reconsider,

It was decided in the affirmative.

And the vote by which the enacting clause was stricken out of Senate Bill No. 9 was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

And the question again being, "Shall the enacting clause be stricken out?" it was decided in the negative.

And the House refused to strike out the enacting clause.

There being no further amendments the question being, "Shall this bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At the hour of 12:55 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Flagg presented a petition relating to fraternal insurance, which was referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives. to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 251.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violation of the same,' approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

Passed by the Senate April 21, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 251, was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 21.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That the Secretary of War of the United States, the Secretary of the Interior of the United States and the Attorney-General of the United States, be and they are hereby each respectfully requested upon behalf of the State of Illinois to furnish to the Lake Front Investigating Committee, heretofore authorized to be appointed by a joint resolution of the House and Senate of Illinois, such records, data, evidence, documents, maps, plats, surveys, field notes and profiles as each may have in the possession of his respective department, that will assist the said Lake Shore Investigating Committee in making a full and complete investigation of the rights of the people of the State of Illinois in and to the submerged lands along the lake shore of Lake Michigan within the limits of the State of Illinois, and in and along all of the navigable lakes, rivers and streams and bodies of water of the said State of Illinois; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives and the Secretary of the Senate, be and they are hereby directed to certify to a properly engrossed copy of this resolution to each of the said The Secretary of War, the said The Secretary of the Interior, and the said The Attorney-General of the United States.

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment I am directed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

Amend House Joint Resolution No. 21 by striking out the words, "the Clerk of the House of Representatives and the Secretary of the Senate be and they are," and insert in lieu thereof, the following: "the Secretary of State, under the great seal of State, is."

Concurred in as amended, April 21, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipperfield moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Joint Resolution No. 21,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. G. H. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 621, a bill for "An Act to regulate trading in petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, stocks, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, or produce bread-stuffs or provisions of any kind, defining certain offenses in connection therewith, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 622, a bill for "An Act providing for the creation of additional branch appellate courts."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Perkins introduced a bill, House Bill No. 623, a bill for "An Act to make the verdict of the jury on questions of fact final as to those facts when followed by judgment or decree of the trial court."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dudgeon introduced a bill, House Bill No. 624, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Sollitt introduced a bill, House Bill No. 625, a bill for "An Act prescribing the manner of construction and alteration of theatres and other auditoriums and halls for public entertainments, prescribing the powers and duties of the chief State Factory Inspector in relation thereto, and providing for the enforcement thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman introduced a bill, House Bill No. 626, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article five of 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force March 30, 1887, and as amended by an Act approved and in force December 31, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 382, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts awarded by the court of claims to certain persons named therein."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 524, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for procuring documents, papers and materials and publications relating to the northwest and the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriation to which was referred Senate Bill No. 169, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of a safe for the insurance department and making an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 154, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 121 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 151, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 276 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred House Bill No. 321, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, use and sale of cigarettes in the State of Illinois,' approved June 3, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907, by amending the title and section one of said Act."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 255, being a bill for "An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 627, a bill for "An Act granting power to the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns to license and regulate advertising by means of bill boards, sign boards and signs."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 255, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 255 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 627, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 221, being a bill for "An Act in relation to the office of treasurer in villages and incorporated towns."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 94, being a bill for "An Act to regulate and fix the maximum hours of a days work for conductors and motormen or operators, on street, elevated, underground and interurban electric railroads, so that ten hours shall constitute a days work, to be performed within twelve consecutive hours, etc."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 181, being a bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation and disbursement of police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns in the State of Illinois, having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 503, being a bill for "An Act fixing the maximum rate of fare to be charged by railroad companies, or corporations in this State, and within the limits of all cities in this State."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 628, a bill for "An Act to regulate the rate of charges for transportation of passengers on railroads doing suburban business."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 503, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 503, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 628, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 591, being a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties, bridges, owned or constructed by cities or villages outside the city or village and to be forever for the use of the public and maintained by counties."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 629, a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties, bridges and toll roads owned or constructed by cities or villages outside the cities or villages and to be forever kept open for public travel and maintained by counties."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 591, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 591 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 629, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 200, being a bill for "An Act to amend the law in relation to marriage licenses."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 630, a bill for "An Act to amend section six of an Act to revise the law in relation to marriages, approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 200, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 200 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 630, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 193, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to pandering to define and prohibit the same, and to provide for the punishment thereof, for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor and providing what shall be a defense.'"

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 631, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to pandering to define and prohibit the same, to provide for the punishment thereof, for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor, and providing what shall be a defense,' approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908, and also the title of said Act."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 193, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 193, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 631, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 192, being a bill for "An Act in relation to the payment of certain debts by prostitutes, prohibiting the payment of certain debts by labor of prostitutes, and providing for the punishment for the violation of its provisions."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 632, a bill for "An Act to prevent the detention, by debt or otherwise, of female persons in houses of prostitution or other places where prostitution is practiced or allowed, and providing for the punishment thereof."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 192, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 192, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 632, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 195, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 21 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred House Bill No. 310, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the construction of bridges and culverts,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 379, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 31, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdic-

tion of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Lawrence, from the Committee on Libraries, to which was referred House Bill No. 30, being a bill for "An Act to amend section five (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 586, being a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 104, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 86.

"An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 534.

"An Act creating attorney's lien and for enforcement of the same."

HOUSE BILL No. 268.

"An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the product of the labor of their members."

HOUSE BILL No. 579.

"An Act to allow a per diem fee to clerks of the circuit, county and probate courts in counties of the first and second class, and to repeal certain acts therein named."

HOUSE BILL No. 498.

"An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 86, 534, 268, 579 and 498 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lane introduced a bill, House Bill No. 633, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to make or keep any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offense, without their consent."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the department of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kerriek introduced a bill, House Bill No. 635, a bill for "An Act to authorize the Board of Managers of the Illinois State Reformatory to purchase certain real estate and making an appropriation for such purchase."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster introduced a bill, House Bill No. 636, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts paid to the State Treasurer for license to fish under section (21) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, defining the duties of the fish commissioners fixing their compensation providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' passed by the General Assembly of 1907, and known as House Bill No. 834."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster introduced a bill, House Bill No. 637, a bill for "An Act to authorize cities and towns to establish pension funds for teachers in the public schools."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading, the Speaker called Mr. Chipfield to the Chair and taking the floor called up House Bill No. 293 in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 293, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 17 and 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Hull offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 293, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 293, as printed, by adding the following thereto:

Provided, however, that whenever the change in assessed valuation herein provided for shall result in any increase in the maximum indebtedness

which may be lawfully incurred by any city, village or other municipal corporation, the city council of any such city or the president and board of trustees of any such village or the corporate authorities of any such other municipal corporation, for the purpose of raising funds under any additional power of incurring indebtedness resulting from this Act, may issue interest bearing coupon bonds, either registered or payable to bearer, or other evidences of indebtedness or obligations, pledging the faith and credit of any such city, village or other municipality for their payment only as hereinafter provided. Such issue shall be authorized by ordinance, stating the amount of issue and the purpose or purposes for which such bonds or obligations are to be issued. Such bonds or obligations shall be issued in such denominations, payable in currency or in gold or silver coin bearing such rate of interest, payable quarterly, semi-annually or annually, not exceeding six per cent per annum, and payable at such time or times, not exceeding twenty years from the date of issue and at such places and with such conditions as to optional payment before maturity, as the ordinance authorizing the issue may prescribe. Bonds or other obligations shall not be issued at less than par value.

Any such city, village or other municipality, as the case may be, shall have the authority out of any moneys in any sinking fund that may be provided for the retirement of such bonds or obligations to purchase in open market any such bonds or obligations at the fair market value thereof.

Except as hereinafter provided no ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations under any additional power of incurring indebtedness resulting from this Act shall take effect unless and until the same shall have been submitted to the voters of any such city, village or other municipality, as the case may be, and approved by a majority of such voters voting upon the question in the manner hereinafter provided.

Any such ordinance shall be submitted at any special or regular election of any such city, village or other municipality occurring not sooner than thirty (30) days from and after the ordinance is enacted.

The provisions applicable to the election of municipal officers shall, as far as practical, govern elections upon any such ordinance submitted to the popular vote.

The notice of the election upon which the ordinance or proposition is to be voted upon shall briefly indicate its substance.

The title, if any, of the ordinance shall be sufficient for that purpose.

The election commissioners, the village clerk, or the clerk of any other municipality, as the case may be, shall keep copies of such ordinance containing the proposition to be voted upon at their office for free distribution or for sale at the cost price as they shall determine, and one or more copies thereof shall be kept on election day at each polling place for public inspection.

Such ordinance or ordinances to be voted on at any election shall be printed on a ballot which shall be separate from the ballot for candidates for office. Below the statement of every such ordinance there is printed on two lines For the Bond Issue, Against the Bond Issue, leaving at the end of each line a square space marked off for the insertion of the voter's mark, substantially as follows:

CAPTION: CITY (OR VILLAGE OR OTHER MUNICIPALITY) BOND
ISSUE TITLE.

For the Bond Issue.	
Against the Bond Issue.	

Whenever any such proposition is submitted to the voters of any such city, village or other municipality the results shall be determined by the number of votes cast upon that proposition. If the vote upon the proposition is in favor of its adoption, the ordinance shall take effect in the city, village or other municipality, for which it has been adopted from the time the result of the election is ascertained and determined unless a later date is fixed in such ordinance or by the constitution:

Provided, however, That bonds may be issued by any city, village or other municipality to refund any existing funded indebtedness without submission to the popular vote.

Nothing herein contained shall be construed as limiting, impairing or modifying paragraph 5 of section 1 of article 5 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

Mr. Shurtleff moved to lay the foregoing amendment No. 1, on the table,

And upon this question, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 87; nays, 47.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Sullivan,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hope,	Morris,	Terrill,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kannally,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Black,	Espy,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	White,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Forst,	Lawrence,	Schumacher,	Wright,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Scott,	York,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Chipsfield,	Glade,	Lyon,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Church,	Gorman,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Smejkal,	
Cliffe,	Hagan,			

Yeas—87

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Richardson,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Rigney,
Allison,	Foster,	King,	Murray,	Robinson,
Bolin,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Scanlan,
Browne,	Gray,	Lewis,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Campbell,	Groves, J.	Link,	O'Brien,	Steverson,
Carter,	Groves, W. M.,	Logan,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.,
DeWolf,	Hull,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Donahue,	Huston,			Nays—47

The motion prevailed and the amendment was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the question then being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 77, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control,' approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, and as amended May 18, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Revenue, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 77, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend line three of the title to House Bill No. 77 so as to read as follows: "Approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

And line four in section 1 of said printed bill so as to read as follows: Control, "approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, as amended May 18.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 74, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Revenue, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 74, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill 74 by adding thereto the following:

"And provided further, That in municipalities of less than 100,000 inhabitants, the term incidental expenses as herein used shall not include any sum expended or obligation incurred for the improvement, repair or benefit of the school buildings or property, but all such sums and obligation shall be paid from that portion of the tax levied for building purposes.

"And provided, further, that no election or petition shall be necessary to authorize the levy of a tax for the ordinary repair and improvement of school buildings or grounds or for the payment of any special tax or special assessment levied upon such property."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 76, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments,' approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, and as amended,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 75, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and as amended,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 73, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the rate of taxation in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved and in force May 30, 1881,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 72, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 71, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 62 and 64 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of road districts, the election of officers therein, and in regard to roads and bridges, in counties not under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved May 4, 1887, etc."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 69, a bill for "An Act to amend section (36) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization and to provide for the adoption of the same,' approved May 10, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 14, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Shurtleff offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 14, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 14 in the House by striking out the word "twenty" in line six of the printed bill and inserting the word "twelve" in lieu thereof. And by striking out the word "forty" in line eight of the printed bill and inserting the words "twenty-five" and by striking out the word "twenty" in line thirty of the printed bill and inserting the word "twelve" in lieu thereof.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 70, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 13, 14, 19, 83, and 119 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, Mr. Price offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 70, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 70 by striking out the words and figures "thirty-five thousand (35,000,) in line 125 of the printed bill and inserting in place thereof the words and figures, "fifteen thousand (15,000)."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 294, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	

And there were forty-nine members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Scott,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shanahan.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Fieldstack.	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Brady,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh
Browne,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.,	Luke,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Daley,	Hamilton,	Maclean,		

And there were 138 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 187 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Cliffe (present but not voting) with Mr. McLaughlin.

Mr. York (present but not voting) with Mr. Crawford.

Mr. Logan (present but not voting) with Mr. Womack.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	10 votes
Henry Tanner received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailev.	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball, Cruikshank,

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Those voting for Wm. B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick, Gibson, Gorman, Holstlaw, Manny,
Burton, Glackin, Hearn, Isley, Tossey,

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Those voting for Henry Tanner are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	43 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	12 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	16 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	18 votes
Henry Tanner received.....	34 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote
A. J. Carpenter received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F W,
Bardil,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Trover,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgeit,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Hope,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Wright,
Durfée,	Ireland,	Lyon,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack.	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean.	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,			

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson, Kleeman,

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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher.	Zinger,
Chiprfield,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Curran.				

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black, Terrill,

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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	O'Toole,	Shaw,
Burns,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Poulton,	White.
Dillon,	Groves, W. M.,	O'Brien,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Donahue,	Hubry,	O'Neil,		

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Those voting for Henry Tanner are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Sullivan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	Morris,	Tippit,
Alschuler,	Espy,	Griffin,	Murphy, Wm.	Walsh,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	Hilton,	Murray,	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Cernak,	Forst,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Foster,	Link,	Scott,	—34

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

Those voting for A. J. Carpenter are Mr. Murphy, E. J.—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-fourth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 182, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	73 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	17 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	18 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	28 votes
Henry Tanner received.....	35 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote
A. J. Carpenter received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Chipfield offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 22.

WHEREAS, There has been introduced in the House of Representatives in Congress by Congressman Frederick Lundin of Illinois a resolution authorizing and directing the Speaker of the House of Representatives to appoint a select committee consisting of seven (7) members of the said House to investigate and to determine the various systems of old age insurance, old age pension, and annuities that are now in operation in the different countries of the world and the practicability of establishing such systems in the United States and said committee is to report not later than January 12, 1911. The result of such investigation setting forth the plan of operation in countries having such institutions, the cost to such countries of maintaining the system and the benefits derived from it, and

WHEREAS, This question has been successfully solved in other countries and to a great degree has abolished alms and homes for the poor and needy and caused this class of citizens to be happier in the communities where they reside,

Therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That the members of Congress representing this State be, and they are respectfully requested, to do all in their power to see that the said resolution is adopted, and

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded immediately by the Secretary of State to each representative in Congress from this State.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

The House again proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading,

House Bill No. 133, a bill for "An Act to amend section (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Black moved that the House now resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of further considering House Bill No. 133,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Speaker of the House vacated the Chair and called Mr. Zinger to preside over the deliberations of the Committee of the Whole House.

At the hour of 1:40 o'clock, p. m., the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Zinger, from the Committee of the Whole House reported that the committee had listened to addresses from representatives from Peoria and Springfield, regarding the proposed removal of the State Fair from Springfield to Peoria.

Whereupon, Mr. Butts offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend printed House Bill No. 133 by substituting a comma for the period at the end of section 1 and adding thereafter "after the year 1909."

SEC. 2. This enactment shall not be operative unless on or before the first day of September, 1909, the city of Peoria or persons for it shall well and truly deposit with the Treasurer of the State of Illinois the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00) for use in moving and installing the said State Fair in the county of Peoria, adjacent to said city of Peoria, and shall at the same time make a like deposit of the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) for the purchase there of not over 160 acres of land suitable for the holding thereon of a State Fair."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. H. W. Wilson presented a communication in the form of a resolution adopted by the city council of the city of Springfield relative to House Bill No. 133, which was read at large by the Clerk and ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 48, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

At the hour of 2:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Smejkal moved that this House do now take a recess until 5:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 5:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns called up House Bill No. 66, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 66, a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been engrossed and amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 90.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Jewell,	Morris,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.,	Shepherd, F W,
Adkins,	Erbv,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Allison,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Espy,	King,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Beck,	Fieldstack.	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Walsh,
Carter,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Price,	Wheelan,
Church,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.,
Curran,	Hope,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Wright,
DeWolf,	Hull,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	York,
Dillon,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shanahan,	Zinger,

Yeas—90

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 143.

A bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, "An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois," approved on May 23, 1907.

Passed by the Senate April 22, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 143 was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue called up House Bill No. 578, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 578, a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 166, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 166, a bill for "An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication with reference to Senate Bill No. 28, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

And also a copy of the resolution adopted by the city council of the city of Springfield relative to House Bill No. 133, which was ordered placed on file.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 332.

A bill for "An Act to authorize corporations organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of

incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to provide a funeral benefit for their members."

Passed by the Senate April 22, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

SENATE BILL No. 218.

A bill for an Act concerning the proof of ordinances of any municipality which, or any part of which, heretofore has been or hereafter may be annexed to another municipality.

SENATE BILL No. 226.

A bill for an Act to provide for the setting apart, formation, and disbursement of a house of correction employes' pension fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants.

SENATE BILL No. 274.

A bill for an Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof," approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895.

SENATE BILL No. 275.

A bill for an Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks; to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property," approved and in force, April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887.

SENATE BILL No. 306.

A bill for an Act granting certain lands in the city of Evanston and the title of certain submerged lands adjoining said city, to the city of Evanston for park and boulevard purposes.

SENATE BILL No. 348.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act to be known as section 3c.

SENATE BILL No. 380.

A bill for an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of surveyors and regulating the practicing of surveying.

Passed by the Senate April 22, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 218, 226, 274, 275, 306, 332, 348 and 380 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe called up House Bill No. 100, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 100, a bill for "An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks and deputy county or probate clerks from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions,"

Having been engrossed, and the amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

Ad the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 90.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F W,
Adkins,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Forst,	King,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pierson,	White,
Church,	Grace,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Robinson,	Wilson, H. W.
Curran,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Hagan,	Logan,	Schumacher,	York,
Dillon,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
				Yeas—90

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dillon called up Senate Bill No. 250, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 250, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 1, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved and in force April 19, 1907, as amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1907, and all Acts amendatory thereof,"

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto, having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 90.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hope,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F W,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Jewel,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Browne,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Poulton,	White,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Gray,	Lederer,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.,
Clark,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Curran,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Daley,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
				Yeas—90

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burgett called up House Bill No. 59, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 59, a bill for "An Act to provide for the election of town clerks in counties under township organization (except in the county of Cook) and to fix their term of office,"

Having been engrossed and the amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 85; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Lyon,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F W,
Adkins,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McConnell,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Espy,	Kannally,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.,	Terrill,
Browne,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Trover,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Walsh,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Carter,	Grace,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Church,	Griffin,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, T. J.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
DeWolf,	Hilton,	Liggett,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Dillon,	Hope,	Logan,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—85

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Foster, Pierson,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Grace called up House Bill No. 45, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 45, a bill for "An Act to provide turn-pike, gravel or macadam roads, and to provide a penalty for its violation,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Grace offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 45 by adding after the word "road" in line three of the printed bill the following: "situated outside of the limits of any incorporated town, city or village."

And the amendment was adopted.

Thereupon, Mr. Browne moved to amend House Bill No. 45, by striking out the enacting clause.

Mr. Scanlan moved to lay the motion of Mr. Browne upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion of Mr. Browne to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question now being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees, Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred House Bill No. 11, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl, and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 187, being a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl, and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding hereto a new section to be known as section 16a,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Blair, from the Committee on Claims, to which was referred House Bill No. 307, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the Committee was concurred in and the bill was re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Blair, from the Committee on Claims, to which was referred House Bill No. 472, being a bill for "An Act to appropriate five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Kleeman asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 504 in the order of second reading.

Unanimous consent being refused, Mr. Kleeman moved to suspend the rules for the purpose of taking up House Bill No. 504,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 504, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to sanitary districts of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district, and to construct dams, water-wheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Kleeman offered the following amendment:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 504 by striking out all after the enacting clause and by adding the following:

That Section 6 of an Act in relation to the sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district and to construct dams, water-wheels, and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor. Approved May 14, 1903. In force July 1, 1903. Be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 6. That the power made available by the works constructed under the provisions of this Act shall be transmitted to the county, cities, villages and towns within said sanitary district and *shall be sold* to said county, cities, villages and towns, or parts thereof for the purpose of lighting said county, cities, villages and towns, or for parts thereof, or for the operation of pumping plants or machinery used for municipal purposes or for public service, provided, before said power or electrical energy shall be sold, the sanitary district trustees of said sanitary district shall cause to be published annually a notice for five consecutive days in some daily secular paper, published within said sanitary district, notifying the presidents, chairmen, trustees and commissioners of said county, villages and towns and the mayors, trustees, councilmen or aldermen of said cities within said sanitary district, that said sanitary district trustees of said sanitary district, have and offer for sale a certain amount of power or electrical energy (naming the amount of horse power), which can be purchased by said county, cities, villages or towns, at a minimum rate (naming price per horse power), which shall not exceed the amount of the cost of the production of said power or electrical energy, and said sanitary district trustees shall also cause a copy of said notice or publication to be mailed to the presidents, chairmen, trustees, commissioners of said county, villages, towns, and the mayors, trustees, councilmen and aldermen of said cities, and if said county, cities, villages or towns shall not purchase or consummate a contract in writing for the purchase of said power or electrical energy or a part thereof, within sixty days from the last publication of said notice, then the power or electrical energy or the surplus thereof, which has not been purchased or contracted for by said county, cities, villages, or towns, may be disposed of to any other person or corporation, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed to by the said sanitary district, provided, however, that it shall be the duty of said sanitary district to utilize so much of said power as may be required for that purpose to operate the pumping stations, bridges and other machinery of said sanitary district.

Pending discussion, Mr. Hull moved that the foregoing amendment be ordered printed and that further consideration of House Bill No. 504, and the amendment be postponed and made a special order on Wednesday, April 28, 1909.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

Mr. Tippitt, from the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying, to which was referred House Bill No. 159, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secured the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, said section one (1) as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the Committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 24.

WHEREAS, The fire insurance laws of Illinois make no provision whatever as to what rates the fire companies shall charge for business procured in this State, the question of rates being one entirely with the companies or bureaus and there being no officer in this State who has any authority as to making or changing fire insurance rates; and,

WHEREAS, The fixing of the classifications of municipalities and physical conditions of properties as a basis for fire insurance rates in Illinois is also a matter entirely in private hands and not subject to appeal to any public official authority; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That the Governor is hereby authorized and requested to appoint a commission consisting of five competent and disinterested citizens of Illinois, whose duty it shall be to obtain information and report to this General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State.

One of said commissioners shall be selected from the city of Chicago, one from Rock Island, one from Springfield, one from East St. Louis and one from Quincy.

Said commissioners shall have power to subpoena and compel witnesses to attend and testify and to compel the production of all documents, exhibits or other information the commission may deem needful for the correct discharge of their duties and, to the extent of making penalties for false testimony applicable, the hearing of the commission shall be a judicial hearing.

Said commission shall be appointed immediately upon the joint adoption of this preamble and resolution and thereupon said commission shall at once assemble and begin and continue their hearings at such time and place as the commission may determine.

The members of said commission shall be allowed their actual expenses only, the same to be certified by the commissioners under oath, to the Governor, who shall thereupon recommend to the General Assembly to make an appropriation covering such expenses.

The commissioners shall file their report with the General Assembly not later than May 1, A. D. 1909.

In the event that said commissioners recommend the enactment of a law regulating fire insurance rates in Illinois, the commissioners shall submit with their report the draft of the bill whose basic plan and object shall be just and reasonable regulation of fire insurance rates with the least amount of official machinery and the lowest amount of public cost that would give the largest measure of justice and equity, with the simplest and easiest local application.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it be adopted.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Church asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 600, in the order of second reading.

Unanimous consent being refused, Mr. Church moved to suspend the rules for the purpose of taking up House Bill No. 600,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 600, a bill for "An Act to amend section 9 of 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force

July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

- Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pervier called up House Bill No. 361, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 361, a bill for "An Act to amend sections four (4), five (5) and six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to protect cemeteries and to provide for their regulation and management,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns call up House Bill No. 111 in the order of second reading; and House Bill No. 111, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74 and 75 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 111, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 111 by inserting in line nine of the printed bill after the word "forever" the words "to be known as the widow's award."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 111 by striking out of line seventeen of the printed bill the words "which shall be known as the widow's award."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 35.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, April 23, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, April 27, 1909.

Adopted April 22, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 35,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees.

Mr. Kittleman, from the Committee on Chicago Charter, to which was referred House Bill No. 356, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the civil service of the city of Chicago,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Kittleman, from the Committee on Chicago Charter, to which was referred House Bill No. 350, being a bill for "An Act to consolidate in the government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city to make additional provisions concerning parks and local improvements and to provide revenue,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kittleman offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 50.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from this life, Mr. Patrick H. McLaughlin, father of our esteemed member, the Honorable John J. McLaughlin of Cook county, and

WHEREAS, Mr. McLaughlin was a respected and patriotic citizen of the State and one of the sturdy pioneers of Chicago, whose life and efforts have largely been expended in bettering the condition of his fellowmen, and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has lost a patriotic and worthy citizen and his family a loving and devoted husband and father; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, extend to our fellow member and to the family of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy in this, their hour of sorrow; and, be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, that a copy suitably engrossed be forwarded by the Clerk of the House to the family of the deceased and that as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and in accordance therewith at the hour of 6:45 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Perkins, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker.—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 110.

A bill for "An Act to make appropriations to provide for the current expenses of the Supreme Court, and for the care of the Temple of Justice building and grounds.

Passed by the Senate April 22d, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Kerrick presented several petitions relating to local option, which were referred to the Committee on License.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. W. Wilson, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 638, a bill for "An Act to promote the safe transportation in interstate commerce of explosives and other dangerous articles, and to provide penalties for its violation."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hilton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 639, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of insanitary, dangerous or deadly headgear or hats, and to regulate the exhibition thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 640, a bill for "An Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Black, from the Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 458, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled,

'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 48, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 413, being a bill for "An Act to require foreign fire and casualty insurance companies to deposit a bond or securities with the insurance commissioner to protect contracts in this State,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 528, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the deposit of reserve and the registration of policies and annuity bonds by life insurance companies of this State,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 529, being a bill for "An Act relating to fire insurance, and to provide for the regulation and control of rates of premium thereon and to prevent the discrimination therein,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 230, being a bill for "An Act to prevent fire insurance companies entering into or maintaining pools, trusts, conspiracies or agreements to control rates of insurance,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 40, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one of article five of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section one of article five of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation, etc.,'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 67, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety and health of employes and passengers upon street and interurban railroads, and specifying certain penalty attached for violation of the provisions thereof,'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 236, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' as amended by Act approved December 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1908,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 186, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the disconnection of territory from cities and villages, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved and in force May 10, 1901,"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 407, being a bill for "An Act to amend section thirty-four of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 408, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by Act approved and in force May 18, 1905,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 329, being a bill for "An Act to amend section eight as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, of article II, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 401, being a bill for "An Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments and defining certain offenses in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, House Bill No. 40, was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The House, proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 306, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities, to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks and to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 305, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes,' approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 176, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 79, a bill for "An Act to provide for an increase of the number of judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook, and to designate the date of their election,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 477, a bill for "An Act to prevent creating a monopoly in the business of buying milk, cream or butter fat for the purpose of manufacture or buying poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of sale or storage and provide a penalty therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 271, a bill for "An Act to regulate service of stallions in Illinois,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 382, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts awarded by the court of claims to certain persons named therein,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 524, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for procuring documents, papers and materials and publications relating to the northwest and the State of Illinois,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 321, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, use and sale of cigarettes in the State of Illinois,' approved June 3, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907, by amending the title and section one of said Act,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 221, a bill for "An Act in relation to the office of treasurer in villages and incorporated towns,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 94, a bill for "An Act to regulate and fix the maximum hours of a day's work for conductors and motormen, or operators, on street, elevated, underground and interurban electric railroads, so that ten hours shall constitute a day's work, to be performed within twelve consecutive hours, for the purpose of providing for the better safety and welfare of the public, passengers and employes, and providing a penalty for a violation thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 181, a bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation and disbursement of police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns in the State of Illinois, having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 379, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 30, a bill for "An Act to amend section five (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 586, a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 104, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, said section one (1) as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 350, a bill for "An Act to consolidate in the government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in the local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city, to make additional provisions concerning parks and local improvements, and to provide revenue,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on 'second reading.

House Bill No. 608, a bill for "An Act to amend article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the

results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by Acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by emergency Acts approved May 15, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 232, a bill for "An Act to regulate the pursuit of the business, art and avocation of a barber, and to insure the better qualifications of persons following such business in the State of Illinois,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 232, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 232 by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 6a.

SECTION 6a. All those now actually engaged in the occupation as barber, in this State, shall within ninety days after the approval of this Act, file with said board an affidavit setting forth his name, residence and length of time, and the place where he has practiced the trade, and shall pay to the secretary of said board the fee of \$1.00 and a certificate of registration shall be granted to him authorizing him to practice as barber in this State.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 103, a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 103, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 103 by striking out of lines seven and eight of the printed bill the following words, "and also all instruments or writings of whatsoever nature, kind or character enforceable in this State."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 599, a bill for "An Act to provide for the inspection of locomotive boilers on railroads and the care of steam locomotives on railroads, and to provide a penalty for the violations of the provisions of said Act,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Morris moved that House Bill No. 268 in the order of third reading be recalled and re-referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs for the purpose of amendment.

The motion prevailed.

And it was so ordered.

House Bill No. 431, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fugitives from justice,' approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 431, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend printed bill by adding after the word "committed" in the one hundred and twenty-fifth line, the following words: "The fees provided for herein to be paid by the State shall apply only in cases of the return of a fugitive from justice from any of the several states and territories of the United States."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 607, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Flannigen, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 607, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 607 by striking out all after line thirty-seven on page three.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 607, section 1, line twenty-three, by striking out words and figures "4,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "5,000."

The amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Murray moved to strike out the enacting clause of House Bill No. 21.

Whereupon, Mr. Chipperfield moved to lay the motion of Mr. Murray upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion of Mr. Murray to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question now being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House, proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 24, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74, 75 and 77 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and as amended in regard to said section 75, by an Act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 230, a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity of pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members, or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 241, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the foundation and disbursement of a municipal employes' pension fund in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand,' approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and to add two sections thereto, to be numbered sections 15 and 16 respectively and to provide a penalty for violation of the same,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 145, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois and to repeal certain Acts therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 185, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 34 and 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation of pleasure drive-way and park districts,' approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Senate Bill No. 269, a bill for "An Act to enable courts of law to grant relief against fraud,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 323, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1661½ of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 281, a bill for "An Act for the regulation of pawn-brokers, and repealing a certain Act therein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Senate Bill No. 244, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 14 of 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 242, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities of 100,000 population and under to construct outlet sewers, reservoirs, pumping works and machinery and maintain and keep in repair the same, the cost thereof to be defrayed by special assessment or special taxation, and if the assessment is paid in installments, to issue bonds to anticipate the deferred installments,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 49, a bill for "An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 234, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named,"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Second Reading,

Senate Bill No. 43, a bill for "An Act to provide for testing the sight and hearing of pupils in public schools, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 66, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats,' approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 20, a bill for "An Act to amend section 72 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 169, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of a safe for the insurance department, and making appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 154, a bill for "An Act to amend section 121 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 151, a bill for "An Act to amend section 276 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 195, a bill for "An Act to amend section 21 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.
Hay, Hearn, —2

And there were two members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Adkins,	Church,	Kirkpatrick,	Montelius,	Pierson,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Kittleman,	Morris,	Price,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Shanahan,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Lawrence,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Foster,	Logan,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Keck,	Lyon,	Perkins,	Mr. Speaker.
Cermak,	Kerrick,			

And there were thirty-two members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were thirty-four members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Hearn—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	12 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	3 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	2 votes
James F. Morris received.....	1 vote
A. M. Foster received.....	1 vote
Lee O'Neil Browne received.....	1 vote
George Alschuler received.....	1 vote
R. E. Wilson received.....	1 vote
James J. O'Toole received.....	1 vote
Charles Naylor received.....	1 vote
Anton J. Cermak received.....	1 vote
John C. Werdell received.....	1 vote
P. F. Murray received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Kirkpatrick,	Logan,	Montelius,
Behrens,	Keck,	Lawrence,	Lyon,	Perkins,
Carter,	Kerrick,			—12

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Church,	Pierson,	Price,	—3
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.
Erickson, Kleeman, —2

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.
Kittleman, Shanahan, —2

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.
Bolin, Donahue, —2

Those voting for James F. Morris are: Mr. Alschuler—1.

Those voting for A. M. Foster are: Mr. Brown—1.

Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Mr. Foster—1.

Those voting for George Alschuler are: Mr. Morris—1.

Those voting for R. E. Wilson are: Mr. Murray—1.

Those voting for James J. O'Toole are: Mr. Naylor—1.

Those voting for Charles Naylor are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

Those voting for Anton J. Cermak are: Mr. Werdell—1.

Those voting for John C. Werdell are: Mr. Cermak—1.

Those voting for P. F. Murray are: Mr. Wilson, R. E.—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-fifth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 34, of which—

Albert J. Hopikns received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	13 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	3 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	3 votes
James F. Morris received.....	1 vote
A. M. Foster received.....	1 vote
Lee O'Neil Browne received.....	1 vote
George Alschuler received.....	1 vote
R. E. Wilson received.....	1 vote
James J. O'Toole received.....	1 vote
Charles Naylor received.....	1 vote
Anton J. Cermak received.....	1 vote
John C. Werdell received.....	1 vote
P. F. Murray received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The House again proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Second Reading,

Senate Bill No. 214, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois,"

Was taken up, and read at large a second time,
Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendments:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by striking out the word "provided" in line twelve of section 1 of said bill and all of lines thirteen, fourteen and fifteen.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by striking out the word "written" in line one of section four of the said bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by inserting after the word "is" in line thirty-four of section 4 of said bill the word "legally."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by striking out all of lines fifty-three to fifty-nine inclusive, in section 4 of said bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by striking out lines fifteen and sixteen in section 12 of said bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by changing the number of "section 13" of said printed bill so that said section will be numbered "section 14."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by adding a new section to said bill to be known as "section 13," to read as follows:

"SECTION 13. It shall be unlawful for any osteopath licensed under this Act to assume or use or apply to himself the title of "Doctor" unless such title be qualified by the term "Osteopath," or "Osteopathist." It shall furthermore be unlawful for any osteopath licensed under the provisions of this Act to assume, use or apply to himself the title of "physician."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Browne offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by striking out in line twenty-four the words "minor surgery."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Browne offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend Senate Bill No. 214 by striking out in lines thirty-five and thirty-six of the printed bill the words "and such other subject as the board may require."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed and engrossed and the bill to a third reading.

In accordance with the provisions of House Joint Resolution No. 10, the Speaker appointed as the committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Pierson and Clark.

At the hour of 12:55 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 27, 1909.

TUESDAY, APRIL 27, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Friday, April 23 was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hope, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Clark presented a petition relating to House Bill No. 267, and Senate Bill No. 84, which was referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Speaker and Mr. Carter presented several petitions relating to farm drainage and House Bills numbered 245 and 227, which were referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

A message from the Governor, by James Whittaker, Secretary to the Governor:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the House of Representatives, the following:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, April 27, 1909.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives:

I transmit herewith to your Honorable Body the report of the Commission on Occupational Diseases appointed by me under the authority of a joint resolution, adopted by the General Assembly in March, 1907.

The report deals with many branches of industry in which conditions deleterious to the health of the workers have been found to prevail and offers suggestions for the improvement of such conditions.

It appears from the report of the commission that its work is far from complete and an estimate of the appropriations necessary to continue this work for the next two years is appended to the report. The members of the commission, who serve without compensation, freely tender their services to the State in the further prosecution of their investigations.

The work of the commission is of great importance to employes and employers alike in many of our most extensive industries and in my opinion should be continued.

I therefor solicit for the recommendations of the report and the estimates of appropriations necessary for the continuance of the work, your earnest consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. DENEEN,

Governor.

The foregoing message was ordered placed on file.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne introduced a bill, House Bill No. 641, a bill for "An Act to regulate the reporting of the decisions of the appellate courts of this State, to provide for their publication and the appointment of a reporter for said courts and to fix the salary of said reporter."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beckemeyer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 642, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' and approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, and as amended by an Act of the General Assembly, approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act of the General Assembly, approved April 7, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Robinson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 643, a bill for "An Act to provide for the better protection and safety of employes in foundries where castings of any metallic nature are manufactured."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton introduced a bill, House Bill No. 644, a bill for "An Act in reference to proof of disputed hand-writings."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 645, a bill for "An Act making appropriation to repair bridges over the Illinois and Michigan Canal at points where highways existed prior to construction of said canal."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. E. J. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 646, a bill for "An Act to prevent persons from advertising to tell fortunes, to restore lost or stolen property, to locate oil wells, gold or silver or other ore, metal or natural product, to restore lost love, friendship or affection, to reunite or procure lovers, husbands, wives, relatives or friends, to give advice or counsel of any kind, by means of occult or psychic powers, clairvoyance, psychology, psychometry, spirits mediumship, seership, prophecy, astrology, palmistry, necromancy, cards, charms, talismans, potions, magnetism, magnetised articles or substances, oriental mysteries, magic, or like subtle science or means, and to prevent the practice of fraud by means or in the name of spirit mediumship, palmistry, card reading, astrology, seership, fortune telling, or like subtle science or means, spiritualism or any other religion, school, cult or denomination, and from obtaining money thereby, and providing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Schumacher, from the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 367, being a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing, or hereafter organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other State, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependents, hospitals, asylums and sanatoriums."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 74.

"An Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended."

HOUSE BILL No. 73.

"An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the rate of taxation in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved and in force May 30, 1881."

HOUSE BILL No. 77.

"An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control,' approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and as amended May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 76.

"An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments,' approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, and as amended."

HOUSE BILL No. 70.

"An Act to amend sections 13, 14, 19, 83 and 119 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883 and as amended."

HOUSE BILL No. 75.

"An Act to amend section one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and as amended."

HOUSE BILL No. 69.

"An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization, and to provide for the adoption of the same,' approved May 10, 1901."

HOUSE BILL No. 600.

"An Act to amend section 9 of 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29,

1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 71.

"An Act to amend sections 62 and 64 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of road districts, the election and duties of officers therein, and in regard to roads and bridges, in counties not under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved May 4, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended."

HOUSE BILL No. 72.

"An Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended."

HOUSE BILL No. 293.

"An Act to amend sections 17 and 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

HOUSE BILL No. 294.

"An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 594.

"An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structures."

HOUSE BILL No. 595.

"An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structures and to create fireproof building districts."

HOUSE BILL No. 596.

"An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to fire escapes,' approved and in force April 21, 1899."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 74, 73, 77, 76, 70, 75, 69, 600, 71, 72, 293, 294, 594, 595 and 596 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 374, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit persons holding offices requiring men to value or assess property for taxation from engaging in other business or occupation."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading,

House Bill No. 37, a bill for "An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Church,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Clark,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Cliffe,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shepherd, F W,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.,	Solliert,
Bardill,	DeWolf,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beck,	Dillon,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	King,	Myers,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Black,	English,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Blair,	Erby,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	Pierson,	Werdeil,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Price,	White,
Browne,	Forst,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Link,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Glade,	Logan,	Robinson,	Wright,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Luke,	Schanlan,	York,
Carter,	Grace,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Scott,	Zipf
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—120

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Donahue, McGuire, Morris,

Nays—3

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 490, a bill for "An Act authorizing the making of additions to, and the correction of, names of Illinois soldiers or sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within the Illinois State Monument, or Memorial Temple, in the National Military Park at Vicksburg, Mississippi, and providing for the appointment of commissioners therefor, and making appropriation for the payment of the cost and expenses thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Dillon,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.,	Shepherd, F. W.,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Beck,	English,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	King,	Nelson,	Tippitt,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Black,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Forst,	Lane,	Parker,	Welborn,
Brady,	Foster,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Pierson,	White,
Browne,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Glade,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Burns,	Gorman,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gray,	Luke,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Wright.
Chiperfield,	Groves, Wm.	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Church,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Scott,	Yeas—114
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shanahan,	

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 249, a bill for "An Act to amend section (11) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 108; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Keck,	Morris,	Sollitt.
Adkins,	Durfee,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	English,	King,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Black,	Erickson,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Tippitt,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Troyer.
Brownback,	Finley,	Lane,	Pierson,	Weinorn,
Browne,	Flagg,	Lawrence,	Price,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Richardson,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Glade,	Luke,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Grace,	Lyon,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Church,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,	York,
Cliffe,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Daley,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Jewell,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.,	
Dillon,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Smejkal,	Yeas—108

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Murphy, Wm.

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 194, a bill for "An Act to make the findings of juries final in suits at common law."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 97; nays, 12.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon.	Hruby,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Tipitt.
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Ton,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Lawrence,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fulton,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Link,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Glade,	Logan,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Luke,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Clark,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Scott,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shaw,	
DeWolf,	Holaday.	Mills,		Nays—97

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Lyon,	Pierson,	Stevenson,
Campbell,	King,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Carter,	Kirkpatrick,			Nays—12

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 155, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereto,' approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Morris,	Stearns,
Abrahams,	Clark,	Hamilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Cliffe,	Holaday,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Allison,	Daley,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Tippitt,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Ton,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Behrens,	Erby,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Blair,	Erickson,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Bolin,	Etherton,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Fahy,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Brownback,	Flagg,	Luke,	Richter,	Wright,
Browne,	Forst,	McColum,	Robinson,	York,
Burgett,	Fulton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Burns,	Galligan,	McGuire,	Scott,	Zipf,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	McMackin,	Shaw,	
Butts,	Glade,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.	
Campbell,	Griffin,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.	Yeas—102

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 43, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to sell diseased horses and mules and to provide a penalty therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 122; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Jewel,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	English,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Beck,	Erby,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Tippitt,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Ton,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Browne,	Forst,	Lane,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Glade,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	York,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Luke,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, Wm.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McColum,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scott,	
Daley,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Yeas—122

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,

Nays—1

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act, rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 86, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropraxy in the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83; nays, 13.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hagan,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hutzel,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Beck,	Durfee,	Kittleman,	Myers,	Tippitt,
Behrens,	English,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Ton,
Brady,	Erby,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Espy,	Lewis,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fahy,	Figgett,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Finley,	Luke,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Flagg,	Maclean,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Flannigen,	McCollum,	Richter,	York,
Cermak,	Forst,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Scott,	Zipf,
Church,	Grace,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.	
Cliffe,	Groves, Wm.	Montelius,	Shephard, F. W.	Yeas—83

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bardill,	Groves, J.	King,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Beckemeyer,	Keck,	Kirkpatrick,	Riley,	
Burgett,	Kerrick,	Lane,	Walsh,	Nays—13

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 534, a bill for "An Act creating attorney's lien and for enforcement of same."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time;

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94, nays, 15.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hilton,	Mills,	Stearns,
Adkins,	Daley,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippitt,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	King,	Myers,	Ton,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Behrens,	Espy,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Black,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Blair,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Brady,	Flagg,	Lederer,	Poulton,	White,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, F. J.
Browne,	Foster,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Fulton,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	Luke,	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lyon,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, Wm.	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.	Yeas—94

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bolin,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Riley,
Burgett,	Groves, J.	Kowalski,	Parker,	York,
Butts,	Hamilton,	Figgett,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
				Nays—15

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid; and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock Meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dalley,	Hall,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Etteison,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,	

And there were 49 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hoiaday,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hope,	Mills,	Shepherd, H A,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F W,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beck,	English,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Blair,	Etherton,	King,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flags,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Welborn,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wardell,
Burgett,	Forst,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Luke,	Rigney,	York,
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, Wm.	McColum,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	

And there were 144 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 193 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each mem-

ber, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Dudgeon (present but not voting) with Mr. McLaughlin.

Mr. Holstlaw (present but not voting) with Mr. Helm.

Mr. Glackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Baker.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	7 votes
William Loeffler received	4 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	
Dalley,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,	—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Manny,	Tossey,	Womack,	—7
Gibson,	Isley,				

Those voting for William Loeffler are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Hearn,	Jandus,	Rainey,	—4
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	47 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	17 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	14 votes
William Loeffler received	43 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Adkins,	Flagg,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Bardill,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Behrens,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Hope,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wright,
Campbell,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Carter,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Cliffe,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Durfee,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,	—47

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns.
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Kowalski,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			—2
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	English,	Groves, Wm.	Luke,	Richardson.
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Huston,	Naylor,	White.
Dillon,	Groves, J.	Kannally,	O'Brien,	—14

Those voting for William Loeffler are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Griffin,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Myers,	Tippit,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Link,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Bolin,	Fahy,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Finley,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Forst,	Morris,	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,	
Clark,	Gorman,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H A,	—43

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-sixth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 188 of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	75 votes
George Edmund Foss received	16 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	19 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	21 votes
William Loeffler received	47 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

House Bill No. 579, a bill for "An Act to allow a per diem fee to clerks of the circuit, county and probate courts in counties of the first and second class and to repeal certain Acts therein named,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 117; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Allison,	Donahue,	Ireland,	Myers,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Parke,	Tippit,
Black,	Frickson,	King,	Perkins,	Ton,
Blair,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kittleman,	Pierson,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	Price,	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Flagg,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Forst,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Fulton,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Logan,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Luke,	Robinson,	York,
Church,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Clark,	Grace,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Mills,	Scott,	
Crawford,	Groves, Wm.	Montelius,	Shanahan,	
Curran,	Hagan,	Morris,	Shaw,	

Yeas—117

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Groves, J. McCollum,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 498, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved April 22, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 80.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hagan,	Montelius,	Shephard, H A,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hamilton,	Morris,	Shephard, F W,
Allison,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Tippi,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Ton,
Behrens,	Etherton,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Black,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Reynolds,	Werdell,
Brady,	Forst,	Lantz,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Brownback,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Robinson,	Wright,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Logan,	Scott,	Zinger,
Church,	Grace,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	Zipf,

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Lewis offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 51.

WHEREAS, The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company is operating a bridge across the Illinois river at La Salle, Illinois, which is so low that it is impossible for boats excepting small pleasure boats, to pass under, and

WHEREAS, Complaint has been made to said road and also to the government setting forth that said low bridge constitutes an obstruction to navigation, and

WHEREAS, If such obstruction did not exist passage for boats of commerce might be had up to Ottawa, sixteen miles above La Salle,

Resolved, That the Governor of this State and the Attorney General be instructed to take such steps as may be necessary to compel said railroad to put in and operate a draw in said bridge across said Illinois river at La Salle so that boats may pass through without obstruction.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

At the hour of 12:50 o'clock, p. m.. Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 5:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

The hour of 5:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the House by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 22.

WHEREAS, There has been introduced in the House of Representatives in Congress by Congressman Frederick Lundin of Illinois, a resolution authorizing and directing the Speaker of the House of Representatives to appoint a select committee consisting of seven (7) members of said House to investigate and to determine the various systems of old age insurance, old age pension, and annuities that are now in operation in the different countries of the world and the practicability of establishing such systems in the United States and said committee is to report not later than January 12, 1911. The

result of such investigation setting forth the plan of operation in countries having such institutions, the cost to such countries of maintaining the system and the benefits derived from it, and

WHEREAS, This question has been successfully solved in other countries and to a great degree has abolished alms and homes for the poor and needy and caused this class of citizens to be happier in the communities where they reside; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That the members of Congress representing this State be, and they are respectfully requested, to do all in their power to see that the said resolution is adopted, and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded immediately by the Secretary of State to each Representative in Congress from this State.

Concurred in April 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 60.

A bill for "An Act to insure greater safety to the lives of the traveling public and prescribing the number of employés to be used in the operation of passenger and freight trains in the State of Illinois, and providing a penalty for a violation of this Act.

SENATE BILL NO. 160.

A bill for an Act to prohibit the sale of mixed or blended or adulterated grades of coal and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

SENATE BILL NO. 245.

A bill for an Act to amend article X of "An Act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 1A.

SENATE BILL NO. 248.

A bill for an Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain acts therein named," approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893.

SENATE BILL NO. 249.

A bill for an Act to make compulsory the prevention of procreation of habitual criminals, idiots and imbeciles and to provide a means for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

SENATE BILL NO. 373.

A bill for an Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages," approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

SENATE BILL NO. 393.

A bill for an Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning Land Titles," approved and in force May 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL NO. 364.

A bill for an Act relating to private employment agencies and to repeal parts of a certain Act relating thereto.

Passed by the Senate April 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 338.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections five (5), nine (9), thirteen (13), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), seventeen one-half (17½), eighteen (18), twenty-six and one-half (26½), thirty-seven (37), forty-two (42), fifty-five (55), and fifty-nine (59), and to repeal sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), and twenty-two (22), and to add three new sections, to be known as sections five A (5A), seventeen A (17A), and seventeen B (17B) respectively to an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the construction reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts," approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 20, 1907.

Passed by the Senate April 27th, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 60, 160, 245, 248, 249, 338, 364, 373 and 393 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 474, being a bill for "An Act to regulate certain elections held under 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 621, being a bill for "An Act to regulate trading in petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, stocks, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, or produce bread stuffs or provisions of any kind, defining certain offenses in connection therewith, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 201, being a bill for "An Act to provide when recorded instruments shall cease to be notice of lien to purchasers for value."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 647, a bill for "An Act to provide when recorded instruments shall cease to be constructive notice of lien to owners of real estate and to purchasers for value."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 201, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 201 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 647, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 454, being a bill for "An Act prohibiting the making or publishing of false or exaggerated statements or publications of or concerning the affairs, pecuniary condition or property of any association, co-partnership or individual, with the intent to give or which shall have a tendency to give a lesser or greater apparent value to the shares, bonds, or property or any part thereof of said corporation, joint stock association, co-partnership or individual than such shares, bonds, or property shall actually and in fact possess and providing a penalty therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 604, being a bill for "An Act in relation to certain old-mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancellation thereof on the records, as incumbrances against real estate."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 618, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the descent of property,' approved April 9, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 28, being a bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal and charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 40, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to declare unlawful the filing for record of certain deeds or conveyances

of real estate where the same has been sold for taxes and no deed has been taken out within one year after the time for redemption expires; to make such filing for record a misdemeanor and to provide a penalty for such illegal filing for record."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Schumacher, from the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 57, being a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Schumacher, from the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 230, being a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefit to beneficiaries of deceased members, or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof; and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State and providing for and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. York, from the Committee on Horticulture, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 225, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, and 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits, and repealing a certain Act therein named,' filed June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 639, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of insanitary, dangerous or deadly headgear or hats, and to regulate the exhibition thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do

pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 470, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) and two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited, to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 548, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 235 and section 236 of an Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence, approved March 27, A. D. 1874 in force July 1, A. D. 1874.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 203, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 495, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit discrimination amongst insurants of the same class, or rebates of premiums for policies issued by insurance companies other than life."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up Senate Bill No. 48, in the order of second reading, and Senate Bill 48, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

House Bill No. 120, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon, the Committee on State and County Fairs, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 120, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 120 by inserting after the word "officers" in line 13 of the printed bill the words, "except the treasurer and secretary."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 300, a bill for "An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employes in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time;

Whereupon, Mr. Curran, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 300, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend bill by adding thereto the following: "This Act shall not be in force and effect until January 1, A. D. 1910."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes,' approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 448, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 448, by inserting after the words and figures, "In force June 17, 1893" in the title thereof in the printed bill the words and figures, "As amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1893."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 448 by inserting after the words and figures "In force June 17, 1893" in line four of the printed bill the words and figures, "As amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1895."

And the amendment was adopted.

Whereupon, Mr. Holaday offered the following amendment:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 448 in line ten (10) by striking out the words and figures "thirty (30)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "eighteen (18)."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 581, a bill for "An Act to amend section 97 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Pending discussion Mr. ApMadoc moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 581 be postponed and that it retain its place upon the calendar.

The motion prevailed.

And it was so ordered.

House Bill No. 306, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks, to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Pending discussion, Mr. Sollitt moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 306 be postponed and that it retain its place upon the calendar.

The motion prevailed,

And it was so ordered.

House Bill No. 176, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 176 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of House Bill No. 176 by adding thereto the words "as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 1 of House Bill No. 176 by inserting after "1874" of line 5 of the printed bill the words "in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:"

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 176 by striking out of the printed bill following "1874" of said line 5 the words, "be amended to read as follows:"

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT NO. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 176 by adding the words "Section 31" before the words "Edgar, in April and October," in line 6 of the printed bill,

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Foster moved to recall House Bill No. 489, from the Committee on County and Township Organization and re-refer it to the Committee on Fish and Game.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak called up Senate Bill No. 9, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 9, a bill for "An Act to amend section seventeen (17) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to promissory notes, bonds, due bills and other instruments in writing,' approved March 18, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 107; nays, 7.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Groves, Wm.	McNichols,	Scott,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Alsenuler,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Morris,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Murray,	Tippit,
Blair,	English,	Kannally,	Myers,	Ton,
Bolin,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brady,	Erickson,	King,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Browne,	Etherton,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	White,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Finley,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.,
Butts,	Forst,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Foster,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Fulton,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Church,	Geshkewich,	Logan,	Richardson,	York,
Clark,	Giespie,	Luke,	Richter,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Lvon,	Riley,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Yeas—107

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Flagg,	Huston,	Lawrence,	Montelius,
Carter,	Hamilton,			Nays—7

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. McNichols moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 9 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Cermak moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. J. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 648, a bill for "An Act requiring cities and villages to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except refund any existing bonded indebtedness, to the voters of such city or village."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kittleman, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 649, a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Tippitt moved to recall House Bill No. 385 from the Committee on County and Township Organization and re-refer it to the Committee on Fish and Game.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

Out of respect to the memory of General Ulysses S. Grant, this being the anniversary of his birth, Mr. Stearns moved that this House do now adjourn.

And the question being on the motion to adjourn.

It was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 6:20 o'clock p. m., the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Chipperfield, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Wright presented a petition relating to Senate Bill No. 405 and House Bill No. 284, which was referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred House Bill No. 508, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors, and the custody of the United States field notes."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred House Bill No. 275, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article XV of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 578.

A bill for an Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by An Act approved May 15, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879.

HOUSE BILL No. 607.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, "An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof

in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 608.

A bill for an Act to amend article III of an Act entitled, "An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887; as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by Acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by Emergency Acts approved May 15, 1903; as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 117.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the catching of white fish, trout, herring, chubs, longjaws, black fins, perch and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois," approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto two new sections, to be known as section 8a and section 8b.

HOUSE BILL No. 491.

A bill for an Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any Post of the Grand Army of the Republic.

HOUSE BILL No. 478.

A bill for an Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence.

The foregoing House Bills numbered 578, 607, 608, 117, 491 and 478, were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 37.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That the Governor is hereby authorized to appoint a commission, consisting of five persons, to represent the People of the State of Illinois at the celebration of the Centennial Anniversary of the Battle of Lake Erie to be held at Put-In-Bay Island in the year 1913, and to consult and coöperate with like commissions from other states which may participate in said celebration; and, prior to the session of the Legislature in the year 1911, the said commission shall make a report to the Governor of this State of the action and progress of said commission, and such other matters pertaining to such proposed celebration as may be of interest to the People of the State.

The said commission shall receive no compensation other than their necessary and actual expenses, which shall be paid on vouchers and bills approved by the Governor.

Adopted April 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipperfield moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 37.

And the question being on the motion to concur, it was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack called up House Bill No. 374, in the order of first reading; and House Bill No. 374, a bill for "An Act to prohibit persons holding offices requiring them to value or assess property for taxation from engaging in other business or occupation."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lewis called up House Bill No. 203, in the order of first reading; and House Bill No. 203, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Allison called up House Bill No. 474, in the order of first reading; and House Bill No. 474, a bill for "An Act to regulate certain elections held under 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Reynolds called up Senate Bill No. 367, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 367, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing, or hereafter organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other state, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependents, hospitals, asylums and sanitariums,"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McNichols called up House Bill No. 401, in the order of first reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 401, a bill for "An Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments and defining certain offenses in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue introduced a bill, House Bill No. 650, a bill for "An Act to provide for a record to be kept of all real property conveyances in the office of the county clerk of each county for the purpose of taxation."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A message from the Governor by James Whittaker, Secretary to the Governor:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

SPRINGFIELD, April 28, 1909.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed by the Governor to lay before the House of Representatives the following communication:

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives:

In compliance with Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, adopted by the Senate on March 17, last, authorizing the appointment of a commission to investigate and report to the General Assembly its conclusions as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates, the following gentlemen were appointed members of said commission: Mr. Edson W. Lyman, George C. Hill, Stephen D. Sexton and E. A. Hall. I am today in receipt from said commission of a communication, a copy of which is attached hereto and transmitted for the consideration of your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. DENEEN,

Governor.

SPRINGFIELD, April 27, 1909.

Hon. Charles S. Deneen, Governor, Springfield, Illinois:

DEAR SIR—Your commission appointed pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, for the purpose of considering the subject matter of said resolution and reporting to the General Assembly by May 1, 1909, being duly organized and ready to begin the work necessary to obtain the information required by said resolution, after due consideration of the magnitude of the work required of this commission, most respectfully suggest to your Excellency that the Assembly be requested to extend the time for making said report sufficient to enable the commission to make a thorough investigation of the whole subject involved.

The commission is willing to enter into the labor necessary believing that the people should be advised along the lines indicated in the resolution, but are sure that it is impossible to make an intelligent investigation and report, or one that would be of any value to the people of the State in the limited time named, remembering as we must, that the subject involves the enormous sum of twenty millions of dollars in premiums paid out in the State of Illinois annually.

We note that there are bills pending before the General Assembly affecting the subject matter contained in the resolution, and we would respectfully suggest that the General Assembly will hold in abeyance any measures of this character until after the report of this commission is submitted.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) EDSON W. LYMAN, Chairman,
GEORGE C. HILL, Secretary.
STEPHEN D. SEXTON,
E. A. HALL.

The foregoing message was ordered placed on file.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading:

House Bill No. 293, a bill for "An Act to amend section 17 and 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81; nays, 60.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Hollenbeck,	Hope,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Tinnit,
ApMadoe,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Black,	Fliedstack,	King,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Blair,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Parker,	White,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Brownback,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Price,	York,
Chiverfield,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Richter,	Zinger.
Church,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Link,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Shephard, H. A.	
Daley,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Smejkal,	Yeas—81
Dillon,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Stearns,	
Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins.	Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Macleam,	Reynolds,
Allison,	De Wolf,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Richardson,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Huston,	Mills,	Riley,
Behrens,	English,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Robinson,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Morris,	Scanlan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Browne,	Flage,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Burgett,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Myers,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Grace,	Liggett,	Naylor,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gray,	Logan,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Pierson,	Wright,

Nays—60

This bill having been received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Chipperfield in the Chair.

Mr. Shanahan moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 293 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Shurtleff moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

House Bill No. 294, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 100; nays, 41.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Stearns,
Abrahams,	Erby,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Adkins,	Erickson,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Alschuler,	Espy,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
ApMadoc,	Filedstack,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Ton,
Bardill,	Finley,	King,	Parker,	Troyer,
Beck,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Beckemeyer,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wardell,
Behrens,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Black,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Price,	White,
Brownback,	Glade,	Lantz,	Reynolds,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Grace,	Link,	Scanlan,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Wright,
Chipherfield,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scott,	York,
Church,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.	Zipf,
Curran,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.	Mr. Speaker.
Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Smejkal,	
Dillon,	Hope,	Mills,		
Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Murray,		

Yeas—100

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Crawford,	Gray,	Maclean,	Richardson,
Bolin,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Rigney,
Briscoe,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Montelius,	Riley,
Browne,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Robinson,
Burgett,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Burns,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Flagg,	Lewis,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Clark,	Foster,	Luke,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Fulton,			Nays—41

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 69, a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization, and to provide for the adoption of the same,' approved May 10, 1901."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 105; nays, 28.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Bardill,	English,	Ireland,	Mills,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	Myers,	Ton,
Black,	Filedstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Wardell,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Maclear,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—105

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Luke,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Browne,	Foster,	McGuire,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Gray,	Montellus,	Rigney,	
DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Robinson,	Nays—28

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 70, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 13, 14, 19, 83 and 119 of an Act entitled, 'An Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883 and as amended."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 21.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Huston,	McNichols,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murray,	Tippit,
Black,	Filedstack,	Kannally,	Myers,	Ton,
Blair,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flann,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Parker,	White,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Kleman,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Richter,	York,
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Riley,	Zinger,
Clark,	Hagan,	Link,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,				Yeas—111

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Naylor,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	Rigney,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Jewell,	Montellus,	Shaw,
Browne,	Gray,	Luke,	Murphy, Wm.	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,				Nays—21

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 71, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 62 and 64 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of road districts, the election and duties of officers therein, and in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved May 4, 1887, in force July 1 1887, and as amended."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 17.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Mills,	Terrill,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Tiptot,
Bardill,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murray,	Ton,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Myers,	Troyer,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Behrens,	Filedstack,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wardell,
Black,	Finley,	King,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	White,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Brownback,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Price,	Wright,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Reynolds,	York,
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Zinger,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Grace,	Link,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Logan,	Schumacher,	
Church,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scott,	Yeas—111
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	
Crawford,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bolin,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Browne,	Foster,	Luke,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Campbell,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Etherton,	Groves, W. M.			Nays—17

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 72, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 105; nays, 14.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Sullivan,
Bardill,	Erby,	Ireland,	Myers,	Terrill,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Tiptot,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Behrens,	Filedstack,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Blair,	Finley,	King,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wardell,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Price,	White,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Reynolds,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	York,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Link,	Scott,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shephard, H. A.	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,				Yeas—105

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Browne,	Etherton,	Morris,	Shaw,
Bolin,	Campbell,	Maclean,	Murphy, Wm.	Wilson, R. E.
Briscoe,	Donahue,	Montelius,	Naylor,	Nays—14

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 73, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the rate of taxation in cities, villages and incorporated towns,' approved and in force May 30, 1881."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 14.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Sullivan,
Bardill,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Esrv,	Keck,	Myers,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Black,	Finley,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Blair,	Flase,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Glade,	Lantz,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Grace,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wright,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Link,	Riley,	York,
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Church,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,				Yeas—111

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Browne,	Donahue,	Maclean,	Shaw,
Bolin,	Clark,	Etherton,	McGuire,	Wilson, R. E.
Briscoe,		Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Nays—14

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker *pro tem*, Mr. Chiperfield, and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chiperfield, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,

And there were fifty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chipersfield, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erbe,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Etherton,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tipit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	King,	Nelson,	Ton,
Brady,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Browne,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	York,
Church,	Griffin,	Luke,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hagan,	McCoilum,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,		

And there were 147 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 197 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chipersfield, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pair was announced:

Mr. Tossey (present but not voting) with Mr. McElvain.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—5
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Rainey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	49 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	17 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	22 votes
George Alschuler received	20 votes
Thomas Riley received	6 votes
William Maloney received	7 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F W,
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	—49

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Kowalski,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chisnerfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			— 17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Allison.	Donahue,	Griffin.	Huston,	O'Brien,
Blair,	English,	Groves, J.	Kannally,	Richardson.
Burns,	Espy,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Tippit.
Clark,	Etherton,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Wilson. F. J.
Dillon,	Finley,			—22

Those voting for George Alschuler are: Messrs.

Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	Link,	Murphy, E. J.	Riley,
Browne,	Forst,	McCollum,	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Cermak,	Foster,	McLaughlin,	Naylor,	White,
DeWolf,	Gorman,	Morris,	O'Neil,	Wilson, R. E.
				—20

Those voting for Thomas Riley are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Scott,	Wheelan,
Daley,				—6

Those voting for William Maloney are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Hilton,	Sullivan,	Walsh,	Werdell,
Geshkewich,	Murray,			—7

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chipfield, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-seventh joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 190 of which—

Albert J Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	78 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	19 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	34 votes
George Alschuler received	20 votes
Thomas Riley received	6 votes
William Maloney received	7 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker *pro tem*, of the House of Representatives, Mr. Chipfield, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:50 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

House Bill No. 74, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 116; nays, 16.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F W,
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sullivan
Beck,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Tippit,
Black,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Ton,
Blair,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Eush,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Link,	Riley,	York,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Daley,				Yeas—116

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Briscoe,	Dowolf,	Groves, J.,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.
Browne,	Donahue,	Groves, Wm.	Maclean,	Naylor,
Campbell,	Etherton,	Huston,	Montelius,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,				Nays—16

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 75, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and as amended."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 116; nays, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Sullivan
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Terrill,
ApMadoc,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Bardill,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murray,	Ton,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Myers,	Troyer,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Black,	Finley,	King,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Parker,	White,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Richter,	York,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Chiferfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hagan,	Logan,	Scott,	
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Shanahan,	
Crawford,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.	Yeas—116
Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Smejkal,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	DeWolf,	Maclean,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Etherton	Murphy, Wm.		Nays—8

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 76, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments,' approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, and as amended."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 117; nays, 11.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Mills,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan
Bardill,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murray,	Terrill,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Black,	Finley,	King,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	White,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wright,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Riley,	York,
Chiferfield,	Gray,	Link,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	Yeas—117
Curran,	Hilton,	McConnell,		

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Pierson,
Campbell,	Foster,	Maclean,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,				Nays—11

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 77, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control,' approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and as amended May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 115, nays, 12.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abraams,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan
Beck,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Black,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brad,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Glade,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Chinerfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Riley,	York,
Church,	Hagan,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,				Yeas—115

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	DeWolf,	Luke,	McGuire,	Naylor,
Browne,	Etherton,	Maclean,	Murphy, Wm.	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Jewell,			Nays—12

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 600, a bill for "An Act to amend section 9 of 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Des-plaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114; nays, 9.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Holiday,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	English	Hope,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hruby,	Mills,	Stevenson.
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan
Bardill,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murray,	Terrill,
Beck,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Behrens,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Black,	Flagg,	King,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Brady,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Werdel,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Parkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Glade,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Carter,	Grace,	Lederer,	Richter,	York,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lewis,	Riley,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Church,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scott,	
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	Yeas—114
Crawford,				

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	Dudgeon,	Foster,	Maclean,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Fahy,	Luke,	Murphy, Wm.	Nays—9

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. English introduced a bill, House Bill No. 651, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to encourage the propagation and cultivation and to secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, defining the duties of the fish commissioners, fixing their compensation and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

By unanimous consent, Mr. English introduced a bill, House Bill No. 652, a bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-five of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28th, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

By unanimous consent, Mr. English introduced a bill, House Bill No. 653, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28th, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and all Acts amendatory thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church introduced a bill, House Bill No. 654, a bill for "An Act authorizing the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the building laws of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Statutory Revision.

Mr. Etherton offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 23.

WHEREAS, The Baptist people and others of the State of Illinois propose to erect a monument at the grave of the late Reverend James Lemen, Sr., near Waterloo, Monroe county, Illinois, to honor his memory as a Revolutionary soldier and the friend and co-worker with Thomas Jefferson in organizing the peaceful forces that dedicated the great northwestern territory to freedom, by the anti-slavery clause in the ordinance of 1787, and which later gave Illinois a free State Constitution, and who was an Indian fighter in Illinois in defense of our early homes, and later became a founder of the Baptist denomination in Illinois; and,

WHEREAS, The late Judge Silas Bryan, of saintly memory and greatly beloved by our people, was the first person to suggest the erection of a monument to the honor of Reverend James Lemen nearly sixty years ago, at which time it was thought that the monument would at once be erected, and it was arranged that the Legislature should be requested to invite Senator Stephen A. Douglas to deliver an address at the dedication of the monument upon the joint labors of Thomas Jefferson and James Lemen, it being deemed appropriate that the recognized leader of Jefferson's party should thus honor his memory, while at the same time the State would recognize the great services of both Jefferson and Lemen; and

WHEREAS, It was the purpose of the late Abraham Lincoln, on account of his profound interest in, and respect for, the memory and deeds of the late James Lemen and his ardent friendship for his sons, to have attended the ceremonies of unveiling and dedication of the monument; in consequence of which it is believed that his distinguished son, Robert T. Lincoln, will feel a deep interest in an event which so enlisted his father's warmest approval; therefore,

Resolved, by the House, the Senate concurring: That the Honorable William J. Bryan, of Lincoln, Nebraska, and the Honorable Robert T. Lincoln, of Chicago, Illinois, be invited and earnestly requested to attend the meeting at New Design, near Waterloo, on September 16th next, for the purpose of participating in the exercises of unveiling and dedication of the proposed monument.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution.

The question being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 587, being a bill for "An Act concerning the publication of legal notices."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 167, being a bill for "An Act in regard to the contests of wills."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 257, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 32, of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectments,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 577, being a bill for "An Act to create one additional term of the circuit court in and for the county of Grundy and to fix the time of holding the same and changing the terms of court in and for said county."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 464, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the disposal of unclaimed monies in the hands of administrators and executors,' approved May 12, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 56, being a bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed money in the county treasury and for the appointment of administrators or executors in relation thereto."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 228, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery,' approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 655, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery,' approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 228, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 228 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 655, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 377, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the licensing of shorthand court reporters and to regulate the practice of shorthand court reporting."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 656, a bill for "An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 377, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 377 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 656, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 305, being a bill for "An Act to provide for judges of circuit courts and judges of the superior court of Cook county holding court in the several circuits of the State and Cook county by order of the Supreme Court or any judge thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 99, being a bill for "An Act in regard to the administration of estates of persons presumed to be dead, by reason of seven years or longer absence from their former domicile in this State."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

At the hour of 1:30 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 3 o'clock p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 3 o'clock p. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Whereupon Mr. Smejkal moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 330, and that all persons present interested in the deep water-way be invited to appear before the committee.

And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker called Mr. Smejkal to the Chair and thereupon the House went into Committee of the Whole House.

At the hour of 5:40 o'clock p. m. the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Smejkal from the Committee of the Whole House formed for the consideration of House Bill No. 330, reported that the committee had made progress and asked leave to sit again.

The House again proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees.

Mr. Gillespie, from the Committee on Warehouses, to which was referred House Bill No. 617, being a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article thirteen of the Constitution of this State,' approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871, as amended by an Act, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred House Bill No. 509, being a bill for "An Act to amend section (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred House Bill No. 566, being a bill for "An Act requiring that boots and shoes made in certain parts of substitute for leather, and boots and shoes made by 'convict or prison labor' to be stamped, and providing a penalty for failure to so stamp."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hollenbeck, from the Committee on Farm Drainage, to which was referred House Bill No. 262, being a bill for "An Act to provide for drainage of land joining any state, county or township highway, or any thoroughfare used by the general public where such drains will benefit or lessen the maintenance expense of such highway or thoroughfare, according to the judgment of the State, county and township."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hollenbeck, from the Committee on Farm Drainage, to which was referred House Bill No. 63, being a bill for "An Act to amend section five, as amended by Act approved June 30, in force July 1, 1885, of an Act approved and in force May 29, 1879, entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees, across the lands of others, for agricultural, sanitary and mining, etc.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred House Bill No. 593, being a bill for "An Act to enable park commissioners to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks and pleasure grounds, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred House Bill No. 411, being a bill for "An Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards and providing a penalty therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 232, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for making improvements and repairs upon highways adjoining public parks and pleasure grounds,' approved and in force April 22, 1907, and to add thereto three new sections, to be known as sections 2, 3 and 4."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 49, being a bill for "An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 234, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 307, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 657, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading:

House Bill No. 181, a bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation and disbursement of police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns in the State of Illinois, having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 631, in the order of second reading, and House Bill No. 631, a bill for "An Act in relation to pandering to define and prohibit the same, to provide for the punishment thereof, for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor, and providing what shall be a defense," approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908, and also the title of said Act."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Lederer offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 631, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 631 by changing word "section" in line two, section 3 to read "sections."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 632, in the order of second reading, and House Bill No. 632, a bill for "An Act to prevent the detention by debt or otherwise, of female persons in houses of prostitution or other places where prostitution is practiced or allowed, and providing for the punishment thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Lederer offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 632, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 632 by adding before the word "detain," in line two the word "or" so as to read "or detain."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred House Bill No. 573, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1), two (2), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 658, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as further amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 573, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 573 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 658, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Werdell, from the Committee on License, to which was referred House Bill No. 384, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

And House Bill No. 469, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition by like means of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 659, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means, of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

And recommended that the original bills, House Bills Nos. 384 and 469, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bills, House Bills Nos. 384 and 469 were ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 659, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak called up House Bill No. 595, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 595, a bill for "An Act authorizing cities, towns and villages to regulate the use, construction, location, improvement and repair of buildings and structure and to create fireproof building districts."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 77; nays, 13.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	English,	Hilton,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan
Brady,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Murray,	Troyer,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Myers,	Walsh,
Bush,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Navlor,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lederer,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lewis,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipherfield,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gillespie,	Luke,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Glade,	McGuire,	Richter,	York,
Corcoran,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Curran,	Grace,	McMackin,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Gray,			

Yeas—77

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Riley,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Pierson,	Stevenson,
Carter,	Kerrick,	Perkins,		Nays—13

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Cermak moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 595 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Abrahams moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

House Bill No. 596, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to fire escapes,' approved and in force April 21, 1899."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81; nays, 19.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Murray,	Stearns,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Myers,	Sullivan
Alschuler,	English	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Tippit,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Beck,	Erickson,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Blair,	Espy,	Kowalski	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Lane,	Parker,	Werdell,
Brady,	Feldstack,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Browne,	Forst,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Bush,	Foster,	Luke,	Riley,	Wright,
Butts,	Fulton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	York,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Church,	Gorman,	Mills,	Shaw,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Morris,	Smejkal,	
Curran,	Hagan,	Murphy, E. J.		Yeas—81

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Groves, J.,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Jewell,	McGuire,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Etherton,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.	Nays—19

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne, called up Senate Bill No. 251, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 251, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violations of the same,' approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up Senate Bill No. 380, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 380, a bill for "An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of surveyors and regulating the practicing of surveying."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Reynolds called up Senate Bill No. 230, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 230, a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for

violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Myers called up House Bill No. 379, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 379, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butts called up House Bill No. 30, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 30, a bill for "An Act to amend section five (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 382, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 382, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts awarded by the court of claims to certain persons named therein."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 524, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 524, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for procuring documents, papers and materials and publications relating to the northwest and the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, the special order of House Bill No. 504 set for this day was postponed until tomorrow.

Mr. Cermak moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 596 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. O'Brien moved to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

At the hour of 7:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Bush presented several petitions, relating to the tuberculin test for cattle, which were referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that, on April 14, 1909, the President of the Senate appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate provided for by House Joint Resolution No. 10, concerning the purchase of furniture for the two chambers, Senators Pemberton and Holstlaw.

Action taken April 14, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 449.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the payment of employés of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

Passed the Senate by a two-thirds vote, April 28, 1909.

SENATE BILL No. 44.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

SENATE BILL No. 69.

A bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of a State Inspector of Apiaries, and defining his powers and duties and to prohibit the sale or disposition of diseased apiaries and to prescribe certain penalties therefor."

SENATE BILL No. 173.

A bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons, and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

SENATE BILL No. 260.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 6 and 9 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole; and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Passed by the Senate April 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 313, 376, 443, 449, 44, 69, 173 and 260, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 313.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 120 of an Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record, approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

SENATE BILL No. 376.

A bill for "An Act in relation to tax deeds."

SENATE BILL No. 443.

A bill for "An Act concerning the election and powers of trustees in villages and incorporated towns organized and existing under special Acts."

Passed by the Senate April 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 313, 376 and 443, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 23.

WHEREAS, The Baptist people and others of the State of Illinois propose to erect a monument at the grave of the late Reverend James Lemen, Sr., near Waterloo, Monroe county, Illinois, to honor his memory as a Revolutionary soldier and the friend and co-worker with Thomas Jefferson in organizing the peaceful forces that dedicated the great northwestern territory of freedom, by the anti-slavery clause in the ordinance of 1787, and which later gave Illinois a free State Constitution, and who was an Indian fighter in Illinois in defense of our early homes, and later became a founder of the Baptist denomination in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The late Judge Silas Bryan, of saintly memory and greatly beloved by our people, was the first person to suggest the erection of a monument to the honor of Reverend James Lemen nearly sixty years ago, at which time it was thought that the monument would at once be erected, and it was arranged that the Legislature should be requested to invite Senator Stephen A. Douglas to deliver an address at the dedication of the monument upon the joint labors of Thomas Jefferson and James Lemen, it

being deemed appropriate that the recognized leader of Jefferson's party should thus honor his memory, while at the same time the State would recognize the great services of both Jefferson and Lemen; and

WHEREAS, It was the purpose of the late Abraham Lincoln, on account of his profound interest in, and respect for, the memory and deeds of the late James Lemen and his ardent friendship for his sons, to have attended the ceremonies of unveiling and dedication of the monument; in consequence of which it is believed that his distinguished son, Robert T. Lincoln, will feel a deep interest in an event which so enlisted his father's warmest approval; therefore

Resolved, by the House, the Senate concurring: That the Honorable William J. Bryan, of Lincoln, Nebraska, and the Honorable Robert T. Lincoln, of Chicago, Illinois, be invited and earnestly requested to attend the meeting at New Design, near Waterloo, on September 16th next for the purpose of participating in the exercises of unveiling and dedication of the proposed monument.

Concurred in April 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 33.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

Resolved, That section eight (8) of article ten (10) of the Constitution of this State be amended to read as follows:

In each county there shall be elected the following county officers, at the general election to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1882: A county judge, county clerk, sheriff and treasurer, and at the election to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1884, a coroner and clerk of the circuit court (who may be *ex officio* recorder of deeds, except in counties having 60,000 and more inhabitants, in which counties a recorder of deeds shall be elected at the general election in 1884). Each of said officers shall enter upon the duties of his office, respectively, on the first Monday of December after his election, and they shall hold their respective offices for the term of four years, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Adopted April 28, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 33, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull introduced a bill, House Bill No. 660, a bill for "An Act prescribing the method under which any city, village or other municipal corporation may issue bonds or other evidences of municipal indebtedness."

The bill was taken up and read by title.

Whereupon, Mr. Hull asked unanimous consent to have the bill advanced to second reading without reference.

Unanimous consent being refused, Mr. Hull moved to suspend the rules for that purpose.

And the motion was lost.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 660, was ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Logan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 661, a bill for "An Act concerning baggage and excess baggage, prescribing the duties of common carriers in reference thereto and fixing their maximum charges for transporting the same, defining certain offenses and fixing the punishment therefor, and repeal all conflicting laws."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. W. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 662, a bill for "An Act to amend section nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and thirteen (13), of article II of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Elections.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scott introduced a bill, House Bill No. 663, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for annexing and excluding territory to and from cities, towns and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McLaughlin introduced a bill, House Bill No. 664, a bill for "An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other states and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Murray introduced a bill, House Bill No. 665, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the municipal court of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Courts.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 666, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith,' filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

Upon the invitation of the House, the Senate having assembled, were assigned seats.

Whereupon, Mr. Chiperfield moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of listening to arguments concerning railroad legislation,

And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker called Mr. Chiperfield to the Chair and thereupon the Joint Assembly went into a Committee of the Whole.

At the hour of 10:50 o'clock, a. m., the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Reynolds called up Senate Bill No. 367, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 367, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing, or hereafter organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society, organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other state, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependents, hospitals, asylums and sanatoriums."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto, having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Robinson,
Abrahamams,	Daley,	Hope,	Mills,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hull,	Montelius,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dillon,	Huston,	Morris,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Beck,	Durfee,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	King,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Finley,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Forst,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Welborn,
Burns,	Foster,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Piereson,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Luke,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gray,	McCollum,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J. M.	McConnell,	Richter,	Zinger,
Church,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Corcoran,	Hamilton,	McMackin,		Yeas—120
Crawford,	Holaday,			

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 45.

A bill for an Act to protect turnpike, gravel or macadam roads and to provide a penalty for its violation.

HOUSE BILL No. 166.

A bill for an Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same.

HOUSE BILL No. 158.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act defining and declaring the rights of the public in navigable lakes and streams meandered in the survey by and under the authority of the United States of America."

HOUSE BILL No. 130.

A bill for an Act to repeal an Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named, approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

HOUSE BILL No. 188.

A bill for an Act to amend section 23 of "An Act in relation to courts of record in cities," approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

HOUSE BILL No. 243.

A bill for an Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

HOUSE BILL No. 423.

A bill for an Act to amend section 7 of an Act entitled, "An Act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof and repealing certain Acts therein named," approved May 6, 1903, in force July 1, 1903.

HOUSE BILL No. 170.

A bill for an Act to prevent improper treatment of prisoners or persons suspected of crime, by police and other officers or persons for the purpose of attempting to obtain confessions or admissions, and to provide a penalty therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 21.

A bill for an Act to provide for moral and humane education in the public schools and to prohibit certain practices inimical thereto.

HOUSE BILL No. 216.

A bill for an Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, "An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes," approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 530.

A bill for an Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish appellate courts," approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877.

HOUSE BILL No. 406.

A bill for an Act to amend section 245 and 248a of an Act entitled, "An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads," approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 161.

A bill for an Act to amend "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act to be known as section 5a.

HOUSE BILL No. 232.

A bill for an Act to regulate the pursuit of the business, art and avocation of a barber, and to insure the better qualifications of persons following such business in the State of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 137.

A bill for an Act to provide for the protection of drains, ditches and natural streams constructed or maintained for agricultural or sanitary and mining purposes and to require all persons owning lands bordering same, and all persons owning land over or through which said drains, ditches, and natural streams may pass or flow to annually remove all obstructions from same.

HOUSE BILL No. 138.

A bill for an Act to amend section 11 of an Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal certain Acts therein named, approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

The foregoing House Bills numbered 45, 166, 158, 130, 188, 243, 423, 170, 21, 216, 530, 406, 161, 232, 137 and 138 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 615, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the appointment, qualifications and duties of notaries public and certifying their official acts,' approved April 5, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved April 13, 1875, in force July 1, 1875."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 98, being a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 122a."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 555, being a bill for "An Act to amend section two (2), twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled,

'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 39, being a bill for "An Act to amend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so as to include the complete administration of testate estates."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 142, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 145, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal certain Acts therein named."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred House Bill No. 54, being a bill for "An Act concerning the roads, highways and bridges and repealing other Acts concerning the same subjects."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 462, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved May 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 297, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 461, being a bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the use of clock, tape, slot, or other machines or devices for gambling purposes,' approved and in force June 21, 1895."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 426, being a bill for "An Act granting the right of eminent domain to electric light and distributing companies."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 616, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to corporations engaging in furnishing suretyship on bonds and their agents to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon, and to prevent discrimination therein and to permit such companies and such, etc.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 429, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution and to provide for its purification."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Flannigen, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 48, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Flannigen, from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 585, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of article 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 121, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 and section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows, minor children and dependent parents of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department.'"

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 667, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 and section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen, to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department, etc.'"

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 121, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 121 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 667, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

The hour having arrived the time heretofore fixed for the special consideration of House Bill No. 504, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to sanitary districts of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district, and to construct dams, water-wheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up, and having heretofore been read at large a second time on April 22nd.

The pending question being the motion to adopt amendment No. 1 offered by Mr. Kleeman on April 22.

Mr. Church moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the negative.

The question recurring on the adoption of the amendment, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the amendment No. 1 was adopted.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie.
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Landee,	Rainey,
Broderick,	Funk,	Henson,	Lish,	Stewart,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,
Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	

And there were forty-four members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, he following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.,	Lyon,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hope,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hull,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.,	Stearns,
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Robertson,	Ireland,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flagg,	King,	O'Neil,	Werdehl,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.,
Burns,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wright,
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Price,	York,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Church,	Gray,	Leggett,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	
Crawford,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Riley,	

And there were 138 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 182 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Gibson (present but not voting) with Mr. Barr.
 Mr. Glackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Schmitt.
 Mr. Keck (present but not voting) with Mr. White.
 Mr. Ireland (present but not voting) with Mr. Fahy.
 Mr. Dellenback with Mr. Brown.
 Mr. Lundberg with Mr. Tossey.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	27 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	8 votes
Julius Smietanka received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Bailey,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Baker,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Billings,	Funk,	Henson,	McCormick,	
Clark,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	
Dailey,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,	—27

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Jones,	Olson,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,	—8
Burton,	Holstlaw,	Manny,			

Those voting for Julius Smietanka are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	11 votes
William E. Mason received.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	17 votes
Julius Smietanka received	15 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	2 votes
A. J. Carpenter received.....	2 votes
George English received.....	1 vote
Lee O'Neil Browne received.....	14 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Flagg,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Weiborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.,
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Clyffe,	Hope,	Lyon,	Robinson,	—44

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Reynolds,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Pierson,	Stearns,	
Fieldstack,	Kowalski,			—11

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Mr. Erickson—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Daley,	Etherton,	Huston,	Richardson,
Briscoe,	Donahue,	Finley,	McLaughlin,	Tippit,
Browne,	English,	Groves, W. M.,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Espy,			—17

Those voting for Julius Smietanka are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Hilton,	Murray,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Shaw,	Wilson, F. J.,
Forst,	Morris,	O'Neil,	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.,
				—15

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Messrs.

McConnell,	O'Toole,			—2
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Those voting for A. J. Carpenter are: Messrs.

Murphy, E. J.,	Walsh,			—2
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Those voting for George English are: Mr. Scott—1.

Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

Allison,	Bolin,	Foster,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	Luke,	Riley,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Groves, J.,	McCollum,	—14

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-eighth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 170, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	14 votes
William E. Mason received.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote

Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	25 votes
Julius Smietanka received.....	16 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	2 votes
A. J. Carpenter received.....	2 votes
George English received.....	1 vote
Lee O'Neil Browne received.....	14 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The pending question being the further consideration of House Bill No. 504, Mr. Dudgeon offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

And provided also that it shall be the duty of the said sanitary district to furnish so much of said power as may be required now or hereafter in the operation or maintenance of any institution, work, or property, belonging to the State of Illinois, free of cost to the said State of Illinois, or its officers or agents having such institution, work, or property in charge, with said sanitary district.

Mr. Kleeman moved to lay the foregoing amendment upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And amendment No. 2 was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Naylor offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend section 6 by adding at the end of said section the following: "*Provided, however,* that it shall be the duty of the sanitary district to furnish free of charge, all electrical energy required by boards of education within said district for use in their schools."

The question being on the adoption of the amendment, it was decided in the negative,

And the amendment was lost.

Mr. Browne moved to amend House Bill No. 504 by striking out the enacting clause.

Mr. Kleeman moved to lay the motion of Mr. Browne upon the table.

And on that question, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 39; nays, 37.

Pending roll call, McKleeman moved that further consideration of his motion to table be postponed.

And the motion prevailed.

At the hour of 2:15 o'clock, p. m. Mr. Price moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 31.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Saturday, May 22, 1909, they stand adjourned *sine die*.

Adopted April 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 31 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 22.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 13 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

SENATE BILL No. 392.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coroners,' approved February 6, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 10a."

SENATE BILL No. 401.

A bill for "An Act in reference to proof of disputed handwritings."

SENATE BILL No. 419.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Passed by the Senate April 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 22, 392, 401 and 419 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 517.

A bill for "An Act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, together with the following amendment thereto in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives."

On page two, add after the end of section 27: Insert "Section 2. Whereas, an emergency exists, therefore this Act shall be in force from and after its passage."

Passed by the Senate as amended April 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting concurrence in House Bill No. 517, together with an amendment thereto was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

The House, proceeding up the order of House Bills on First Reading:

House Bill No. 458, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 413, a bill for "An Act to require foreign fire and casualty insurance companies to deposit a bond or securities with the insurance commissioner to protect contracts in this State."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 528, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the deposit of reserve and the registration of policies and annuity bonds by life insurance companies of this State,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 529, a bill for "An Act relating to fire insurance, and to provide for the regulation and control of rates of premium thereon and to prevent discrimination therein,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 230, a bill for "An Act to prevent fire insurance companies entering into or maintaining pools, trusts, conspiracies or agreements to control rates of insurance,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 67, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety and health of employes and passengers upon street and inter-urban railroads, and specifying certain equipment for same, with penalty attached for violation of the provisions thereof,'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 236, to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' as amended by Act approved December 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1908,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 186, a bill for "An Act entitled an Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the disconnection of territory from cities and villages and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved and in force May 10, 1901,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 329, a bill for "An Act to amend section eight as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, of article 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 407, a bill for "An Act to amend section thirty-four of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 408, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by Act approved and in force May 18, 1905,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 621, a bill for "An Act to regulate trading in petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, stocks, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, or produce, breadstuffs or provisions of any kind, defining certain offenses in connection therewith, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 454, a bill for "An Act prohibiting the making or publishing of false or exaggerated statements or publications of or concerning the affairs, pecuniary condition or property of any corporation, joint stock association, co-partnership or individual, with the intent to give or which shall have a tendency to give a lesser or greater apparent value to the shares, bonds, or property or any part thereof of said corporation,

joint stock association, co-partnership or individual than such shares, bonds or property shall actually and in fact possess and providing a penalty therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 604, a bill for "An Act in relation to certain old mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancellation thereof on the records, as incumbrances against real estate,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 618, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the descent of property,' approved April 9, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 57, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 639, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of insanitary, dangerous or deadly headgear or hats, and to regulate the exhibition thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 470, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited, to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 548, a bill for "An Act to amend section 235 and section 236 of an Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, A. D., 1874, in force July 1, A. D., 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 495, a bill for "An Act to prohibit discrimination amongst insurants of the same class, or rebates of premiums for policies issued by insurance companies other than life,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 275, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article XV of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 587, a bill for "An Act concerning the publication of legal notices,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 167, a bill for "An Act in regard to the contests of wills,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 257, a bill for "An Act to amend section 32, of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectments,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 577, a bill for "An Act to create one additional term of the circuit court in and for the county of Grundy and to fix the time of holding the same and changing the terms of court in and for said county,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 464, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the disposal of unclaimed monies in the hands of administrators and executors,' approved May 12, 1877, in force July 1, 1877,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 56, a bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed money in the county treasury and for the appointment of administrators or executors in relation thereto,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 617, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article thirteen of the Constitution of this State,' approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 509, a bill for "An Act to amend section five (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 566, a bill for "An Act requiring that boots and shoes made in certain parts substitute for leather, and boots and shoes made by 'convict or prison labor,' to be stamped, and providing a penalty for failure to so stamp,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 593, a bill for "An Act to enable park commissioners to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks and pleasure grounds and to provide a tax for the payment of the same,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 411, a bill for "An Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards and providing a penalty therefor,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 307, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 98, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 122a,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 555, a bill for "An Act to amend sections two (2), twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 39, a bill for "An Act to amend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so as to include the complete administration of testate estates,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 142, a bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 54, a bill for "An Act concerning the roads, highways and bridges and repealing other Acts concerning the same subject,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 462, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of

this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 297, a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 461, a bill for "An Act amending section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the use of clock, tape, slot or other machines or devices for gambling purposes,' approved and in force June 21, 1895,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 426, a bill for "An Act granting the right of eminent domain to electric light and distributing companies,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 616, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to corporations engaged in furnishing suretyship on bonds and their agents, to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon and to prevent discrimination therein, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purpose specified in this Act,'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 429, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 48, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of article one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 615, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the appointment, qualifications and duties of notaries public and certifying their official Acts,' approved April 5th, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved April 13, 1875, in force July 1, 1875,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 585, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of article three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading:

House Bill No. 477, a bill for "An Act to prevent creating a monopoly in the business of buying milk, cream or butter fat for the purpose of manufacture or buy poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of sale or storage."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Agriculture, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 477, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend title of Bill 477 by adding after the word "storage" the following: "and providing a penalty therefor."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 271, a bill for "An Act to regulate service of stallions in Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, the Committee on Agriculture offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 271, section 3, line two, by inserting the word "licensed" before the word "veterinarian."

And the amendment was adopted:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 3, lines two and three, by striking out the words "who shall be a graduate of a recognized veterinary college."

And the amendment was adopted:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 271, section 4, line seven, by striking out the words, "side bone" and in lines eight and nine, the words "glanders, farcy, maleducoat, urethral gleet, mange and melanosis."

And the amendment was adopted:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend section 6 by striking out lines six to fourteen inclusive and substitute the following: "Each bill and poster and each newspaper advertisement shall show the enrollment certificate number and state whether it reads "pure bred, grade or cross bred."

And the amendment was adopted:

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend House Bill No. 271 by striking out all of section 9 and substituting the following: "Every stallion passing inspection shall be exempt from further inspection unless from later developments it becomes known, and a complaint is filed, certified to by three men, one of whom shall be a licensed veterinarian, that said stallion has some hereditary, contagious or infectious disease, which was not evident at the time of previous inspection. When such complaint is made and a request for inspection is asked for, such complaint shall be filed with the secretary of the Illinois Stallion Registration Board, who shall have another examination made. If such complaint is verified it shall be so reported to the Secretary, who shall revoke the license in force."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question being, "Shall this bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 321, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, use and sale of cigarettes in the State of Illinois,' approved June 3, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907, by amending the title and section one of said Act."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Lyon offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 321, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 321 as follows: Amend the title of said bill to read as follows: "A bill for an Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, or giving away cigarettes, cigarette papers or wrappers or other substitutes therefor, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out after the enacting clause all of section 1 of said act.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend by striking out in lines nineteen, twenty and twenty-one of section 2 of said Act, the following: "Or own or keep, or be in any way concerned, engaged or employed in keeping or owning any such cigarette, cigarette paper or wrappers or any substitute therefor," and by changing the number of said section from section 2 to read "section 1."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend by striking out sections 3 and 4 of said Act.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 221, a bill for "An Act in relation to the office of treasurer in villages and incorporated towns."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Municipal Corporations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 221, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 221 by striking out the figures "1908" in line three of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1911."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 94, a bill for "An Act to regulate and fix the maximum hours of a day's work for conductors and motormen, or operators, on street, elevated, underground and interurban electric railroads, so that ten hours shall constitute a day's work, to be performed within twelve consecutive hours, for the purpose of providing for the better safety and welfare of the public, passengers and employes, and providing a penalty for a violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Municipal Corporations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 94, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 94 by inserting after the word "motormen," in line three, the following: "upon all surface and elevated street railways."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 586, a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 104, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, said section one (1) as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 627, a bill for "An Act granting power to the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns to license and regulate advertising by means of bill boards, sign boards and signs."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 628, a bill for "An Act to regulate the rate of charge for transportation of passengers on railroads doing suburban business."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 629, a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties bridge, bridges and toll roads owned or constructed by cities or villages outside the cities or villages and to be forever kept open for public travel and maintained by counties."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 374, a bill for "An Act to prohibit persons holding offices requiring them to value or assess property for taxation from engaging in other business or occupation."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 203, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 401, a bill for "An Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments and defining certain offenses in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 474, a bill for "An Act to legalize certain elections held under 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 474, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Strike out of lines seventeen and eighteen of the printed bill the words, "and all the acts of any such cities or villages" and the word "also" from said line eighteen, and insert the word "and" between the word "legal" and the word "are" in said line eighteen, and the words "in such case," between the word "are" and the words "hereby made" in line eighteen.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.
Hay, Olson, —2

And there were two members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Adkins.	Curran,	Kittleman,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brownne,	Donahue,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Robinson,
Bush,	Erickson,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Kirkpatrick,	Lyon,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.

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And there were twenty members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were twenty-two members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	1 vote
George Edmund Foss received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Olson—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	7 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	3 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	5 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Robinson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Lyon,			—7

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.	—3
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	Kittleman,	—3
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Browne,	Donahue,	Lantz,	Morris,	Murray,
				—5

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the seventy-ninth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 22, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth Assembly.....	8 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	4 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	5 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Perkins moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 363, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the probate of wills,' approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 11, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 481, being a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize mining or manufacturing companies to own and hold shares of the capital stock, and to own and hold securities of railroad companies whose roads shall connect the different plants of such mining or manufacturing companies with each other, or with other railroads or harbors,' approved June 11, 1897; in force July 1, 1897."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 62, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars used by any person, receiver, or corporation operating a line of railroad situated wholly or in part within the State."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 320, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of railway employes engaged in the repairing of railway engines, cars and rolling stock equipment.'"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 570, being a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish a Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners and prescribe their powers and duties,' approved April 13, 1871, in force July 1, 1871."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland introduced a bill, House Bill No. 668, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7,500.00), for the construction and erection of

a monument in the city of Jacksonville in honor of the memory of the late Richard Yates, ex-governor and ex-United States Senator, of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 669, a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 670, a bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act, entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading:

Senate Bill No. 143, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 226, a bill for "An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a house of correction, employes pension fund in cities, having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 274, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Senate Bill No. 275, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks, to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Senate Bill No. 306, a bill for "An Act granting certain lands in the city of Evanston and the title of certain submerged lands adjoining said city, to the city of Evanston for park and boulevard purposes."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 348, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act to be known as section 3c."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 449, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the payment of employes of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hill, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 38.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, April 30, 1909, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, May 4, 1909.

Adopted April 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Lantz moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 38.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker took from his table the following House and Senate bills and referred them to committees as follows:

House Bill No. 643 to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

House Bill No. 438 to the Committee on License.

House Bill No. 512 to the Committee on License.

House Bill No. 518 to the Committee on License.

House Bill No. 623 to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 233 to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

At the hour of 12:30 o'clock p. m., Mr. Lantz moved that the House do now take a recess until 12:40 o'clock p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 12:40 o'clock p. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wright called up Senate Bill No. 49, in the order of second reading,

And Senate Bill No. 49, a bill for "An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent members on the committees to Visit State Institutions were excused from attendance at the sessions of the House next week.

At the hour of 12:50 o'clock p. m., Mr. Adkins moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, May 4, 1909.

TUESDAY, MAY 4, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Friday, April 30th was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Lantz presented several petitions, one relating to House Bills numbered 272 and 68 and Senate Bills numbered 138 and 273, which were referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations and the others relating to House Bills numbered 267 and 336, which were referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. English presented a petition relating to House Bill No. 1 and Senate Bill No. 19, which was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

The Speaker called up House Bill No. 504 in the order of second reading, and stated the pending question to be "the motion to table the amendment to strike out the enacting clause," and on that question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 66; nays, 39.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	Myers,	Terrill,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Black,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Perkins,	Verdail,
Blair,	Espy,	Keck,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Forst,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Morris,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Cermak,	Glade,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,	
Crawford,	Hilton,			

Yeas—66

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Burns,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Nelson,
Alschuler,	Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Maclean,	O'Brien,
ApMadoc,	Church,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Erby,	Hope,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Flagg,	Hull,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Foster,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Wilson, R. E.
Browne,	Griffin,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	

Nays—39

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment offered by Mr. Browne to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, amendment No. 1 heretofore adopted on April 29 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Church, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 298, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend the criminal code to change the punishment of persons convicted of the crime of petit larceny and misdemeanors, and to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 168 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise, etc.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 275, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks, to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 274, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 15, being a bill for "An Act to regulate and define the liability of any corporation, corporations, firm, firms, company, companies, for pecuniary damages to their employés and to person, or persons, and to their personal representatives in case of personal injury or death sustained while in their employ."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL 181.

A Bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, in the State of Illinois having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants."

HOUSE BILL 111.

A Bill for "An Act to amend sections 74 and 75 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

HOUSE BILL No. 401.

A bill for "An Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments and defining certain offenses in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 181, 111 and 401 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading:

House Bill No. 578, a bill for "An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 107.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Foster,	Lantz,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pierison,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Calligan,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipperfield,	Grace,	Lisgett,	Richter,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	
Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,		

Yeas—107

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 607, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as

amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104; nays, 13.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hagan,	McNichols,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Hilton,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	DeWolf,	Hope,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beckmeyer,	Donahue,	Hull,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Erby,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tipplit,
Brady,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Forst,	Lewis,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Foster,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lyon,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Maclean,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Grace,	McGuire,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—104

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Carter,	Groves, J.	Jewell,	Lederer,
Allison,	Flagg,	Hamilton,	Keck,	Montelius,
Bolin,	Glade,	Hollenbeck,		Nays—13

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 45, a bill for "An Act to protect turnpike, gravel or macadam roads and to provide a penalty for its violation."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 93; nays, 21.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Daley,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hollerbeck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Beckmeyer,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Myers,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Black,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	White,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Brady,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Briscoc,	Flagg,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Burgett,	Forst,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Zinger,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Poulton,	
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Price,	
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lyon,	Richter,	
Cermak,	Glade,	Maclean,	Rigney,	
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	
Clark,	Griffin,	McConnell,		

Yeas—93

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Blair,	Dudgeon,	Kirkpatrick,	Sullivan,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	McMackin,	Tippit,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Shephard, H. A.	Walsh,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Groves, Wm.	Stevenson,	Welborn,	
DeWolf,	Keck,			

Nays—21

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Third Reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 169, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of a safe for the insurance department, and making appropriation therefor."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Daley,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Parker,	White,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Griffin,	Link,	Poulton,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Price,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, Wm.	Lyon,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,

Yeas—120

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

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Nays—1

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 449, in the order of second reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 449, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the payment of employes of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 234, in the order of second reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 234, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck introduced a bill, House Bill No. 671, a bill for "An Act to prohibit certain classes of medical advertising and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Olson,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jones,	Potter,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Rainey,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	
Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,	

And there were forty-eight members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Groves, Wm.	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hull,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Black,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippit,
Brady,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	White,
Bush,	Foster,	Lane,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Liggett,	Priest,	Zinger,
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Rigney,	

And there were 134 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 182 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Glackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Barr.

Mr. Kittleman (present but not voting) with Mr. King.

Mr. Kowalski (present but not voting) with Mr. Robinson.

Mr. Hay with Mr. Manny.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	4 votes
John C. Eastman received	4 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	
Daley,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,	—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis--1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Tossey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Holstlaw,			—7

Those voting for John C. Eastman are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Hearn,	Jandus,	Rainey,	—4
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	41 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	9 votes
John C. Eastman received	45 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Erby,	Keck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Dudgeon,	Jewell,			—41

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Butts,	Hagan,	Mills,	Stearns,	
Church,	Hull,	Pierson,		—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Bush,	Flannigen,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Parker,	Smejkal,	
Crawford,	Lane,			—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Dillon,	Etherton,	Groves, Wm.	Richardson,
Briscoe,	English,	Groves, J.,	O'Brien,	—9

Those voting for John C. Eastman are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Myers,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Finley,	Link,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Forst,	McConnell,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Galligan,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	White,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Griffin,	Morris,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
				—45

Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

DeWolf,	Foster,			—2
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The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eightieth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 179, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	69 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	18 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	16 votes
John C. Eastman received	49 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	2 votes

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up Senate Bill No. 48, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 48, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106; nays, 20.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	English,	Ireland,	Mills,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burns,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cernak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Irrett,	Price,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Groves, Wm.	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hagan,			Yeas—106

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Carter,	Foster,	Morris,	Shaw,
Beckmeyer,	Clark,	Galligan,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Briscoe,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	Myers,	White,
Browne,	Fahy,	McGuire,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
				Nays—20

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Price called up House Bill No. 181, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 181, a bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns, in the State of Illinois, having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 96; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, Wm.	McNichols,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler.	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	English,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippt,
Black,	Espy,	Kittleman,	Murray,	Troyer.
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	Myers,	Walsh.
Browne,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Welborn.
Burgett,	Flags,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Lederer,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Foster,	Lewis,	O'Toole.	White,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Link,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Galligan,	Logan,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Geshkewich,	Lyon,	Pierson,	Wright,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Macleane,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Glade,	McConnell,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Grace,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	
DeWolf,	Groves, J.,	McMackin,		

Yeas—96

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Kirkpatrick, Parker,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 584, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other, etc.'"

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 672, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same, and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 584, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 584 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 672, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 673, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article V of 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force December 31, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McLaughlin introduced a bill, House Bill No. 674, a bill for "An Act to provide for procuring information in regard to employers' liability and workmen's compensation laws of England, France and Germany."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

At the hour of 1:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Smejkal moved that this House do now take a recess until 4:30 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 4:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 330, and that all persons present interested in the deep waterway be invited to appear before the committee.

And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker called Mr. Smejkal to the Chair and thereupon the House went into Committee of the Whole House.

At the hour of 5:05 o'clock, p. m., the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Smejkal, from the Committee of the Whole House formed for the consideration of House Bill No. 330, reported that the committee had made progress and asked leave to sit again.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 215.

A bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of Sanitary Districts, and the election of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of 'An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from over-flow for sanitary purposes,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote May 4, 1909.

HOUSE BILL No. 86.

A bill for an Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 318.

A bill for an Act for the protection of inn-keepers.
Passed by the Senate May 4, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 385.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Passed Senate by a two-thirds vote, May 4, 1909.

SENATE BILL No. 402.

A bill for an Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish Appellate Courts," approved June 2, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, "An Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish Appellate Courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereof," approved April 22, 1899.

Passed by the Senate May 4, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 385 and 402 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Third Reading:

House Bill No. 491, a bill for "An Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any post of the Grand Army of the Republic."

Having been engrossed and the amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Adkins,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Erby,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hull,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Espy,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Mills,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Finley,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Troyer,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Welborn,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	O'Neil,	White,
Butts,	Geskewich,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Groves, W. M.,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Link,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Dillon,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Yeas—103

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shaw called up Senate Bill No. 338, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 338, a bill for "An Act to amend sections five (5), nine (9), thirteen (13), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), seventeen and one-half (17½), eighteen (18), twenty-six and one-half (26½), thirty-seven (37), forty-two (42), fifty-five (55), and fifty-nine (59), and to repeal sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), and twenty-two (22), and to add three new sections, to be known as sections five A (5a), seventeen A (17a) and seventeen B (17b), respectively, to an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 20, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Farm Drainage.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster called up House Bill No. 117, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 117, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the catching of whitefish, trout, herring, chubs, longjaws, blackfins, perch and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois,' approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto two new sections, to be known as section 8a and section 8b."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Allison,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hope,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hull,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Espy,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Morris,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Feldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippt,
Behrens,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Mvers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	O'Neil,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gray,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Poulton,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.,	Lyon,	Price,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

DeWolf,

Groves, J.

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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield called up House Bill No. 21, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 21, a bill for "An Act to provide for moral and humane education in the public schools and to prohibit certain practices inimical thereto."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81; nays, 9.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Church.	Gray,	Lederer,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Clark,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Cliffe,	Groves, W.	M. Liggett,	Terrill,
Bardill,	Curran.	Hagan,	Logan,	Tippitt,
Beckemeyer,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Donahue.	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Weiborn,
Bolin,	English,	Hope,	Mills,	Wheelan,
Brady,	Espy,	Hull,	Montelius,	White,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Myers,	Wilson, F. J.,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Finley,	Keck,	Perkins,	Wright,
Burns,	Flags,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Zinger,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Zipf,
Butts,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Price,	
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Richter,	
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Rigney,	
Chipfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Scanian,	

Yeas—81

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Cermak,	Griffin,	Murray,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Galligan,	Murphy, Wm.	Naylor,	O'Neil,	Nays—9

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 517.

Whereupon, Mr. Tippitt moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 517, as follows:

On page 2 add after the end of section 27 insert:

"Section 2. WHEREAS, An emergency exists, therefore this Act shall be in force from and after its passage."

On this question a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 117.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Rigney,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scanlan,
Alsichuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Myers,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.,
Carter,	Glade,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Grace,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Link,	Pierson,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Price,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Macleam,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Hagan,			Yeas—117

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 517 by a two-thirds vote.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Logan called up House Bill No. 137, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 137, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of drains, ditches and natural streams constructed or maintained for agricultural or sanitary and mining purposes, and to require all persons owning lands bordering same, and all persons owning land over or through which said drains, ditches and natural streams may pass or flow to annually remove all obstructions from same."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 59; nays, 35.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Bardill,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Macleam,	Schumacher,
Beck,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Burgett,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Terrill,
Church,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wright,
Curran,	Gray,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Donahue,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Price,	Zipf,
English,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Erby,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Rigney,	

Yeas—59

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Foster,	McConnell,	O'Neil,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Tippit,
Alsichuler,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McNichols,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Werdell,
Browne,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Wilson, F. J.,
Campbell,	Finley,	Link,	O'Brien,	Wilson, R. E.

Nays—35

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lawrence called up House Bill No. 406, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 406, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 245 and 248a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	English,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Espy,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Browne,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	White,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wright,
Chipherfield,	Gray,	Link,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Price,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Yeas—109

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Kittleman asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 350 in the order of second reading.

Unanimous consent being refused,

Mr. Murray moved that House Bill No. 350 be made a special order for tomorrow morning,

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe called up House Bill No. 56 in the order of second reading, and,

House Bill No. 56, a bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed money in the county treasury and for the appointment of administrators or executors in relation thereto."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 56, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 56 by striking out in line 7 the word "heirs" and inserting therein the words "his next of kin."

And the amendment was adopted:

AMENDMENT No. 2

Amend House Bill No. 56 by striking out the word "heirs" in line 9 and inserting therefor the words "his next of kin."

And the amendment was adopted:

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gillespie called up Senate Bill No. 392, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 392, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coroners,' approved February 6, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 10a."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 413, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 413, a bill for "An Act to require foreign fire and casualty insurance companies to deposit a bond or securities with the insurance commissioner to protect contracts in this State."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Browne offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 413, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 413 in the enacting clause by inserting after the word "enacted," the words "by the People of the State of Illinois in the 46th General Assembly," and by striking out the words "of Illinois."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 230, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 230, a bill for "An Act to prevent fire insurance companies entering into or maintaining pools, trusts, conspiracies or agreements to control rates of insurance."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Insurance offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 230, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 230, in the title thereof, by adding to said title, after the last printed word thereof the words, "and providing penalties for the violation of the provision of this Act."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up Senate Bill No. 443, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 443, a bill for "An Act concerning the election and powers of trustees in villages and incorporated towns organized and existing under special Acts."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up House Bill No. 48, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 48, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of article one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan called up House Bill No. 464, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 464, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the disposal of unclaimed monies in the hands of administrators and executors,' approved May 12, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan called up House Bill No. 585, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 585, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of article three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Elections offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 585, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 585 by striking out of said bill "section two."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck called up House Bill No. 411, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 411, a bill for "An Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards and providing a penalty therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Parks and Boulevards offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 411, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 411 by adding after the word "thereon" in line seven of section 1 the following: "And that all bill boards and advertising signs of whatever kind or character that are occupying space contrary to the provisions of this Act shall be removed within one year after the passage of this Act."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck called up Senate Bill No. 232, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 232, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for making improvements and repairs upon highways adjoining public parks and pleasure grounds,' approved and in force April 22, 1907, and to add thereto three new sections, to be known as sections 2, 3 and 4."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flagg called up Senate Bill No. 225, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 225, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits, and repealing a certain Act therein named,' filed June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 307, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 307, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 281, being a bill for "An Act for the regulation of pawnbrokers, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects, to which was referred House Bill No. 576, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of optometry in the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Schumacher, from the Committee on Fraternal and Mutual Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 143, being a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act defining who may become delegate or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 642, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' and approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, and as amended by an Act of the General Assembly, approved June 11, 1897 and in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act of the General Assembly, approved April 7, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 32, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 68, being a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 126, being a bill for "An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Logan."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 127, being a bill for "An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Lincoln, Ill."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 189, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Grant Home Association."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 405, being a bill for "An Act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an Act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled, 'An Act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanics arts, etc.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 276, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 290, being a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to the State Milk Producers' Institute, 'An Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Milk Producer's Institute of Illinois.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 634, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Department of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 190, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois Horticultural Society."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 196, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 124, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard, and the Illinois Naval Reserve."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 125, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Griffin offered the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 52.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from this earth, from his family, and from the midst of his business, social and religious acquaintances one Stephen May, a well-known, respected and public spirited business man in the city of Chicago and county of Cook; and,

WHEREAS, He was formerly a well known, able and respected member of the Illinois House of Representatives, who served his State and his district long, faithfully and well during three sessions of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, The members of this Assembly learn with grief of his sudden departure from this life; and

WHEREAS, The members of the House of the Forty-sixth General Assembly deeply deplore his sudden taking off and sincerely and deeply sympathize with the bereaved members of his family, and his many friends throughout the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, It is but fitting that this Assembly should voice some mark of respect for the departed; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois: That we deplore the demise of Stephen May, and extend our sincerest sympathy to the bereaved members of his family, and his many friends; and, be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and that a copy suitable engrossed be forwarded by the Clerk to the family of the deceased and as a mark of further respect this House do now adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 7:15 o'clock, p. m. the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hruby, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 330, and that all persons present interested in the deep water-way be invited to appear before the committee,

And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker called Mr. Smejkal to the Chair and thereupon the House went into Committee of the Whole House.

At the hour of 11:45 o'clock, a. m., the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Smejkal, from the Committee of the Whole House formed for the consideration of House Bill No. 330, reported that the committee had made progress and asked leave to sit again.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Lantz presented a petition relating to House Bills numbered 267 and 336, which were referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 43, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 43, a bill for "An Act to provide for testing the sight and hearing of pupils in public schools, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

Pending the roll call Mr. Sollitt moved the further consideration of Senate Bill No. 43 be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported the following Committee Bill, House Bill No. 675, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to give circuit courts, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts, in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts, and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof,' approved May 24, 1907,"

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 633, being a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to make or keep any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offense, without their consent."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 496, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, and as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and to add another section to said Act, to be known as section 5 thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 649, being a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 448.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes," approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893.

HOUSE BILL No. 361.

A bill for an Act to amend section four (4), five (5), and six (6) of an Act entitled, "An Act to protect cemeteries and to provide for their regulation and management," approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

HOUSE BILL No. 477.

A bill for an Act to prevent creating a monopoly in the business of buying milk, cream or butter fat for the purpose of manufacture or buying poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of sale or storage.

HOUSE BILL No. 631.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to pandering; to define and prohibit same, to provide for the punishment thereof, for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor, and providing what shall be a defense," approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908, and also the title of said Act.

HOUSE BILL No. 629.

A bill for an Act to enable cities and villages to donate the counties bridges and toll roads owned or constructed by cities or villages outside the cities or villages and to be forever kept open for public travel and maintained by counties.

HOUSE BILL No. 159.

A bill for an Act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an Act entitled, "An Act to secure enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals," approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; said section one (1) as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

HOUSE BILL No. 422.

A bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled 'An Act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

HOUSE BILL No. 434.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 17 of an Act entitled: 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

HOUSE BILL No. 632.

A bill for "An Act to prevent the detention, by debt or otherwise, of female persons in houses of prostitution or other places where prostitution is practiced or allowed, and providing for the punishment thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 300.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employes in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand."

HOUSE BILL No. 628.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the rate of charges for transportation of passengers on railroads doing suburban business."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 434, 632, 422, 448, 361, 477, 631, 629, 159, 300 and 628 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Hollenbeck, from the Committee on Farm Drainage, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 338, being a bill for "An Act to amend section five (5), nine (9), thirteen (13), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), seventeen and one-half (17½), eighteen (18), twenty-six and one-half (26½), thirty-seven (37), forty-two (42), fifty-five (55), and fifty-nine (59), and to repeal sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22), and to add three new sections to be known as sections five a (5a), seventeen a (17a) and seventeen b (17b) respectively to an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved

June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 20, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 234, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 234, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the State charitable institutions herein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 131.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Appland,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Beck,	English,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hull,	Morris,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.,	Tippit,
Black,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.,	Ton,
Blair,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murray,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.,
Bush,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	York,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Rigney,	
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Scanlan,	
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Schumacher,	
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Shanahan,	

Yeas—131

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Daley,	Hall,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,

And there were fifty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abrahams,	Curran,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Scanlan.
Adkins,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Black,	Erickson,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Hull,	Mills,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Tippit,
Brady,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Browne,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murray,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wilson H. W.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Parker,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Perkins,	York,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Zinger,
Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Zipf,
Clark,	Grace,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Liggett,	Price,	
Crawford,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	

And there were 133 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 183 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Glackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Hay.

Mr. Kittleman (present but not voting) with Mr. King.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	9 votes
Charles D. Lund received	3 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Criukshank,			—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,	—9

Those voting for Charles D. Lund are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Hearn,	Jandus,	—3
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	15 votes
Charles D. Lund received	35 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	3 votes
A. J. McHale received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins.	Erby,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Bardill.	Flagg,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Keck,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	—44

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		—13.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black, Terrill, —2

Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Burns,	English,	Groves, J.	McCollum,
Bolin,	Daley,	Etherton,	Groves, W. M.	Murphy, Wm.
Briscoe,	Dillon,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Brien,

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Those voting for Charles D. Lund are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fahy,	Hruby,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Forst,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Galligan,	Link,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	O'Neill,	Werdell,
Clark,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Donahue,	Griffin,	Morris,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Espy,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.

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Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

Beckemeyer, DeWolf, Foster, —3

Those voting for A. J. McHale are: Mr. McGuire—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-first joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 184, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly	73 votes
George Edmund Foss received	18 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	18 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	24 votes
Charles D. Lund received	38 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	3 votes
A. J. McHale received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker recalled House Bill No. 624, from the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home and re-referred it to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. E. J. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 676, a bill for "An Act prohibiting the use of celluloid films in moving picture machines or other apparatus or device and fixing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Abrahams introduced a bill, House Bill No. 677, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful for any member of the Legislature of the State of Illinois to receive, take, have issued to him, or to any other person or persons for him, or use, directly or indirectly, any pass, complimentary ticket or transportation, or any other form or kind of free or reduced fare, transportation on, or upon any steam or electric railroad, interurban railroad, street railway, or other railroad, or railway in the State of Illinois, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Abrahams, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 678, a bill for "An Act to provide for and fix the compensation of the members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Geshkewich introduced a bill, House Bill No. 679, a bill for "An Act to regulate the gearing and speed of automobiles, auto cabs, taxicabs, or other horseless vehicles."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Geshkewich introduced a bill, House Bill No. 680, a bill for "An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles, auto cabs, taxicabs, or other horseless vehicles in and within the corporate limits of any incorporated city or village and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 681, a bill for "An Act to amend section 76 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvement,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen introduced a bill, House Bill No. 682, a bill for 'An Act to authorize the levy of an annual tax in cities, villages and incorporated towns, to pay benefits, assessed upon or to be paid by such city, village or incorporated town, for the making of local improvements and lawful expenses incident thereto."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The hour having arrived the time heretofore fixed for the special consideration of House Bill No. 350, a bill for "An Act to consolidate in the government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city, to make additional provisions concerning parks and local improvements and to provide revenue."

The same having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Chicago Charter offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 350 by changing in line 2 of section 1 of article 1 the word "not" where found at the end of the line to the word "now."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 350 by inserting on page 11 in line 1 of section 8, article 3 of the printed bill after the word "indebtedness" the following "existing at the time of the adoption of this Act."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 350 by inserting on page 15 in line 9 of section 11 of article 4 of the printed bill after the word "boulevard" the following words: "nor shall any boulevard be changed back into a street."

And the amendment was adopted.

Pending further consideration at the hour of 1:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that this House do now take a recess until 4:30 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 4:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

The pending order of business being the further consideration of House Bill No. 350, Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend section 7 of article 1 of House Bill No. 350 by inserting in line 1 of said section after the word "all" the words "valid or lawful."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend section 10 of article 1 of House Bill No. 350 by inserting after the word "been" in line 3 of said section the words "elected and."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay the amendment No. 5 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend section 1 of article 2 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the figure 5 in lines 6 and 7 of said section and inserting in lieu thereof in each of said lines the word and figure "three (3)."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend section 1 of article 2 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the figure 5 in line 19 and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "three (3)."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend section 1 of article 3 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the word "four" in line 7 of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two and one-half (2½)."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 8 upon the table.

And on that motion on demand of five members present, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 58; nays, 49.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins.	Church,	Hull,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc	Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stearns,
Bardill.	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Beck,	Erby,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Brady,	Flagg,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Grace,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	York,
Bush,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Butts,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Smejkal,	Mr. Speaker.
Chiperfield,	Hope,	Lyon,		Yeas—58

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Gorman,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Donahue,	Griffin,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Alschuler,	English,	Groves, J.	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hilton,	Myers,	Tippt,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Poulton,	White,
Cermak,	Forst,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Foster,	McCollum,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.	Nays—49

The motion prevailed.

And amendment No. 8 was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend section 4 of article 3 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the word "six" in line 9 and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "five (5)."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 9 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend section 7 of article 3 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the words "except as provided in the section next following" in line 1.

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 10 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend section 8 of article 3 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the word "without" in line 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "as set forth in the above section."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 11 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend section 8 of article 3 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out all of line 2.

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 12 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend section 10 of article 3 of House Bill No. 350 by inserting after the word "the" at the end of line 1 the following words: "valid and lawful."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 13 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amend section 1 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the word "forest preserve" in line 3 of said section.

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 14 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Amend section 3 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out all of line 2 and the words "the city council" in line 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to be elected by the voters of Chicago at the next succeeding city election."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 15 upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 16.

Amend section 3 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the word "appointment" in line 7 and insert in lieu thereof the word "election."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 16 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 17.

Amend section 3 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the words "first appointed" in line 8 and insert in lieu thereof the word "elected."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 17 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 18.

Amend section 3 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the word "appointed" in line 9 and insert in lieu thereof the word "elected."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 18 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 19.

Amend section 3 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the word "appointed" in line 12 and insert in lieu thereof the word "elected."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 19 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 20.

Amend section 4 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out the words "serve without compensation" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures as follows: "Receive a salary of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) per year payable in monthly installments."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 20 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 21.

Amend section 10 of article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out all of line 16 after the word "acquired" all of lines 17 and 18 and all of line 19 up to the word "The."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 21 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 22.

Amend article 4 of House Bill No. 350 by adding a new section which shall be known as section 25 of article 4 and which shall read as follows:

"SECTION 25. All employés of the park board shall be subject to the civil service laws that are now in force and effect in the city of Chicago."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 22 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 23.

Amend section 1 of article 5 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out all of line 5 after the word "Chicago" and all of line 6 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the said board of education of the city of Chicago to consist of fifteen members to be elected by the voters of the city of Chicago at the next succeeding city election after the adoption of this charter; five of the members of said board shall be residents of that portion of the city lying north and east of the Chicago river; five members shall be residents of that portion of the city lying south and east of the Chicago river, and the three remaining members shall be residents of that portion of the city lying west of the Chicago river at the time of their election and during their term of office. Of the commission first elected three of the members from each of the three said portions of the city shall be elected for a term of two years and two remaining members of said three portions of said city for a term of four years. The members of said board so elected shall receive a salary of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) a year payable in monthly installments.

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 23 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 24.

Amend section 1 of article 7 of House Bill No. 350 by inserting after the word "Chicago" in line 1 the following: "at the city election in April, A. D. 1910."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 24 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 25.

Amend section 1 of article 7 of House Bill No. 350 by striking out all of line 4 after the word "effect" all of lines 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and all words and lines up to line 12 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

<p>"In favor of adopting 'An Act that gives the power to the city of Chicago to issue bonds in the sum of fifty million dollars (\$50,000,000) or less,' which is entitled, 'An Act to consolidate in the government of the city of Chicago powers now vested in the local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city, to make additional provisions concerning parks and local improvements, and to provide revenue.'"</p>	Yes	
	No	

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 25 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 26.

Amend House Bill No. 350 by adding a new section that shall be known as section 2 of article 7 and which shall read as follows:

"Section 2. It is hereby declared to be the duty of the election commissioners of the city of Chicago to mail to each registered voter in the city of Chicago one copy of this Act and a sample of the ballot as above set forth not less than two weeks before the election day at which this Act is to be submitted to a vote, the expense of printing and mailing the same to be borne by the city authorities."

Mr. Kittleman moved to lay amendment No. 26 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Kittleman offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 27.

Amend House Bill No. 350 by inserting on page 22 in section 1 of article 7, at the beginning of line 2, the words, "on the second day of November in the year 1909."

Mr. Abrahams moved to lay amendment No. 27 upon the table,
And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the negative.

The question recurring on the adoption of amendment No. 27, it was decided in the affirmative and the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Kittleman offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 28.

Amend section 12 of article 4, page 15 of printed bill by striking out the last word of line 7 and all of lines 8 and 9 of said section.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Kittleman offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 29.

Amend House Bill No. 350 by inserting on page 13 of the printed bill in section 7 of article 4 in line 3 after the word "keeper" the following words: "Which said officials shall not be included in the classified civil service of the city."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Browne moved to amend House Bill No. 350 by striking out the enacting clause.

And on that motion pending a call of the roll Mr. Browne moved that further consideration of his motion to strike out the enacting clause be postponed until tomorrow,

And the motion prevailed.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading:

House Bill No. 32, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 68, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemens' Association."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 126, a bill for "An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 127, a bill for "An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 189, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Grant Home Association."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 405, a bill for "An Act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an Act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled, 'An Act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts,' established under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862, and the money granted by an Act of Congress approved March 4, 1907, entitled 'An Act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 276, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 290, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to State Milk Producers' Institute, 'An Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Milk Producers' Institute of Illinois.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Department of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 190, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 196, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 124, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 125, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guards and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 683, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush introduced a bill, House Bill No. 684, a bill for "An Act to make additional appropriation to carry out the provisions of 'An Act creating a commission and providing for the acquisition of land for the re-location of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, and for the building of a new Illinois State Penitentiary and a new Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals at or near the city of Joliet, and making an appropriation therefor.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 156, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections two and three of an Act entitled, 'An Act creating the office of Supervising Architect of the State of Illinois and defining his powers and duties,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 420, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Northern Hospital for the Insane at Elgin, Illinois."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 430, being a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred House Bill No. 489, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing hawks."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

At the hour of 7:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Wm. Murphy, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 58.

A bill for "An Act defining and regulating express companies operating within the State of Illinois, declaring them to be common carriers and placing them under the jurisdiction and control of the Illinois Railroad and Warehouse Commission, and for other purposes.

SENATE BILL No. 88.

A bill for an Act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a pension fund of municipal employes appointed to their positions under and by virtue of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the civil service of cities," approved and in force March 20, 1895, in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand inhabitants.

SENATE BILL No. 98.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities, and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and all acts amendatory thereto, and by adding thereto Article XIII.

SENATE BILL No. 159.

A bill for an Act to provide for the sale of the Kaskaskia Commons upon the Island of Kaskaskia in the county of Randolph, and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale, and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 375.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to the State library," approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding three new sections to be known as sections 10, 11 and 12.

SENATE BILL No. 415.

A bill for an Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties.

SENATE BILL No. 431.

A bill for an Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the State Charitable Institutions and the State Reform School, and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency," approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

Passed by the Senate May 5th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 58, 88, 98, 159, 375, 415 and 431 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Lantz presented several petitions relating to House Bills numbered 267 and 336, which were referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 685, a bill for "An Act in relation to assignment of wages."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading:

House Bill No. 126, a bill for "An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 127, a bill for 'An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois.'

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 405, a bill for "An Act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an Act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, entitled, 'An Act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts,' established under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862, and the money granted by an Act of Congress approved March 4, 1907, entitled, 'An Act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 32, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 32, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 2 the words and figures, "\$2,000.00," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$1,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 68, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee of Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 68, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out on page 2, lines 6 and 7, the words and figures "\$1,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$3,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 189, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Grant Home Association."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 189, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 2, section 1, the words and figures "\$5,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$3,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 276, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 290, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to the State Milk Producers' Institute, 'An Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Milk Producers' Institute of Illinois.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Department of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 190, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 196, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 124, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 124, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the words and figures, in line 3, "\$379,272.00 per annum" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$360,272.00 per annum" and in line 66 by striking out the words and figures "\$161,772.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$123,772.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend line 22 of the printed bill by striking out the figures "\$379,272.00" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$360,772.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 125, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guards and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 125, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 8 the words and figures "3,000 olive drab overcoats, \$48,450.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "1,000 olive drab overcoats \$16,166.67."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the words and figures in lines 2 and 3 "\$123,795.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$91,511.67" and in line 11 the figures "\$123,795.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$11,511.67."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading:

House Bill No. 156, a bill for "An Act to amend sections two and three of an Act entitled, 'An Act creating the office of supervising architect of the State of Illinois and defining his powers and duties,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 420, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin, Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 430, a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 183, being a bill for "An Act to abolish capital punishment in the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 671, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit certain classes of medical advertising and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 650, being a bill for "An Act to provide for a record to be kept of all real property conveyances in the office of the county clerk of each county, for the purpose of taxation."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Werdell, from the Committee on License, to which was referred House Bill No. 367, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors,' approved March 30, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 18, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Werdell, from the Committee on License, to which was referred House Bill No. 619, being a bill for "An Act to prevent any person, partnership or corporation connected as owner, part owner, officer, director, stockholder, agent, or employé with, or financially interested in any brewery or distillery, from keeping or having any financial interest in a dram shop, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of this Act, and also to provide that any citizen or tax-payer may enforce this Act by a bill in equity."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 657, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, etc."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred House Bill No. 538, being a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Terrill, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred House Bill No. 256, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd introduced a bill, House Bill No. 686, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,' in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

By unanimous consent Mr. F. W. Shepherd introduced a bill, House Bill No. 687, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing ground hogs,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter introduced a bill, House Bill No. 688, a bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 502, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and regulate the maximum rate of charges for the transportation of passengers by corporations or companies operating or controlling railroads in part or in whole in this State and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and repealing all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict herewith,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Pierson, from the Committee on Statutory Revision, to which was referred House Bill No. 654, being a bill for "An Act authorizing the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the building laws of the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred House Bill No. 545, being a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures and to repeal a certain Act therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred House Bill No. 274, being a bill for "An Act to prevent the manufacture, use and sale of cigarettes in the State of Illinois, and punishment for same."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred House Bill No. 323, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit trade discrimination on petroleum and the products refined and compounded therefrom."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Blair, from the Committee on Claims, to which was referred House Bill No. 432, being a bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 669, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 428, being a bill for "An Act to amend the penal code to punish employers and contractors of labor organizations and providing a penalty for violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. White introduced a bill, House Bill No. 689, a bill for "An Act to provide for an additional circuit court judge in the third judicial circuit of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Parker, from the Committee on Drainage and Waterways reported the following resolution:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 53.

WHEREAS, The Sanitary District of Chicago is a creation by act of the General Assembly of this State and is therefore subject at all times to its jurisdiction and control; by reason thereof a duty is thereupon imposed upon the General Assembly to at all times keep a close surveillance over all the acts and administration of said Sanitary District of Chicago in order that the tax

payers of said Sanitary District of Chicago shall be protected and informed as to the manner and method used in the expenditure of said sanitary district and to the end that said tax payers in said sanitary district shall know that their taxes are being expended in a judicious and economical manner and for the purposes as contemplated in the Act creating said Sanitary District of Chicago and for which such taxes were and are levied and collected, and,

WHEREAS, The said Sanitary District of Chicago was conceived, created and organized for the purpose of a drainage and sanitary waterway, and that all taxes have been levied and collected in said district for the purpose of carrying out such object and purpose, and,

WHEREAS, The said Sanitary District of Chicago has practically abandoned such original purpose and object and has embarked into the commercial business of developing water power and the generation of electrical current for distribution to private and quasi-public consumers, and,

WHEREAS, It has come to the knowledge of the members of this General Assembly that enormous sums of the tax payers moneys have been and are being expended annually in the promotion of said commercial enterprise to the end that the original purposes for which such taxes were collected have been abandoned and lost sight of to the great injury and loss to the tax payers of said sanitary district and a large area of territory in said sanitary district are without any relief or benefit therefrom, and no part of said taxes have been expended in the prosecution of the plans for the relief of said territory, and,

WHEREAS, The time for the tax payers to be informed has arrived and the duty is imposed upon this General Assembly to ascertain whether these vast sums of money, thus collected from taxes have been expended lawfully, judicially, and economically and whether said sanitary district has arrogated to itself powers not contemplated by the act creating it;

WHEREAS, Information is at hand to the effect that the trustees of the Sanitary District of Chicago have refused, or neglected, to clear the channel between their lock and the upper basin of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, at Joliet, and to remove the obstruction to navigation at present existing therein, although there do not appear to be any valid or sufficient reasons for such refusal, or neglect, and,

WHEREAS, Such refusal, or neglect, is a cause of needless expense to the State of Illinois, and a serious detriment to the interests and well-being of the citizens of the State residing in and between the cities of Chicago and Joliet, and,

WHEREAS, It has been alleged that the said Sanitary District of Chicago, through its officers and agents, has failed, or refused to carry out and perform certain and several contracts and covenants by it entered into and undertaken, much to the detriment of both public and private interests, and,

WHEREAS, Information at present is that the Sanitary District of Chicago is disregarding the terms of the State law requiring the operation thereof and flow through its channel for sewage dilution and that it has persistently violated such provisions to the detriment of the people of the State; and,

WHEREAS, It is of the utmost importance to the State that the flow of water required to be sent down by the Sanitary District be maintained as a matter of protection of public health and to prevent contaminating by sewage and the spread of disease, and,

WHEREAS, Information is at hand that sales are being consummated by the Sanitary District of a great quantity of spoil bank stone in an irregular manner, and that said stone is worth a large sum of money yet [it] is stated as being sold for an insufficient and insignificant consideration; and,

WHEREAS, Reports are in circulation alleging serious irregularities in certain real estate and dockage transactions, to which the Sanitary District of Chicago was a part, therefore be it,

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, That in order to fully, carefully and promptly investigate the subject matter, above referred to, that the Speaker of the House be and is hereby authorized to appoint seven members of the House for the purpose of investigating and reporting to the

House of Representatives, at this session of the General Assembly or the next General Assembly as soon as possible in regard to all the acts and doings of said Sanitary District of Chicago up to the time the said committees report herein and to recommend such legislation and other matters it may lawfully do hereunder.

Said committee to have power to subpoena and compel witnesses to attend and testify and to compel the production of all documents, exhibits and all other evidence deemed necessary to obtain a correct understanding of all matters that may be under consideration, said committee shall have power to administer oaths and exercise all functions of a court of justice so as to compel a compliance with this resolution and its objects.

Said committee shall have full power and authority to employ all necessary agents, attorneys, clerks, engineers and etc., to carry out its decree and shall approve all bills for services and the same shall be paid out of the contingent expense fund of the House after approval by the chairman and the committee and the Speaker of the House.

Said committee shall serve without any compensation for its services other than its necessary traveling and living expenses.

Pending discussion the foregoing House Resolution No. 53, was ordered printed and by unanimous consent, further consideration was postponed until Tuesday, May 11, 1909.

House Bill No. 350 postponed from yesterday was again taken up in the order of second reading,

And the pending question being on the motion to table the amendment offered by Mr. Browne to strike out the enacting clause, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 69; nays, 56.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Crawford,	Hope,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McConnell,	Stearns,
Bardill.	Erby,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Terrill,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Mills,	Ton,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Black,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Parker,	Welborn,
Brady,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Glade,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wright,
Butts,	Grace,	Lantz,	Richardson,	York,
Campbell,	Hagan,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Hamilton,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Church,	Holaday,	Liggett,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Smejkal,	Yeas—69

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Dillon,	Gray,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Groves, J.	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Hilton,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Wardell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lewis,	O'Brien,	Wheeler,
Burns,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	White,
Carter,	Foster,	McCollum,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,				Nays—56

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment offered by Mr. Browne to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 27, 28 and 29 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall this bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Campbell called up House Bill No. 243 in the order of third reading.

House Bill No. 243, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 99; nays, 14.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins.	Church,	Grace,	Lederer,	Richter,
Allison,	Cliffe,	Gray,	Lewis,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc	Curran,	Hamilton,	Link,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill.	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Stevenson,
Black,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McConnell,	Terrill,
Blair,	English,	Hull,	McGuire,	Troyer,
Brady,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Ericksen,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Wheelan,
Brownback,	Espy,	Jewell,	Montellus,	White,
Browne,	Etherton,	Keck,	Morris,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Wright,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Zinger,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Zipf,
Carter,	Glade,	Lane,	Price,	
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Yeas—99

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Groves, J.	Murray,	Shaw,	Werdell,
Clark,	McCollum,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	O'Neil,	Walsh,	Nays—14

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lewis called up Senate Bill No. 49, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 49, a bill for "An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire.	Sullivan,
Adkins.	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Terrill,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hope,	Mills,	Tippit,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hull,	Montelius,	Ton,
ApMaadoc	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Troyer,
Bardill.	Erby,	Keck,	Myers,	Walsh,
Beck,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Eeckemeyer,	Etherton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	White,
Blair,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Bolin,	Flagg,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Brady,	Forst,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Briscoe,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Price,	York,
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zinger,
Burgett,	Glade,	Lewis,	Scanlan.	Zipf,
Burns,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Bush,	Grace,	Link,	Shanahan,	
Campbell,	Gray,	Logan,	Shaw,	
Cermak,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Shepherd, H. A.	
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Church,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Smejkal,	
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Stearns,	

Yeas—111

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Hilton,

Nay—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Barr,	Downing,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Brown,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Burton,	Gibson,			

And there were forty-seven members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	DeWoif,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMaddoc	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Ton,
Brady,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Browne,	Forst,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wheeler,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Parker,	White,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pierion,	Wilson H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Logan,	Richardson,	York,
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hagan,			

And there were 137 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 184 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Kittleman (present but not voting) with Mr. King.

Mr. Curtis with Mr. Isley.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	7 votes
George A. Cooke received	5 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Gorman,	Rainey,	Tossey,	Womack,
Glackin,	Holstlaw,			—7

Those voting for George A. Cooke are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gibson,	Hearn,	Jandus,	Manny,
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	43 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	10 votes
George A. Cooke received	37 votes
Robert E. Conway received	1 vote
Lee O'Neil Browne received	7 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Adkins.	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill.	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hope,	Liggett,	Scanlan.	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	York,
Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Lyon,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,				

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Briscoe,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	O'Brien,
Bolin,	Browne,	Etherton,	McCollum,	Richardson,

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Those voting for George A. Cooke are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Myers,	Tippit,
Allison,	Finley,	Link,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burns,	Galligan,	McConnell,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	White,
Donahue,	Groves, J.	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,	Wilson, F. J.
English,	Hilton,	Murray,	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Espy,	Hruby,			

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Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Foster,	Gorman,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Forst,			—7

Those voting for Robert E. Conway are: Mr. Murphy, Wm.—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-second joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 181, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly	72 votes
George Edmund Foss received	17 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	18 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	17 votes
George A. Cooke received	42 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	7 votes
Robert E. Conway received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

The House again proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 411.

An Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards, and providing a penalty therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 14.

An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 1, 1891, in force July 1, 1891.

HOUSE BILL No. 374.

An Act to prohibit persons, holding offices requiring them to value or assess property for taxation from engaging in other business or occupation.

HOUSE BILL No. 307.

An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux.

The foregoing House Bills numbered 411, 14, 374 and 307, were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 268, being a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the product of the labor of their members."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 690, a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the products of the labor of their members."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 268, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 268 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 690, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred House Bill No. 443, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game, to which was referred House Bill No. 386, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate and fix the time of killing fur-bearing animals,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster called up House Bill No. 658, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 658, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as further amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Foster offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by inserting the word "eighteen" after the word "seventeen" in the second line of the title of the bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Foster offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by inserting the word "eighteen" after the word "seventeen" in the third line of the enacting clause of said bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Foster offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by inserting after section seventeen on page ten of said bill the following, to be known as section eighteen:

Sec. 18. Such State Game Commissioner shall receive a salary of twenty-five hundred dollars per year and his actual expenses and disbursements while traveling in the line of his duties, and together therewith the compensation hereinafter provided to be paid him for personally superintending the State Game Farm.

He shall also be allowed such printed stationery, postage, office rent, office furniture and supplies, clerical and other assistance, not to exceed ten employés, as is necessary to enable him to properly perform the duties of State Game Commissioner and carry out the provisions of this Act.

The game wardens provided for in this Act shall receive nine hundred dollars per annum payable monthly. In addition to the salary per annum provided for, such game wardens shall receive their actual and necessary expenses incurred while working under the direction of the State Game Commissioner.

The deputy game wardens appointed for any county shall receive a per diem, when actually employed, not exceeding two dollars per day, and necessary traveling expenses, to be fixed by the State Game Commissioner. Special game wardens appointed under this Act shall serve without pay, except that they shall receive one-half of all fines recovered for violations of this Act in cases where they have filed the complaint. The deputy game wardens shall also receive one-half of all fines recovered for violations of this Act in cases where they file the complaint; the remaining one-half of the fine to be paid into the State game protection fund, and in cases where the violator does not pay a fine but is committed to jail, said deputy and special game wardens shall be reimbursed for their actual expenses; but such expenses shall not be paid in any case other than game cases or cases relating to license.

Should the State game protection fund become exhausted during any year the State Game Commissioner shall have the power and authority to suspend any number or all game wardens or deputies until such fund is again replenished.

Should at any time a surplus accumulate in the State game protection fund, over and above the amount necessary for the operating expenses of the department, the State Game Commissioner shall have the power and authority to use such surplus for the maintenance of a propagating farm for all species of game birds and animals. He is hereby authorized to lease the necessary land for the purpose of propagation to be known as the State Game Farm, and to raise the necessary food for the game; also to erect and build the necessary fences, buildings, pens and coops for the above

mentioned purposes, and as superintendent of the farm he shall be paid one hundred dollars (\$100) per month and living expenses, provided he personally performs the duties. He shall have the authority to engage gamekeepers and assistants not to exceed one person for every five hundred game birds and animals reared. He is further empowered to purchase foreign and domestic game birds and animals for the purpose of restocking sections of the State where there exists a scarcity of the above mentioned game.

All money used for the payment of salaries, expenses and other disbursements mentioned in this section, including the salary of the State Game Commissioner, shall be taken from and charged to the State game protection fund, and the Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants for the same upon the presentation of proper vouchers certified to by the State Game Commissioner and approved by the Governor, and the State Treasurer shall pay the same out of the State game protection fund.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. English offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by striking out in line 3 of section 25 the words "rabbits, crows" and by striking out in line 51, section 25 the words "crows or rabbits."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. English offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by striking out all of that part of said bill beginning with the word "or" in line 31, section 1 down to and including the word "thereof" in line 32 and by striking out all of said bill beginning with the word "or" in line 34, section 1, down to and including the word "thereof" in line 35, and by striking out all that part of said bill, beginning with the word "or" in line 44, section 1, down to and including the word "thereof" in line 45."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. English offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by striking out in line 11 of section one the word "July" and insert in lieu thereof the word "June."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Flagg offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by inserting in section 29, in line 2, after the word "misdemeanor," the following words: "and shall, upon conviction forfeit his license."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lantz offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by striking out the words and figures "15th" and "April" in line 19 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "1st" and "January."

Mr. DeWolf moved to lay amendment No. 8 upon the table,
And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Foster offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend House Bill No. 658 by striking out in lines 20 and 21 of section 1 of the printed bill the words "Provided, it shall be unlawful to kill wood-ducks at any time of the year from the 1st day of July, 1909, to the 1st day of July, 1913."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 9 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading:

House Bill No. 262, a bill for "An Act to provide for drainage of land joining any state, county or township highway, or any thoroughfare used by the general public, where such drainage will benefit or lessen the maintenance expense of such highway or thoroughfare, according to the judgment of the State, county or township highway commissioners."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 363, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the probate of wills,' approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 481, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize mining or manufacturing companies to own and hold shares of the capital stock, and to own and hold securities of railroad companies whose roads shall connect the different plants of such mining or manufacturing companies with each other, or with other railroads or harbors,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 320, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of railway employes engaged in the repairing of railway engines, cars and rolling stock equipment.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 570, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish a Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners, and prescribe their powers and duties,' approved April 13, 1871, in force July 1, 1871."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 298, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend the criminal code to change the punishment of persons convicted of the crime of petit larceny and misdemeanors, and to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 168 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, approved April 10, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 15, a bill for "An Act to regulate and define the liability of any corporation, corporations, firm, firms, company, companies, for pecuniary damages to their employes and to person or persons and to their personal representatives in case of personal injury or death sustained while in their employ."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 576, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of optometry in the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 642, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, and as amended by an Act of the General Assembly, approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act of the General Assembly, approved April 7, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 633, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to make or keep any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offense, without their consent."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 496, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, and as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and to add another section to said Act to be known as section 5 thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 469, a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 489, a bill for "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing hawks."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lawrence, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 691, a bill for "An Act in relation to township high schools."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flagg introduced a bill, House Bill No. 692, a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the feasibility of obtaining possession in the name of the State, of the pre-historic Monk's Mound, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens introduced a bill, House Bill No. 693, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the piping or conveying beyond the borders of this State, by so called pipe lines or otherwise, of any natural gas found beneath the surface of the soil within this State, and providing a penalty therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 694, a bill for "An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about the coal mines, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as assistant mine managers and night bosses, and providing for penalties for the violation of the same."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church introduced a bill, House Bill No. 695, a bill for "An Act to provide for holding county teachers' institutes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 696, a bill for "An Act creating a commission and providing for the construction, use and control of a building for the use of the Illinois State Historical Library, the Illinois State Historical Society and other historical purposes and for securing a site and making an appropriation for such building and site."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Crawford introduced a bill, House Bill No. 697, a bill for "An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant States' attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

By unanimous consent, Mr. York introduced a bill, House Bill No. 698, a bill for "An Act to provide for the certification of teachers."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Church offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 24.

WHEREAS, There has been considerable question as to the jurisdiction over crimes and misdemeanors occurring on Lake Michigan, of the State of Illinois, as well as the other states bordering upon said Lake Michigan. therefore be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein, That the Governor of the State of Illinois is hereby authorized to appoint by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a commission consisting of three members to meet with a like commission representing the states of Wisconsin, Indiana and Michigan, or any of said states, for the purpose of considering and recommending to the legislatures of their several states the enactment of legislation, providing for the respective jurisdiction of said states, or any two or more of them, over crimes and misdemeanors and other offenses committed on Lake Michigan within the respective territorial limits of said states, or any two or more of them.

The members of said commission so appointed shall receive no compensation for their services but may be allowed their actual expenses incurred in carrying on the work of said commission, the same to be paid on vouchers approved by the Governor of this State, out of any funds available for said purpose.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

At the hour of 1:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Kleeman, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Lantz presented a petition relating to House Bills numbered 267 and 336, which were referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Lawrence presented a petition relating to game laws, which was referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 20.

WHEREAS, The General Assembly in 1907 passed an Act providing for the appointment of a Food Standard Commission, with certain powers granted, to determine the quality, purity and strength of various foods, and among other things provided that the State Food Standard Commission, in determining and adopting a standard of quality, purity and strength of milk or cream, shall fix such standard as may be determined solely by the examination and test of milk and cream and the can or receptacle in which it is placed; and

WHEREAS, The city council of the city of Chicago, in the month of July, A. D., 1908, passed three separate ordinances which then provided and are in force as follows, viz.:

ORDINANCES REQUIRING TUBERCULIN TEST OF COWS.

"Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Chicago:

MILK.

SECTION 1. No. milk, cream, buttermilk or ice cream shall be sold, offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling within the city of Chicago after January 1, A. D., 1909, unless such milk or cream contained in buttermilk and ice cream, be obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year. The cows having been satisfactorily tested shall be marked "tuberculin tested" and shall be numbered and a certificate shall be filed with the division of milk inspection of the department of health of the city of Chicago upon forms furnished by the commissioner of health, giving the number, a brief description of the animal, the date of taking said test, and the name of the owner. Said certificate shall be signed by the person making such test, provided however, that from January 1, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: Until January 1, 1914, milk or cream or buttermilk and ice cream made from milk or cream, obtained from the cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis

may be sold within the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from said cows is pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. Any milk, cream, buttermilk or ice cream offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling within the city of Chicago shall be found within the city in violation of section one, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents or employes of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1, 1909."

BUTTER.

"Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Chicago:

SECTION 1. No butter shall be sold or offered for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago after January 1, 1909, unless such butter be made from milk or cream obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year; provided, however, that from January 1, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: Until January 1, 1914, butter made of milk obtained from cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis may be sold in the city of Chicago if the milk or cream from which such butter was made, was pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful to sell any butter in the city of Chicago, unless there be stamped on the package in plainly legible letters of not less than one-eighth inch type: "Made of milk (or cream) from cows free from tuberculosis as shown in the 'tuberculin test' or made from milk (or cream) pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago."

SEC. 3. Any butter offered for sale, exposed for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago, which shall be found within the city in violation of this ordinance, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents or the department of health of the city of Chicago.

"SEC. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1, 1909."

CHEESE.

"Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Chicago:

SECTION 1. No domestic cheese shall be sold or offered for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago after January 1, 1909, unless such cheese be made from milk or cream obtained from cows that have given a satisfactory negative tuberculin test within one year; provided, however, that from January 1, 1909, for a period of five years, to-wit: until January 1, 1914, domestic cheese made of milk obtained from cows not tuberculin tested or not free from tuberculosis, may be sold in the city of Chicago, if the milk or cream from which such cheese was made, was pasteurized, according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful to sell any such cheese in the city of Chicago unless there be stamped on the package in plainly legible letters of not less than one-eighth inch type, "Made of milk (or cream) from cows free from tuberculosis as shown by tuberculin test," or "made from milk (or cream) pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the department of health of the city of Chicago."

SEC. 3. Any cheese offered for sale, exposed for sale, or kept with the intention of selling in the city of Chicago, which shall be found within the city in violation of this ordinance, shall be forthwith seized, condemned and destroyed by the milk and food inspectors or other duly authorized agents or employes of the department of health of the city of Chicago.

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1, 1909."

Which said ordinances it is claimed are without foundation of law, unreasonable and void; and

WHEREAS, Under and by virtue of said ordinances the board of health of the city of Chicago are assuming to inspect dairy herds in the State of Illinois and to condemn milk, butter and cheese that are produced from cows that have not been tested by the tuberculin test and that is manufactured and produced from milk which has not been pasteurized, and the producers of milk, butter and cheese tributary to the city of Chicago are being greatly annoyed, hindered and harassed by agents of the board of health of the city of Chicago, and the sale of their product is being injured, damaged and destroyed; and

WHEREAS, By reason of the said ordinances and the unlawful and unreasonable rules and restrictions of the board of health of the city of Chicago the price of milk in said city has increased and is being raised and threatened to be raised from six and seven cents a quart to nine cents a quart, to the great injury and suffering to the people of that city; and

WHEREAS, It is a disputed question whether the tuberculin test is an accurate and efficient test to determine whether the disease of tuberculosis exists in the animal, and it is a disputed question whether tuberculosis can be conveyed from the animal to the human being from milk and its products; and

WHEREAS, It is disputed and denied that the disease of tuberculosis exists to any appreciable extent among the dairy herds and breeding animals of the State, and such dispute leads to the damage and loss of value of such dairy herds and breeding animals by reason of such dispute and contention, and loss and injury to the owner of such dairy herds and sale of their products, by reason of the said city ordinances and the rules and regulations and inspections of the department of the board of health of the city of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, It is plain that the pasteurizing of milk destroys its value for the manufacturer of butter and cheese and renders it impossible to manufacture any reasonable quality of butter or cheese from such milk and tends rather to increase the bacteria germs naturally in milk where it is not used immediately, and otherwise injures and destroys the strength and food qualities in the milk; and

WHEREAS, A bill is now pending in this Legislature providing for the enforcement of the law for the testing of dairy cows and breeding cattle by the tuberculin test, and the payment by the state of the sum of seventy-five per cent of the appraised value of the cattle damaged, which will lead to an enormous expenditure of money by the State, which may possibly be unnecessary, useless, and of great damage and injury to the dairy interests of the state;

Therefore, be it resolved by the House, the Senate concurring. That a joint committee of nine be appointed, six by the Speaker of the House and three by the President of the Senate, to investigate into the reliability and the efficiency and the necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois, and that said committee, investigate and determine the question as to whether or not the disease germ passes from an animal afflicted with tuberculosis, through the milk, to a human being, and the effect of pasteurizing the milk as such food product is pasteurized, bottled up, shipped and used in the city of Chicago, taken from the dairy districts at a distance from said city.

That they take evidence and have the power to subpoena witnesses and send for documents and papers and acquaint themselves with the laws and results accomplished in other states and that said committee collect the evidence and opinions of expert bacteriologists upon said question, and if said tuberculin test should be found to be an actual and efficient test of the disease of tuberculosis among domestic animals, then that said committee estimate the amount that should be paid for cattle condemned both under an optional law, mandatory law, and make their report to the next session of the General Assembly, and that said committee be provided with an appro-

priation of an adequate amount to pay clerk and stenographers' fees and hire and actual traveling expenses of the committee while engaged upon the work as herein set out.

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend House Joint Resolution No. 20.

In the resolution strike out the word "nine" and insert the word "ten," also strike out the word "three" and insert the word "four."

Concurred in by the Senate, as amended, May 4, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipfield moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Joint Resolution No. 20,

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the city council of the city of Chicago transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by that body, which was read at large by the Clerk and ordered incorporated in the Journal.

Which said communication is as follows:

WHEREAS, Three bridges spanning the Main river, seven spanning the South branch, and ten spanning the navigable part of the North branch of the Chicago river are of the center pier type and obstructions to navigation; and

WHEREAS, The interests of navigation imperatively demand the early removal of center pier bridges in the Chicago river and its branches, and the substitution therefor of bridges of the bascule or lift type; the situation being so serious in this respect that the Secretary of War has ordered public hearings for May 6 and May 13 respectively upon the proposition to require the removal of the Indiana street bridge by June 30, 1910, and the Lake street bridge by December 30, 1910; and

WHEREAS, The City of Chicago lacks authority to issue bonds to pay for the said improvements; therefore be it

Resolved, by the City Council of the City of Chicago, That the General Assembly of Illinois be petitioned to enact legislation at its present session conferring upon the City of Chicago additional borrowing power; be it further

Resolved, That the city clerk be and he hereby is directed to transmit a copy of these resolutions to the Governor of the State, a copy to the Speaker of the House of Representatives for submission to the House, and a copy to the President of the Senate for submission to the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Speaker introduced a bill, House Bill No. 699, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee authorized to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 20, adopted by the House April 14, 1909, and concurred in by the Senate with amendments May 5, 1909; and finally approved by the House May 7, 1909, to investigate into the reliability, efficiency and necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois and for other purposes and making an appropriation of \$10,000 therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Keek introduced a bill, House Bill No. 700, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, 'An Act

concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, and as amended by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens introduced a bill, House Bill No. 701, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved May 21, 1889, and in force May 21, 1889, as heretofore amended."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dudgeon, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 702, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Nelson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 703, a bill for "An Act to amend section 7 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to plats,' approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to add thereto a new section to be known as section 7a."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading:

House Bill No. 183, a bill for "An Act to abolish capital punishment in the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 671, a bill for "An Act to prohibit certain classes of medical advertising and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 650, a bill for "An Act to provide for a record to be kept of all real property conveyances in the office of the county clerk of each county for the purpose of taxation."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 619, a bill for "An Act to prevent any person, partnership or corporation connected as owner, part owner, officer, director, stockholder, agent or employé with, or financially interested in any brewery or distillery, from keeping or having any financial interest in a dram-shop, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of this Act, and also to provide that any citizen or tax payer may enforce this Act by a bill in equity."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 657, a bill for 'An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 538, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 654, a bill for "An Act authorizing the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the building laws of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 545, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures and to repeal a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 274, a bill for "An Act to prevent the manufacture, use and sale of cigarettes in the State of Illinois, and punishment for same."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 669, a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 428, a bill for "An Act to amend the penal code to punish employers and contractors of labor organizations and providing a penalty for violation thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 443, a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 386, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate and fix the time for killing fur-bearing animals,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading:

House Bill No. 528, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the deposit of reserve and the registration of policies and annuity bonds by life insurance companies of this State,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 529, a bill for "An Act relating to fire insurance, and to provide for the regulation and control of rates of premium thereon and to prevent discrimination therein."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 236, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' as amended by Act approved December 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1908."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 407, a bill for "An Act to amend section thirty-four of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 408, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by Act approved and in force May 18, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 621, a bill for "An Act to regulate trading in petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, or produce, breadstuffs or provisions of any kind, defining certain offenses in connection therewith, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 67, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety and health of employes and passengers upon street and interurban railroads, and specifying certain equipment for same, with penalty attached for violation of the provisions thereof.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon Mr. Kleeman offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 67, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 67 in line 6, section 1 by striking out the words after the word "above" "or below."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 604, a bill for "An Act in relation to certain old mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancellation thereof on the records, as incumbrances against real estate."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 618, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the descent of property,' approved April 9, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 57, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 639, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of insanitary, dangerous or deadly headgear or hats, and to regulate the exhibition thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 470, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited, to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 548, a bill for "An Act to amend section 235 and section 236 of an Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence, 'approved March 27, A. D., 1874, in force July 1, A. D., 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 495, a bill for "An Act to prohibit discrimination amongst insurants of the same class, or rebates of premiums for policies issued by insurance companies other than life."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 587, a bill for "An Act concerning the publication of legal notices."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 577, a bill for "An Act to create one additional term of the circuit court in and for the county of Grundy and to fix the time of holding the same and changing the terms of court in and for said county."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 275, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article XV of an Act entitled 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on County and Township Organization offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 275, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 275 in lines 8 and 9 by striking out the words "four and one-half dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "three dollars."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend line 10 by inserting after the word "town," "this additional pay per diem to include the supervisors and assistant supervisors who are residents of the county seat while the board of supervisors are in regular session or engaged in regular committee work."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 257, a bill for "An Act to amend section 32, of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectments,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 257, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 257 by striking out of line 11 of printed bill, the words, "person or" and inserting the word "municipal" in lieu thereof.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 257 by striking out of line 12 of printed bill the words "either private or municipal who" and inserting the word "which" in lieu thereof.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 617, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article thirteen of the Constitution of this State,' approved April 25th, 1871, in force July 1st, 1871, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 509, a bill for "An Act to amend section (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 566, a bill for "An Act requiring that boots and shoes made in certain parts of substitute for leather, and boots and shoes made by 'convict or prison labor' to be stamped, and providing a penalty for failure to so stamp."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 615 was taken up and by unanimous consent was made a special order for Tuesday, May 11, 1909.

House Bill No. 593, a bill for "An Act to enable park commissioners to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks and pleasure grounds and to provide a tax for the payment of the same."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 98, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 122a."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 555, a bill for "An Act to amend sections two (2), twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 186, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the disconnection of territory from cities and villages, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved and in force May 10, 1901."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Burgett offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 186 by striking out all of the title of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "A bill for an Act to provide for the dissolution of towns, cities and villages organized under the laws of Illinois."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Burgett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 186 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Section one (1). *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois represented in the General Assembly:* That towns, cities and villages organized under the laws of Illinois may be dissolved in manner following:

SECTION 1. That by a petition signed by a majority of the legal voters of such city or village and presented to such city council or village board of trustees at their regular meeting, petitioning such city council or village trustees to discontinue such city or village as a corporation; and shall within thirty days therefrom declare and cause the clerk to record that such city or village corporation is abandoned and that a copy of such proceedings shall be forwarded to the circuit clerk of the county in which the city or village is located, and there be recorded by the said circuit clerk, and a copy shall also be filed in the office of the county clerk of said county.

If there remains any money or chattels in the hands of the treasurer or other officers of said city or village the chattels shall be sold at public auction and the moneys obtained therefrom, together with all moneys in the hands of the city treasurer or other officers, shall be turned into the school fund belonging to the school district in which said city or village is located (the balance, however, after all indebtedness has been paid.)

If said corporation has outstanding indebtedness, the said corporation shall be taxed from year to year and collected by the township collector and turned in to the county treasurer of the county in which the city or village is located, and the county treasurer shall pay such indebtedness as

the city council or board of trustees, as the case may be, have at their last meeting declared due to the parties, firms or corporations when such city or village is dissolved.

And that a full and complete report shall be filed with the county treasurer and the county clerk of all moneys on hand, all moneys or obligations due, and when due, and from what source due, and of all indebtedness due any party, firm or corporation.

When all debts have been paid no further tax levy shall be made, and when satisfactory evidence is brought before any court of competent jurisdiction that the terms of this law have been complied with, he shall there and then so declare that the corporation, be it city or village, is dissolved, and order the clerk to so record it.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson called up House Bill No. 329, in the order of second reading, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1879, in force July 1, 1879 of article II of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

And moved that it be laid upon the table.

The motion prevailed.

And House Bill No. 329 was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shaw called up Senate Bill No. 338 in the order of second reading.

Whereupon Senate Bill No. 338, a bill for "An Act to amend sections five (5), nine (9), thirteen (13), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), seventeen and one-half (17½), eighteen (18), twenty-six and one-half (26½), thirty-seven (37), forty-two (42), fifty-five (55) and fifty-nine (59) and to repeal sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22), and to add three new sections, to be known as sections five A (5A), seventeen A (17A) and seventeen B (17B) respectively to an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation, and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 20, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

The House again proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading.

House Bill No. 54, a bill for "An Act concerning the roads, highways and bridges and repealing other Acts concerning the same subject."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon the Committee on Roads and Bridges offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by inserting in line 14 of page 2 of the printed bill the words "in a book to be kept by him for that purpose."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of line 7 in section 19, page 8 of the printed bill the word "ninety" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of line 15, section 19, page 9 of the printed bill the words "thirty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of line 2, in section 28 of page 11 of the printed bill the words "in view of some contingency" and in line 6 of the same section strike out the word "ninety" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of line 7 in section 32, page 12 of the printed bill the word "ninety" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by inserting after the word "maximum" in line 12 of section 33, page 14 of the printed bill the word "amount."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of line 2, section 39, page 19, of the printed bill the word "distinct" and insert in lieu thereof the word "district."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of line 2, section 75, page 32, printed bill, the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of the printed bill all of sections 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, and 103.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 10.

*Amend House Bill No. 54 by striking out of line 1, section 104, page 42 of the printed bill the words and figures "section 104" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "section 88."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 142, a bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 462, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved May 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 297, a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 461, a bill for "An Act amending section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the use of clock, tape, slot or other machines or devices for gambling purposes,' approved and in force June 21, 1895."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 426, a bill for "An Act granting the right of eminent domain to electric light and distributing companies."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 616, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to corporations engaged in furnishing suretyship on bonds and their agents, to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon and to prevent discrimination therein, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purpose specified in this Act.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 429, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Sanitary Affairs offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 429 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 1 by striking out the word "common" in line 3 of the printed bill and in lieu thereof insert the word "city," and before the word "village" in said line three insert the words "board of" and after the word "village" in said line 3 insert the words "trustees or board of health of any village." In lines 4 and 5 strike out the words "supervisors of any county or the trustees of any" and in lieu thereof insert the words "health of any." In line 12 of section 1 before the word "State" insert "executive board of the chemical and biological survey of the waters of the State established by the trustees of the University of Illinois, according to an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, entitled, "An Act to establish a chemical survey of waters of the State of Illinois," and hereinafter called. In line 13 after the word "said" insert the words "State water" and in line 22 strike out the word "board" and in lieu thereof insert "State water survey" and in line 24 before the word "survey" insert "State water" and in line 26 after the word "said" insert the words "State water."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In line 13 of section 2 before the word "Survey's" insert "State water." In line 5 of section 3 before the word "are" insert "or of inadequate or inappropriate apparatus" and in line 9 of section 3 before the word "survey" insert the words "State water" and in said line 9 strike out the words "issue an order to" and in lieu thereof insert "notify" and before the word "municipality" in said line 9 insert the word "offending" and in line 13 of section 3 before the word "survey" where it first appears in said line insert the words "State water" and in said line 13 before the word "survey" where it last appears in said line insert the words "State water."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In line 1 of section 4 strike out the word "order" and in lieu thereof insert the word "finding" and in lines 11, 12 and 13 insert the words "State water" before the word "Survey" where it appears in each of said lines. In line 25 before the word "Survey" insert the words "State water."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

In lines 2, 3 and 4 of section 5 insert the words "State water" before the word "Survey" where it appears in each of said lines.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senator answered to his name: Mr. Hay
—1.

And there was one member of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Browne,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Bush,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Carter,	Keck,	Perkins,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Church,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Zipf,
Bolin,	Dillon,	Kleeman,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Lane,	Richter,	

And there were twenty-nine members of the House of Representatives present,

And there were thirty members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received 1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	10 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	6 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	4 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Behrens,	Holaday,	Keck,	Lewis,	Perkins,
Carter,	Jewell,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Richter,
				—10

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Church,	Pierson,	Price,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker,
				—5

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Lane,	Shanahan,	Smejkal,	Zipf,
Bush,				—6

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Beckemeyer,	Bolin,	Browne,	Dillon,	—4
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Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Mr. Alschuler—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-third joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 30, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	11 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	6 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	4 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

MR. SPEAKER—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 39.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, May 7, 1909, they adjourn until Tuesday, May 11, 1909.

Adopted by the Senate May 6, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved to amend the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 39 as follows:

Strike out "Tuesday, May 11, 1909" and insert "Monday, May 10, 1909, at 5:00 o'clock, p. m."

And the amendment was adopted.

The question recurring on the adoption of the resolution, as amended, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the amendment thereto.

The House again proceeding upon the order of House Bills on Second Reading:

House Bill No. 655, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery,' approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 647, a bill for "An Act to provide when recorded instruments shall cease to be constructive notice of lien to owners of real estate and to purchase for value."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 656, a bill for "An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 667, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 and section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections three (3), seven (7), eight (8) and ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887,' approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), six (6), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11) and sixteen (16), and the title of 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows of minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1889, as amended by Act approved June 1, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 672, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same, and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 363, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the probate of wills,' approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 15, a bill for "An Act to regulate and define the liability of any corporation, corporations, firm, firms, company, companies, for pecuniary damages to their employes and to person, or persons, and to their personal representatives in case of personal injury or death sustained while in their employ."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 659 was taken up and by unanimous consent, was made a special order for Wednesday, May 12, 1909.

House Bill No. 156, a bill for "An Act to amend sections two and three of an Act entitled, 'An Act creating the office of supervising architect of the State of Illinois and defining his powers and duties,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 156, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill in line 16, page 2 by striking out the words "not exceed" and substitute the word "be."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill in lines 26 and 27 by striking out the words "ventilation, steam-heating, electric lighting and works for the water supply pertaining thereto."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 320, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of railway employes engaged in the repairing of railway engines, cars and rolling stock equipment.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, the Committee on Railroads offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 320, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 320 by striking out the last two words of line two of the printed bill and by striking out the first three words of line three of printed bill and by striking out the word "especially" in line three of printed bill and by inserting the word "tracks" after the word "or" in line three of the printed bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 420, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin, Illinois.

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 420, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 2, the words and figures "\$15,000.00," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$10,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 430, a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 430, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill in section 2, line 2, by striking out the words and figures, "\$2,000.00," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$1,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 3, line 5 the words "or other states."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed;

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 570, a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish a board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners and prescribe their powers and duties,' approved April 13, 1871, in force July 1, 1871,"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Railroads offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 570, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 570 by inserting in line seven of the original bill after the words "per annum" the following: "The Assistant Secretary of such Board of Commissioners shall receive for his services the sum of \$2,500.00 per annum."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 298, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled 'An Act to amend the criminal code to change the punishment of persons convicted of the crime of petit larceny and misdemeanors, and to repeal an Act entitled 'An Act to amend section 168 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, approved April 10, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 298, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 298 by striking out the words and figures "\$15" and inserting the words and figures "\$50."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 576, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of optometry in the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon Mr. Carter offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Section 2, line 1, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Carter offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Section 7, line 7, strike out the word "a."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Carter offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In Sec. 8 after the word "Board" insert the following words, "The said examination shall include tests in mathematics as applied to optometry; also tests in the laws of light, the structure of the eye, the function of lenses and the art of refraction, and may require as additional evidence of proper qualifications, the equivalent of two years' attendance at a high school and a practical experience in optometry of two years under the supervision of a registered optometrist."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Carter offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

In section 14, line 1, after the word "every" insert the word "renewal."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Carter offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 5.

In section 16, by making all words after the word "certificate" line 10 to read as follows: "or to supply a bill of purchase as provided in this section, the board of optometry may revoke the certificate, but may reinstate the same on payment to the board of a penalty of not less than ten dollars (\$10.00) for every such offense."

The use of test types, test lenses or trial frames by any person shall be deemed evidence of the practice of optometry.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 642, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' and approved May 24th, 1879, in force July 1st, 1879, and as amended by an Act of the General Assembly, approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act of the General Assembly approved April 7th, 1905, in force July 1st, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 642 as follows: By striking out the title of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "A bill for an Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, and as amended by an Act of the

General Assembly approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act of the General Assembly approved April 7, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by inserting in line 2 of the printed bill after the word "Act" the words, "entitled an Act to amend an Act."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend by inserting in line 26 of the printed bill after the word "term" the word "in."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Beckmeyer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 642 by adding at the end of section 5 the following, "*Provided*, That all suits, writs and processes of every kind and nature, either civil or criminal heretofore commenced or pending in the circuit court of Clinton county, or that may be pending therein at the time this Act takes effect, shall be cognizable and triable at the first term after this Act goes into force and effect."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments 1, 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 633, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to make or keep any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offenses, without their consent."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment. and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 633 by striking out of the first line of the title thereof, the words "or keep." By striking out of line three of the printed bill in section one thereof the word "of," by inserting in line eight of the printed bill after the word "conviction" the words "be fined not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$100.00;" by striking out the word "thereof" in line eight of the printed bill in section one (1) the word "thereof" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or;" by striking out of line nine in said section the word "two" and inserting the word "one" in lieu thereof; by striking out the word "years" in the said line and inserting the word "year;" by striking out section two of said bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, House Bill No. 496, was recalled from second reading and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 649, a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes, and religious societies."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 489, a bill for "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing hawks."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, House Bill No. 161 was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading for the purpose of amending.

By unanimous consent Mr. Shanahan introduced a bill.

House Bill No. 704, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for salaries of the officers of the State government."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent was read at large a first time, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House, proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading.

Senate Bill No. 218, a bill for "An Act concerning the proof of ordinances of any municipality which, or any part of which, heretofore has been or hereafter may be annexed to another municipality."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 332, a bill for "An Act to authorize corporations organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to provide a funeral benefit for their members."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 249, a bill for "An Act to make compulsory the prevention of procreation of habitual criminals, idiots and imbeciles and to provide a means for carrying out the purposes of this Act."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 373, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 393, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 160, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the sale of mixed or blended or adulterated grades of coal and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Senate Bill No. 245, a bill for "An Act to amend article X of an Act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables," approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 1A."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 248, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 364, a bill for "An Act relating to private employment agencies and to repeal parts of a certain Act relating thereto."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 60, a bill for "An Act to insure greater safety to the lives of the traveling public and prescribing the number of employes to be used in the operation of passenger and freight trains in the State of Illinois, and providing a penalty for a violation of this Act."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 401, a bill for "An Act in reference to proof of disputed hand writings."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 22, a bill for "An Act to amend section 13 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 44, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Senate Bill No. 173, a bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and

declaring the heirship of deceased persons, and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 419, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 69, a bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of a State Inspector of Apiaries, and defining his power and duties, and to prohibit the sale or disposition of diseased apiaries and to prescribe certain penalties therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 260, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 6 and 9 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole, and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 376, a bill for "An Act in relation to tax deeds."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 385, a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 402, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereof,' approved April 22, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Second Reading:

Senate Bill No. 274, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 275, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks, to pay for the improvements thereof and in that behalf to make and collect special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 443, a bill for "An Act concerning the election and powers of trustees in villages and incorporated towns organized and existing under special Acts."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 143, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the House amendment to

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 39.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That when the two Houses adjourn on Friday, May 7, 1909, they adjourn until Tuesday, May 11, 1909.

Which amendment is as follows: Strike out "Tuesday, May 11, 1909," and insert "Monday, May 10, 1909, at 5:00 o'clock P. M."

Amendment concurred in May 7, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

At the hour of 1:00 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Lewis moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned until Monday, May 10, 1909, at 5:00 o'clock, p. m.

MONDAY, MAY 10, 1909, 5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Friday, May 7, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Chipfield, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield called up Senate Bill No. 11, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 11, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Terrill called up House Bill No. 256, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon House Bill No. 256, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto,' and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein, approved April 18, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Speaker laid before the House, a communication from the Secretary of the Interior addressed to the Secretary of State concerning the provisions embodied in House Joint Resolution No. 21, which was read at large by the Clerk and ordered placed on file.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 481, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 481, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize mining or manufacturing companies to own and hold shares of the capital stock, and to own and hold securities of railroad companies whose roads shall connect the different plants of such mining or manufacturing companies with each other, or with other railroads or harbors,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up Senate Bill No. 62, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 62, a bill for "An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars used by any person, receiver, or corporation operating a line of railroad situated wholly or in part within the State."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Railroads offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 in House by striking out of lines 6 and 7 in section 1 of the printed bill the words "Suitable water closets," also by inserting after the word "cupolas" in line 7 the words "and with."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 in House by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 4, as follows:

SECTION 4. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to the use of caboose cars in yard and in transfer service, nor to the use of caboose cars now owned by any railroad or railway company operating in this State; and it is further provided that in case of unusual and unforeseen demands of traffic, caboose cars not of standard construction may be used temporarily, provided that the railway company or companies, desiring to use the same, shall apply to and obtain an order of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission granting the privilege to temporarily use the same.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 in House by adding to the title thereof the words "and providing a penalty in the events of failure."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 were ordered printed and engrossed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported a bill of the following title as having been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 26.

For an Act relating to the liability of employers to their employes for personal injuries, and providing that in all actions hereafter brought against any employer to recover damages for personal injuries to an employé, or where such injuries have resulted in his death, no contract of employment, insurance, relief benefit, pension, or indemnity for injury or death entered into by or on behalf of any employé, after this Act shall become in force nor the acceptance of any such insurance, relief, benefit, pension, or indemnity by the person entitled thereto, under any such contract, shall constitute any bar or defense to any action brought to recover damages for personal injuries to or death of such employé, and providing that upon the trial of such action against such employer the defendant may set off therein any sum such employer has contributed toward any such insurance, relief, benefit, pension or indemnity that may have been paid to the injured employé, or in case of his death, to his personal representatives.

The foregoing House Bill No. 26 was placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 531, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to fencing and operating railroads,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

At the hour of 5:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Flannigen moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

TUESDAY, MAY 11, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Cermak the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. W. Wilson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 705, a bill for "An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' in force July 1st, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges to which was referred Senate Bill No. 244, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 14 of 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization,' and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads to which was referred House Bill No. 241, being a bill for "An Act requiring carriers of freight to provide and maintain side tracks and connections for lateral branch railroad and shippers and receivers of freight."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 706, a bill for "An Act requiring common carriers of freight to provide and maintain side tracks and connections for shippers and receivers of freight."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 241, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 241, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 706, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 570.

A bill for an Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish a Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners, and prescribe their powers and duties," approved April 13, 1871, in force July 1, 1871."

HOUSE BILL No. 15.

A bill for an Act to regulate and define the liability of any corporation, corporations, firm, firms, company, companies for pecuniary damages to their employers and to person or persons, and to their personal representatives in case of personal injury or death sustained while in their employ.

HOUSE BILL No. 504.

A bill for an Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to sanitary districts of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district, and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor, approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

HOUSE BILL No. 474.

A bill for an Act to regulate certain elections held under "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

HOUSE BILL No. 634.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the payment of the printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Department of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 126.

A bill for an Act to provide for improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 420.

A bill for an Act making appropriation for the State Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin, Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 190.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society.

HOUSE BILL No. 125.

A bill for an Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve.

HOUSE BILL No. 68.

A bill for an Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association.

HOUSE BILL No. 189.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Grant Home Association.

HOUSE BILL No. 290.

A bill for an Act to make an appropriation to the State Milk Producers' Institute. An Act to appropriate \$1,000 for the Milk Producers' Institute of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 405.

A bill for an Act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an Act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890, "An Act to apply a

portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," established under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862. And the money granted by an Act of Congress approved March 4, 1907, entitled, "An Act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908."

HOUSE BILL No. 276.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association.

HOUSE BILL No. 127.

A bill for an Act to provide for improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 196.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association.

HOUSE BILL No. 32.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association.

The foregoing House Bills numbered 570, 15, 504, 474, 634, 126, 420, 190, 125, 68, 189, 290, 405, 276, 127, 196, and 32 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 707, a bill for "An Act to amend section 65 of 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 9, 1901."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns called up House Bill No. 111, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 111, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74 and 75 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 99; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erby,	Ireland,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Burns,	Fulton,	King,	Murray,	Ton,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Walsh,
Butts,	Glade,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Grace,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gray,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipherfield,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Daley,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Scott,	Yeas—99.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Riley,

Nays—1.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McNichols called up House Bill No. 401, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 401, a bill for "An Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments, and defining certain offenses in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 100; nays 6.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Scanlan.
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hope,	McGuire,	Scott,
Allison,	English,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc	Espy,	Jewell,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Flannigen,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Murray,	Tippit,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Myers,	Ton,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Butts,	Glade,	Lantz,	O'Brien	Werdell,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	White,
Church,	Gray,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Griffin,	Link,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Poulton,	Wright,
Curran,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Daley,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—100.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Campbell,	Hull,	Kirkpatrick,	Liggett,	Stevenson,
Fulton,				Nays—6.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. J. Wilson, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 708, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act that no action for breach of promise to marry shall be maintained unless the promise is in writing.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 449, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 449, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the payment of employes of the Forty-sixth General Assembly."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed was taken up and read at large a third time,

Whereupon, Mr. Hull moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 449 be postponed,

And the motion was lost.

The question then being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Riley,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Scanlan.
Allison,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McGuire,	Scott,
ApMadoc	Durfee,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	English,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Blair,	Espy,	Jewell,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Brien	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	O'Toole,	White,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierison,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Link,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
				Yeas—120.

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up House Bill No. 448, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes," approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 115; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	English,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc	Erby,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Fahy,	King,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Ton,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	O'Brien	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	Wright,
Carter,	Griffin,	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Chiperfield,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Church,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,	
Clark,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,	
Cliffe,	Hope,			
Crawford,				

Yeas—115.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Kirkpatrick.

Nay—1.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 631, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 631, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to pandering, to define and prohibit the same, to provide for the punishment thereof, for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor, and providing what shall be a defense,' approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908, and also the title of said Act."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 112.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hope,	Maclean,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Daley,	Hull,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc	English,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Mills,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	King,	Naylor,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Glade,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Grav,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Riley,	Zipf,
Church,	Hamilton,	Link,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Hilton,	Logan,	Schumacher,	
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Luke,	Scott,	

Yeas—113.

This bill having been received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 632, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 632, a bill for "An Act to prevent the detention, by debt or otherwise, of female persons in houses of prostitution or other places where prostitution is practiced or allowed, and providing for the punishment thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	English,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Erby,	Hull,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Erickson,	Huston,	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Espy,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc	Etherton,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Brady,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	King,	Myers,	Terrill,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Butts,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Werdeil,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lane,	Pierson,	White,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Hilton,	Link,	Riley,	Wright,
Curran,	Holaday,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hollenbeck,	Luke,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Durfee,	Hope,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Yeas—114.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 196 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 196, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 107.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	English,	Ireland,	Mills,	Sullivan,
Black,	Erby,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Tippit,
Blair,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Ton,
Brady,	Espy,	Keck,	Murray,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Wardell,
Brownback,	Fahy,	King,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien	White,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wright,
Carter,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Grace,	Link,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Logan,	Scanlan,	
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	
Clark,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scott,	

Yeas—107.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 32, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 32, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 107.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Allison,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Espy,	Keck,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fahy,	King,	O'Brien	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wardell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Riley,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Schumacher,	
Daley,	Hope,	McNichols,	Scott,	
Dillon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shanahan,	

Yeas—107.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 189 in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 189, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Grant Home Association."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 117.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc	English,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Kannally,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Brady,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	King,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	WerdeU,
Butts,	Geskewich,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Grace,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Griffin,	Luke,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Riley,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hollenbeck,			Yeas—117.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Cison,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,
Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	

And there were 49 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hope,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	English,	Ireland,	Montellus,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erby,	Jewell,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fahy,	King,	Myers,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wardell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.,
Cermak,	Gray,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Richter,	Zipf,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Riley,	
Crawford,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Robinson,	
Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	

And there were 132 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 181 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received	4 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	11 votes
P. J. O'Brien received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Daley,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,	—4
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Hearn,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,				—11

Those voting for P. J. O'Brien are: Mr. Glackin—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	43 votes
George Edmund Foss received	12 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	17 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	22 votes
P. J. O'Brien received	25 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote
Clayton E. Crafts received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brady,	Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montellus,	Ton,
Campbell,	Gray,	King,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Lewis,	Richter,	
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	—43.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean.	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hull,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Kowalski,			—12

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Allison,	Crawford,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Chipherfield,	Glade,			—17.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2.
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Dillon,	Huston,	Myers,	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	English,	Link,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Burns,	Espy,	Luke,	Richardson,	White,
Clark,	Etherton,	Murphy, Wm.	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.,
Daley,	Groves, J.			—22.

Those voting for P. J. O'Brien are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Geshkewich,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Gorman,	McGuire,	O'Neil,	Walsn,
Cermak,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Fahy,	Hilton,	Morris,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Galligan,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
				—25.

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

Those voting for Clayton E. Crafts are: Mr. Lantz—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-fourth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 177, of which—	
Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	73 votes
George Edmund Foss received	16 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	19 votes
Wm. B. McKinley received	2 votes
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	23 votes
P. J. O'Brien received	26 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote
Clayton E. Crafts received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. King called up House Bill No. 26, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 26, a bill for "An Act relating to the liability of employers to their employes for personal injuries, and providing that in all actions hereafter brought against any employer to recover damages for personal injuries to an employé, or where such injuries have resulted in his death, no contract of employment, insurance, relief benefit, pension, or indemnity for injury or death entered into by or on behalf of any employé, after this Act shall become in force nor the acceptance of any such insurance, relief benefit, pension or indemnity by the person entitled thereto, under any such contract shall constitute any bar or defense to any action brought to recover damages for personal injuries to or death of such employé, and providing that upon the trial of such action against such employer the defendant may set off therein any sum such employer has contributed toward any such insurance, relief benefit, pension or indemnity that may have been paid to the injured employé, or in case of his death, to his personal representatives."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 97; nays, 11.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Poulton,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hilton,	Link,	Price,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Logan,	Richter,
Beck,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Riley,
Black,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Maclean.	Robinson,
Blair,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
Brady,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brownback,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Browne,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Burns,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murray,	Ton,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Fulton,	King,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gailigan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	White,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Pierson,	Zipf,

Yeas—97.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Lantz,	McConnell,	Stevenson.	Tippit,
Bush,	Luke,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,	Walsh,
Daley,				Nays—11.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Hamilton moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 26 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. King moved to lay the motion of Mr. Hamilton upon the table,

And the question being, on the motion to table it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

At the hour of 1:00 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 4:30 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 4:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 327, being a bill for "An Act to create a board of trustees of the department of electricity pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled members of said department and the widows and minor children of deceased members of said department, to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the department of electricity, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid department of electricity."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull introduced a bill, House Bill No. 709, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak introduced a bill, House Bill No. 710, a bill for "An Act in relation to the local self-government of the city of Chicago, and for the regulation of Sunday observance in the said city of Chicago."

The bill was taken up, read by title, and ordered printed.

Whereupon, Mr. Cermak asked to have the bill read at large a first time now.

Unanimous consent being refused.

Mr. Cermak moved to suspend the rules for that purpose,

And the motion was lost.

And House Bill No. 710, was referred to the Committee on Chicago Charter.

By unanimous consent, Mr. G. H. Wilson introduced a bill, House Bill No. 711, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the services and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation, and extending the time for the report of said commission."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Blair introduced a bill, House Bill No. 712, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to establish terms of circuit court for Jefferson county.'"

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and to a second reading, without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield called up House Bill No. 188 on third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 188, a bill for "An Act to amend section 23 of 'An Act in relation to courts of record in cities,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 99; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hope,	Mills,	Stearns,
ApMadoe,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Behrens,	English,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Black,	Erickson,	Keck,	Myers,	Ton,
Blair,	Espy,	King,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	White,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Campbell,	Glade,	Luke,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lyons,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Clark,	Grace,	Maclean,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Shaw,	Yeas—99.

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Groves, J.

Nay—1.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue to which was referred House Bill No. 373, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 24 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue to which was referred House Bill No. 554, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to tax gifts, legacies and inheritances in certain cases and to provide for the collection of the same,' approved June 15, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, by adding thereto section 15½."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue to which was referred House Bill No. 670, being a bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue to which was referred House Bill No. 597, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 44 of an Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain Act therein named, approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue to which was referred House Bill No. 55, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the publication of taxes levied on real property."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects to which was referred House Bill No. 680, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles, auto cabs, taxicabs, or other horseless vehicles in and within the corporate limits of any incorporated city or village and providing penalties for violation of the provisions thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects to which was referred House Bill No. 666, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14, of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of, etc.' "

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects to which was referred House Bill No. 679, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the gearing and speed of automobiles, auto cabs, taxicabs, or other horseless vehicles."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Cermak, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Subjects to which was referred House Bill No. 313, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the conduct of hotels; inns and public lodging houses.' "

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 713, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the conduct of hotels, inns and public lodging houses.' "

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 313, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 313 was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 713, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 627.

A bill for an Act granting power to the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns to license and regulate advertising by means of bill boards, sign boards, and signs.

HOUSE BILL No. 48.

A bill for an Act to amend section one (1) of article one (1) of an Act entitled, "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899; in force July 1, 1899; as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

HOUSE BILL No. 320.

A bill for an Act to provide for the safety of railway employes engaged in the repairing of railway engines, cars and rolling stock equipment.

HOUSE BILL No. 555.

A bill for an Act to amend section two (2), twenty-three (23), and twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers," approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

The foregoing House Bills numbered 627, 48, 320 and 555 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries to which was referred House Bill No. 31, being a bill for "An Act to provide for fees of clerks of probate courts in counties of the second class."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries to which was referred Senate Bill No. 44, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 704, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for salaries of the officers of the State Government."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 699, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee authorized to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 20, adopted by the House April 14, 1909 and concurred in by the Senate with amendments May 5th, 1909, and finally approved by the House May 7th, 1909, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 136, being a bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station, and to make appropriations therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 38, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for \$25,000.00 for the construction and erection of a monument in Sherman Park in the city of Chicago in honor of the memory of the late John P. Altgeld."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 187, being a bill for "An Act to establish a surgical institute for children, and making an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 115, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 128, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for erection of buildings for University of Illinois."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 668, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7,500.00), for the construction and erection of a monument in the city of Jacksonville in honor of the memory of the late Richard Yates, Ex-Governor and Ex-United States Senator, of the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. A. Shephard called up Senate Bill No. 28 in the order of second reading,

And Senate Bill No. 28, a bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal and charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for violation thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House amendments to a Senate Bill of the following title have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 214.

"An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois."

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 214 was placed in the order of Senate Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 434, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 434, a bill for "An Act to amend section 17 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Scott,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Werdell,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Glade,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Link,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Logan,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Lyon,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Richardson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,

Yeas—110.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 229.

A bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to defray certain expenditures made by members of the Illinois House of Representatives, in the Forty-fifth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, in the expenses of and attendance upon the funerals of Honorable Richard Powers and Honorable Paul Finnan, deceased members of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois.

Passed by the Senate May 11, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 351.

A bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Passed by the Senate May 11, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill numbered 351, was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fahy called up House Bill No. 232, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 232, a bill for "An Act to regulate the pursuit of the business, art and avocation of a barber and to insure the better qualifications of persons following such business in the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 85; nays, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Erby,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Burns,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murray,	Walsh,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Wardell,
Butts,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	White,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. I.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Grace,	Link,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Gray,	Logan,	Price,	Wright,

Yeas—85.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Crawford,	Eherton,	Kirkpatrick,	Luke,	Tippit,
Espy,	Huston,	Liggett,		Nays—8.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 307, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 307, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as a compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 96; nays, 16.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,
Allison,	Curran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hop-	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Black,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Blair,	English,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Brady,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Espy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Eherton,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Wardell,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Flagg,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	White,
Carter,	Flannigen,	Lewis,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Forst,	Link,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Fulton,	Logan,	Price,	Zipf,
Church,	Galligan,	Luke,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	Maclean,		
Cliffe,	Glade,	McConnell,		

Yeas—96

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Campbell,	Hull,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Grace,	Jewell,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Holaday,	Keck,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Wright,
Hollenbeck,				Nays—16

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act and having failed to receive the vote of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared lost.

House Bill No. 307 was thereupon deemed reconsidered, and again put upon its passage with the emergency clause stricken out.

And the question then being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 89; nays, 11.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Riley,
Allison,	Crawford,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Dillon,	Hope,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Black,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Morris,	Stearns,
Blair,	Darfee,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Brady,	English,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Erby,	Ireland,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Espy,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Burns,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	White,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Forst,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Galligan,	Link,	Price,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Richardson,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Glade,	Maclean,	Richter,	Yeas—89

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Campbell,	Hull,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Grace,	Jewell,	Kirkpatrick,	Wilson, G. H.	Wright,
Holaday,				Nays—11.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 166, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 166, a bill for "An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 107.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Erby,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Black,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Blair,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Brady,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Werdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Riley,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
DeWolf,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scott,	
Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,		Yeas—107

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, House Bill No. 621 was recalled to the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Mr. G. H. Wilson offered the following amendments:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title by striking out the period after the word "thereof" at the end of the title in the printed bill and inserting after said word "thereof" the following: "and providing for the setting aside and vacation of all judgments, mortgages, assurances, bonds, notes, bills, specialties, promises, covenants, agreements and other acts, deeds, securities or conveyances, given, granted, drawn or executed contrary to the provisions thereof."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out all of said bill after the word "Assembly" in line two of section 1 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That whoever shall contract to have or give to himself or another the option to sell or buy, at a future time any petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, stocks, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, produce, breadstuffs or provisions of any kind, or whoever shall contract to sell or buy any petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, stocks, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, produce, breadstuffs or provisions of any kind, with the intention that the same shall not be delivered or received but that the transaction shall be settled by the payment of the difference between the contract price and the market price at the time of settlement, for the first offense shall be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000 and confined in the county jail not exceeding one year, and for the second offense shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary not less than one year nor more than fourteen years.

"SEC. 2. Any telegraph, telephone or other company, knowingly transmitting by wire, telegraph or telephone, or other device, any message or messages that shall have for its or their purpose, the aiding of any such contract or transaction, as set forth in the preceding section of this Act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be adjudged to pay a fine of not less than one thousand dollars, nor more than ten thousand dollars.

"SEC. 3. Any incorporated company and its officers and managers and the officers and managers of any voluntary association, which incorporated company or voluntary association shall allow as part of its business, or in connection with its operations, or upon any premises used by it in connection with its business the making of any such contract as set forth in section 1 of this Act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be adjudged to pay a fine of not less than one thousand dollars, nor more than twenty-five thousand dollars, and if the defendant be a corporation, the court before whom said conviction is had, shall as a part of the judgment to be entered in said case, enter a judgment forfeiting its charter.

"SEC. 4. Whoever shall corner or attempt to corner the market in petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, stocks, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, produce, breadstuffs, or provisions of any kind or shall forestall the market by spreading false rumors to influence the price of commodities therein, shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and upon conviction shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary not less than one year nor more than fourteen years.

"SEC. 5. All judgments, mortgages, assurances, bonds, notes, bills, specialties, promises, covenants, agreements, and other acts, deeds, securities, or

conveyances, given, granted, drawn or executed, contrary to the provisions of this Act, may be set aside and vacated by any court of equity, upon bill filed for that purpose, by the person so granting, giving, entering into, or executing the same, or by his executors or administrators, or by any creditor, heir, devisee, purchaser or other person interested therein; or if a judgment, the same may be set aside on motion of any person aforesaid, on due notice thereof given.

"SEC. 6. No assignment of any bill, note, bond, covenant, agreement, judgment, mortgage or other security or conveyances aforesaid, shall, in any manner, affect the defense of the person giving, granting, drawing, entering into or executing the same, or the remedies of any person interested therein.

"SEC. 7. Any and all Acts or parts of Acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed."

By unanimous consent, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed, and the further consideration of House Bill No. 621, on the order of second reading was postponed.

By unanimous consent, House Bill No. 529, was recalled to the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Mr. Wheelan offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 529 by striking out on page 6, line 8, the word "farmers" just before the word "mutual," and by adding the word "fire" just after the word "mutual" on page 6, line 8, and striking out the words on page 6, line 10, "and insuring only farm property."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ton called up House Bill No. 183, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 183, a bill for "An Act to abolish capital punishment in the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, the special order of House Bill No. 615 set for this day was postponed until tomorrow.

At the hour of 6:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

'The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable W. M. Groves.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Shaw, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Huston presented two petitions, one relating to House Bill No. 615, which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and the other relating to House Bill No. 598, which was referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 714, a bill for "An Act to amend section 37 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section thirty-seven, seventy-four, and one hundred and one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, approved May 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hollenback called up House Bill No. 320, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 320, a bill for "An Act to provide for the safety of railway employes engaged in the repairing of railway engines, cars and rolling stock equipment."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas. 115.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Riley,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scott,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hull,	Mills,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Ton,
Browne,	Forst,	King,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Richardson,	York,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Richter,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Link,	Rigney,	Zipf,

Yeas—115.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Allison called up House Bill No. 474, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 474, a bill for "An Act to regulate certain elections held under 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 112.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	English,	Huston,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Ton,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Brady,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	White,
Browne,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Price,	Wright,
Carter,	Grace,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Gray,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Robinson,	
Clark,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Corcoran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shaw,	

Yeas—112.

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck called up Senate Bill No. 232, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 232, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for making improvements and repairs upon highways adjoining public parks and pleasure grounds,' approved and in force April 22, 1907, and to add thereto three new sections, to be known as sections 2, 3 and 4."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hull,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fieldestack,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Black,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Brady,	Forst,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Price,	Wheehan,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Richardson,	White,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Glade,	Link,	Riley,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Luke,	Robinson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Grace,	Maclean,	Seanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Scott,	York,
Church,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Clark,	Hamilton,	McNichols,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hilton,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.	Mr. Speaker,

Yeas—110.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Kirkpatrick,

Nays—1.

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pervier called up House Bill No. 361, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 361, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4), five (5) and six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to protect cemeteries and to provide for their regulation and management,' approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford.	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Adkins.	Dillon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Mills,	Sollitt,
AmMadoc,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brady,	Fahy,	King,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Church,	Gray,	Luke,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Corcoran,	Holaday,	McCollum,		Yeas—113.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

House Bill No. 659, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means, of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Being a special order for this day, the same having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Browne offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 659 by striking out from lines 53 and 54 of the printed bill the words and figures "2½ per cent" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one-half of one per cent."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Adkins moved to amend House Bill No. 659, by striking out the enacting clause.

And on that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 66; nays, 81.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Scott,
Adkins,	English,	Holaday,	Logan,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Espy,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	F'herston,	Hull,	McCullum,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Finley,	Huston,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Mills,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Ton,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Carter,	Grace,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Groves, J.	Kittleman,	Richardson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lawrence,	Rigney,	York,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Dudgeon,				Yeas--66.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Riley,
Allison,	Daley,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McNichols,	Schumacher,
Beck,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Morris,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Black,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Werdehl,
Bush,	Foster,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Link,	Parker,	White,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Glade,	Macleann,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Richter,	Zinger.
				Mr. Speaker,
				Yeas--81.

And the motion was lost.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1. was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall this bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Dalley,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Heim,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Clark,				

And there were fifty-one members of the Senate present.

The Sneaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hutzel,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Etherion,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Brownback,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burns,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	

And there were 149 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 200 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce* , for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	30 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes
Erskin M. Phelps received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McElvain,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	McKenzie,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Hearn,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Holstlaw,			

—12.

Those voting for Erskin M. Phelps are: Mr. Glackin—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose, with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	48 votes
George Edmund Foss received	13 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	20 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	34 votes
Erskin M. Phelps received	14 votes
Cyril R. Jandus received	4 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	3 votes
John F. O'Malley received	2 votes
Arthur J. Evans received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Adkins,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	
Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.	

—48.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

—13.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Allison,	Crawford,	Glade,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wilson, R. E.
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chipperfield,	Foster,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	Zipf,

—20.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Myers,	Shaw,
Eolin,	English,	Huston,	Naylor,	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Espy,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Burns,	Eherton,	Link,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Corcoran,	Finley,	McCollum,	Richardson,	White,
Daley,	Forst,	Murphy, Wm	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Dillon,	Groves, J.	Morris,	Scott,	

—34.

Those voting for Erskin M. Phelps are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Geshkewich,	Hilton,	Murray,	Walsh,	
Browne,	Gorman,	McGuire,	O'Neil,	Werdell,	
Fahy,	Griffin,	Murphy,	E. J. Sullivan,		—14.

Those voting for Cyril R. Jandus are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Beckemeyer,	Cermak,	Hruby,		—4.
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Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

Clark,	DeWolf,	Luke,		—3.
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Those voting for John F. O'Malley are: Messrs.

Galligan,	Lantz,			—2.
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Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-fifth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 198, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	78 votes
George Edmund Foss received	18 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	22 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	46 votes
Erskin M. Phelps received	15 votes
Cyril R. Jandus received	4 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	3 votes
John F. O'Malley received	2 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:50 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

And proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 601, being a bill for "An Act to define trusts and conspiracies against trade, declaring contracts in violation of this Act void, making certain Acts in violation thereof felonies and prescribing the punishment therefor, and matters connected therewith."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 242, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to divorce,' approved March 10, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 174, being a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed, and for other purposes relating thereto."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

At the hour of 12:55 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 4:30 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 4:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Blair, from the Committee on Claims, to which was referred House Bill No. 217, being a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the relief of Edward A. Laxton injured by an accident at the Southern Illinois Penitentiary resulting in an injury to him while in the performance of his duties, under the direction of an officer of the institution."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in and it was so ordered.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 47, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the fees of county clerks in counties of first and second class, and to provide for the payment of the same."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 432, being a bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Fulton, from the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home, to which was referred House Bill No. 95, being a bill for "An Act to allow the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home to sell lots two (2) and three (3) in block thirty-seven (37) in Cassady's addition to the city of Joliet, Will county, Illinois."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 46, being a bill for "An Act in relation to attorney's fees and liens."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 404, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to liens,' in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 265, being a bill for "An Act to define personal property brokers and regulate their charges and business."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 16, being a bill for "An Act to prevent frauds between attorneys, clients and defendants, making agreements between clients and attorneys a lien upon the cause of action."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 603, being a bill for "An Act fixing the rate of interest that may be charged on certain loans and making certain requirements as to security given for the payment of such loans."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 685, being a bill for "An Act in relation to assignment of wages."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 614, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act in relation to domestic animals running at large within the State of Illinois,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 283, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the punishment of criminals,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section one and one-half."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 107, being a bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for the violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 122, being a bill for "An Act to prevent the intermarriage of people of the white race, blood or lineage with those of the African, Chinese or Japanese races."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 246, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial districts,' approved April 27, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 499, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 6 and 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to divorce,' approved March 10, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 323, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 166½ of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 2, being a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation and for compensation of probation officers, and authorizing courts of record to suspend the imposition of sentence on persons found guilty of certain crimes and offenses, and to discharge, without arraignment, persons found guilty of drunkenness."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 164, being a bill for "An Act to provide for limiting the time of holding sessions of the General Assembly of this State to 100 days or less at each session."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 173, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 371, being a bill for "An Act to enable courts of law to grant relief against fraud."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 92, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to reconvey.'"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 373, being a bill for "An Act to amend section three of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 70, being a bill for "An Act concerning embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal, beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 697, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant States' attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 439, being a bill for "An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 77, being a bill for "An Act to give circuit courts of this State and superior courts of Cook county, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts, in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts, and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof, and to repeal an Act therein named."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 173, being a bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons, and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 507, being a bill for "An Act to enforce publicity in the operation and business conduct of life insurance companies."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 332, being a bill for "An Act to authorize corporations organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to provide a funeral benefit for their members."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 701, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, and as heretofore amended."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 237, being a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 239, being a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, subnormal, convalescent and incipient invalid children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 240, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 23, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the vaccination of children, the vaccination and re-vaccination of all inhabitants of towns or cities, the vaccination of the inmates of almshouses, reform or industrial schools, hospitals, prisons, jails or houses of correction or any institution which is supported or aided by the State, etc."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 381, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 202 of article 8 of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 588, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 709, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 24, reported the same back with the recommendation that it be adopted.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Smejkal, from the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce, to which was referred House Bill No. 330, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, in coöperation with the United States, and the development of the water power and other utilities incident thereto, by way of the upper Illinois (including the Desplaines) river, between Lockport and Utica."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 715, a bill for "An Act to create a waterway commission for the State of Illinois, prescribing the duties and powers thereof, and providing for the construction of a deep waterway in coöperation with the United States of America, by way of the channel of the Sanitary District of Chicago and the Desplaines and Illinois rivers, and for the development of water power and other utilities incidental to the deep waterway making an appropriation therefor and for other purposes, incidental thereto."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 330, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 330, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 715, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Smejkal, from the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce reported the following Committee Bill, House Bill No. 716, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 23 of an Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers," approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act of June 10, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved and in force February 27, 1907, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Smejkal, from the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce, (Deep waterway), reported the following resolution with the recommendation that it be adopted.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 25.

WHEREAS, The rivers and harbors bill passed by the Fifty-ninth Congress provided for the appointment by the Secretary of War of a special board "to examine the Mississippi river below Saint Louis and report to the Congress at the earliest date by which a thorough examination can be made upon the practicability and desirability of constructing and maintaining a navigable channel fourteen feet deep and of suitable width from Saint Louis to the mouth of the river," and

WHEREAS, This special board has completed this report and forwarded it to the Chief of Engineers in Washington, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the information contained in this report shall be made public; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein: That the General Assembly of Illinois petition the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States of America to take such action as will cause the early publication of the report of the special board of engineers, recently transmitted to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. A., upon the improvement of the Mississippi river below Saint Louis and particularly between Saint Louis and Cairo; be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State forward this resolution and petition to the Honorable Joseph G. Cannon, Speaker of the National House of Representatives and send a copy thereof to each member of Congress from this State.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 243, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to punish persons for wilful injury to lines, poles, and other apparatus used in transmitting or carrying electric current or messages.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 393, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills reported that bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 593.

A bill for "An Act to enable park commissioners to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks and pleasure grounds and to provide a tax for the payment of the same."

HOUSE BILL No. 257.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 32, of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectments,' approved March 20, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

HOUSE BILL No. 350.

A bill for "An Act to consolidate in the government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city, to make additional provisions concerning parks and local improvements and to provide revenue."

HOUSE BILL No. 156.

A bill to amend sections two and three of an Act entitled, "An Act creating the offices of supervising architect of the State of Illinois and defining his powers and duties," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 593, 257, 350 and 156 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gray called up House Bill No. 14, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 14, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Alschuler,	English,	Ireland,	Myers,	Stevenson,
AmMadoc,	Erby,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Erickson,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Fahy,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Black,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Blair,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Brady,	Foster,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Price,	White,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Grace,	Liggett,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gray,	Link,	Robinson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.	
DeWolf,	Hope,	McNichols,		

Yeas—102.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Espy, McConnell, Groves, J.

Nays—3

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Troyer called up House Bill No. 593, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 593, a bill for "An Act to enable park commissioners to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks and pleasure grounds and to provide a tax for the payment of the same."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 115.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Shanahan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Myers,	Stearns,
Blair,	Etherton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Troyer,
Browne,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Poulton,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Liggett,	Riley,	York,
Church,	Griffin,	Link,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,

Yeas—115.

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman called up Senate Bill No. 53, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 53, a bill for "An Act in relation to consolidation and reinsurance by life insurance companies."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Luke,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Maclean,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Beck,	Erby,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Black,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Tippitt,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Riley,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,

Yeas—120.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan called up House Bill No. 423, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 423, a bill for "An Act to amend section seven (7) of an Act entitled, 'An Act requiring reports of births and deaths, and the recording of the same and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing certain Acts therein named,' approved May 6, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 108; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montellus,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hull,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Black,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Mvers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Espy,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Flags,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Riley,	Wright,
Church,	Gray,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Clark,	Griffin,	Link,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Hilton,	Ivon,	Scott,	
Curran,	Holaday,	McCullum,	Shaw,	

Yeas—108

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Groves, J.

Nays—1.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hollenbeck called up House Bill No. 555, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 555, a bill for "An Act to amend section two (2), twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Keck,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	King,	Murray,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Glade,	Lane,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Bush,	Gray,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Walsh,
Butts,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Cambell,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Holaday,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Riley,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hull,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	York,
Corcoran,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Curran,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Scott,	Zipf,
Donahue,				Yeas—81.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Fahy,

Nay—1.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. ApMadoc offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 26.

WHEREAS, Under and by virtue of House Joint Resolution No. 16 of the Forty-fifth General Assembly, adopted by the House of Representatives on March 12, 1907, and concurred in by the Senate March 20, 1907, the Governor has appointed a commission of nine members for the purpose of carefully considering the subject of occupational diseases; and

WHEREAS, Said joint resolution directed that said commission report to the Governor the draft of any desirable bill or bills designed to meet the purposes announced in said resolution for consideration and action by the Forty-sixth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Said Occupational Disease Commission has submitted preliminary report from which it appears that said commission will not be able to finish its investigation, and submit its report at the present session of the Legislature; therefore be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein: That said Occupational Disease Commission, so appointed by the Governor, be and it is hereby perpetuated, and the time given said commission for its investigation is hereby extended until the next regular session of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, at which time it is directed to make its report.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. ApMadoc called up House Bill No. 581, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 581, a bill for "An Act to amend section 97 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. ApMadoc offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 581, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 581, by striking out all after the word "Sec. 97." in line 6 of said bill as printed and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Whoever, by any false representation in writing, signed by him, of the respectability, wealth, mercantile correspondence or connections, or assets or liabilities of himself or of any firm of which he is a member, or whoever, being an officer of a corporation, by any false representation in writing, known by him to be false and signed by him, of the respectability, wealth, mercantile correspondence or connections, or the assets or liabilities, or any or all of them of such corporation, obtains credit for himself, for such firm or for such corporation, and thereby defrauds any person of money, goods, chattels or any valuable thing, or whoever procures another to make a false report in writing, signed by the person making the same, of the honesty, wealth, mercantile correspondence or connections, or assets or liabilities of himself or of any firm of which he is a member, or whoever, being an officer of a corporation, procures another to make a false report in writing, known by him to be false, signed by the person making the same, of the honesty, wealth, mercantile correspondence or connections, or assets or liabilities of such corporation, and thus obtains credit for himself, for such firm or for such corporation, and thereby defrauds any person of any money, goods, chattels or other valuable thing, shall be sentenced to return the money or property so fraudulently obtained, if it can be done, and shall be fined not exceeding \$2,000, and confined in the county jail not exceeding one year."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Allison offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 54.

WHEREAS, The Kankakee river was at one time partially improved under authority of this State and has been the subject of official project and report by the United States, and is recognized as navigable waters of this State and of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Several parties are engaged in placing structures in and across said river without authority and to the great prejudice to the improvement of said river for navigation; and

WHEREAS, The Act of March 3, 1899, requires the consent and approval of the Secretary of War before work of any character can be undertaken that shall in any manner change conditions respecting the navigable waters of the United States; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the attention of the Secretary of War is hereby directed to works projected and under way in the Kankakee river, in violation of sections 9 and 10 of the river and harbor act, approved March 3, 1899.

Resolved, further, That the Senator and Representatives in Congress from this State are hereby requested to take such action as will result in the early improvement of the navigation of the said Kankakee and Iroquois rivers.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House is hereby instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the Senator and the several members of Congress from this State.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butts called up House Bill No. 31, in the order of first reading, and,

House Bill No. 31, a bill for "An Act to provide for fees of clerks of probate courts in counties of the second class."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Nelson called up House Bill No. 545, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 545, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures and to repeal a certain Act therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck called up House Bill No. 671, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 671, a bill for "An Act to prohibit certain classes of medical advertising and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack called up House Bill No. 657, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 657, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Fees and Salaries, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 657, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 657 by striking out the words "six thousand" in line 23 of said bill as printed and inserting in lieu thereof "nine thousand nine hundred and sixty."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 251, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 251, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violation of the same,' approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lawrence called up Senate Bill No. 244, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 244, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 14 of 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe introduced a bill, House Bill No. 717, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning suits at law for personal injuries and against cities, villages and towns,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 136, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 136, a bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station, and to make appropriations therefor."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 115, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 115, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 668, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 668, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500.00), for the construction and erection of a monument in the city of Jacksonville in honor of the memory of the late Richard Yates, ex-Governor and ex-United States Senator, of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 128, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 128, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 187, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 187, a bill for "An Act to establish a surgical institution for children, and making an appropriation therefor."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 38, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 38, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) for the construction and erection of a monument in Sherman park in the city of Chicago in honor of the memory of the late John P. Altgeld."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 704, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 704, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for salaries of the officers of the State government."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 699, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 699, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee authorized to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 20, adopted by the House April 14, 1909, and concurred in by the Senate with amendments, May 5, 1909, and finally approved by the House May 7th, 1909, to investigate into the reliability, efficiency and necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois and for other purposes and making an appropriation of \$10,000 therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker took up Senate Bill No. 364, heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table, and referred it to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

By unanimous consent, the special order on House Bill No. 615 set for 'his day was postponed until tomorrow.

At the hour of 6:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when on motion of Mr. Zinger the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 41.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That when the two houses adjourn on Friday, May 14, 1909, they stand adjourned until Monday, May 17, 1909, at 5:00 o'clock P. M.

Adopted May 13, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 41.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 68.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee-Keepers' Association."

SENATE BILL No. 113.

A bill for an Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of fish in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois.

SENATE BILL No. 121.

A bill for an Act to provide for the inspection and licensing of all slaughtering, meat packing or rendering plant or plants or similar establishments in which cattle, sheep, swine or poultry are slaughtered to be done under and by authority of the Board of Live Stock Commissioners of the State of Illinois.

SENATE BILL No. 175.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to fire insurance."

SENATE BILL No. 196.

A bill for an Act to amend section four (4) of "An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute," approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903.

SENATE BILL No. 261.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 1, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, "An Act to create a State Board of Pardons and to regulate the manner of applying for pardons and commutations," approved June 5, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

SENATE BILL No. 266.

A bill for an Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 272.

A bill for an Act in relation to the adoption, use and price of public school text books in the free public schools of this State.

SENATE BILL No. 280.

A bill for an Act to regulate the public service of stallions in Illinois.

SENATE BILL No. 359.

A bill for an Act concerning sinking funds.

SENATE BILL No. 368.

A bill for an Act to amend section 19 of "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," as approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

SENATE BILL No. 371.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the purchase of real estate adjacent and contiguous to the homestead of Abraham Lincoln, and providing for the improvement, care and custody of the same by the Lincoln Homestead trustees.

SENATE BILL No. 377.

A bill for an Act providing for the appointment of park commissioners under certain conditions and prescribing their duties.

SENATE BILL No. 433.

A bill for an Act providing for a system of probation, for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and authorizing the suspension of final judgment and the imposition of sentence upon persons found guilty of certain defined crimes and offenses, and legalizing their ultimate discharge without punishment.

SENATE BILL No. 479.

A bill for an Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies.

Passed the Senate May 12, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 68, 113, 121, 175, 196, 261, 266, 272, 280, 359, 368, 371, 377, 433 and 479 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 12.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families," in force May 25, 1907, together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 1, line 3, by striking out "May 25th," and inserting "July 1st."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In the title strike out the words and figures "in force May 25, 1907," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "And to repeal a certain Act therein named, approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907," by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section No. 10 and section No. 11 respectively.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In section one, strike out all after the word "families," in line three, to and including the words "sections ten and eleven" on line four, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "And to repeal a certain Act therein named, approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section No. 10 and section No. 11 respectively.

Passed by the Senate as amended May 12, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate amendments to House Bill No. 12 were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 184.

A bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section four (4) of 'An Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874,' as amended by an Act approved May 30, 1881, in force July 1, 1881,' as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 249.

A bill for an Act to amend section eleven (11) of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to the Supreme Court," approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 498.

A bill for an Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, "An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding the

same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved April 22, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL NO. 578.

A bill for an Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named, approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, and in force July 1, 1879.

Passed by the Senate May 12, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The House, proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 58, a bill for "An Act defining and regulating express companies operating within the State of Illinois, declaring them to be common carriers and placing them under the jurisdiction and control of the Illinois Railroad and Warehouse Commission, and for other purposes."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 98, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and all Acts amendatory thereto, and by adding thereto article XIII."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 88, a bill for "An Act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a pension fund of municipal employes appointed to their positions under and by virtue of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the civil service of cities,' approved and in force March 20, 1895, in cities having a population exceeding one hundred thousand inhabitants."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 313, a bill for "An Act to amend section 120 of an Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 375, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the State library,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding three new sections to be known as sections 10, 11 and 12."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Libraries.

Senate Bill No. 351, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899,

in force July 1, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 431, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State reform school, and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Charities.

Senate Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to provide for the sale of Kaskaskia commons upon the island of Kaskaskia in the county of Randolph, and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale, and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on History, Geology and Science.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wm. Murphy introduced a bill, House Bill No. 718, a bill for "An Act to provide for the labeling or stamping of all soles of shoes with labels or stamps, correctly and truthfully, specifying the name or names of the material of which said soles are composed, in all cases where said material is anything other than leather made from the cured and tanned skins of animals; and providing penalties for a failure to comply with the provisions thereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 658.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act to amend section one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as further amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 431.

A bill for an Act to amend section 11 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to fugitives from justice," approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

HOUSE BILL No. 379.

A bill for an Act to amend section 31, of an Act entitled: "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, so as to read as follows:

HOUSE BILL No. 587.

A bill for an Act concerning the publication of legal notices.

HOUSE BILL No. 57.

A bill for an Act to repeal an Act entitled, "An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois," approved May 23, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 321

A bill for an Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale or giving away cigarettes, cigarette papers or wrappers or other substitute therefor and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 462.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874."

HOUSE BILL No. 585.

A bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of article three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

HOUSE BILL No. 98.

A bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 122a."

HOUSE BILL No. 176.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

HOUSE BILL No. 586.

A bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

HOUSE BILL No. 271.

A bill for "An Act to regulate service of stallions in Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 104.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877."

HOUSE BILL No. 94.

A bill for "An Act to regulate and fix the maximum hours of a day's work for conductors and motormen or operators on street, elevated, underground and interurban electric railroads, so that ten hours shall constitute a day's work, to be performed within twelve consecutive hours, for the purpose of providing for the better safety and welfare of the public, passenger and employes, and providing for a penalty for a violation thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 230.

A bill for "An Act to prevent fire insurance companies entering into or maintaining pools, trusts, conspiracies or agreements to control rates of insurance and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act."

HOUSE BILL No. 221.

A bill for "An Act in relation to the office of treasurer in villages and incorporated towns."

HOUSE BILL No. 203.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies,' approved March 24, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

HOUSE BILL No. 120.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 7 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies, and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 464.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the disposal of unclaimed moneys in the hands of administrators and executors,' approved May 12, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

HOUSE BILL No. 56.

A bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed money in the county treasury and for the appointment of administrators or executors in relation thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 413.

A bill for "An Act to require foreign fire and casualty insurance companies to deposit a bond or securities with the insurance commissioner to protect contracts in this State."

HOUSE BILL No. 30.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

HOUSE BILL No. 133.

A bill for "An Act to amend section (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies, and agricultural fairs and to provide reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 382.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts awarded by the court of claims to certain persons named therein."

HOUSE BILL No. 524.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for procuring documents, papers, and materials and publications relating to the northwest and the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 599.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the inspection of locomotive boilers on railroads, and the care of steam locomotives on railroads, and steam and water-cocks, and to provide a penalty for the violations of the provisions of this Act."

HOUSE BILL No. 103.

A bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State that have been or may be executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 581.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 658, 431, 379, 587, 57, 321, 462, 585, 98, 176, 586, 271, 104, 94, 230, 221, 203, 120, 464, 56, 413, 30, 133, 382, 524, 599, 103 and 581 were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield called up House Bill No. 158 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 158, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act defining and declaring the rights of the public in navigable lakes and streams meandered in the survey by and under the authority of the United States of America.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Scott,
Alschuler,	English,	Holaday,	Montellus,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hollenbeck,	Morris,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Browne,	Flagg,	King,	O'Neil,	Wardell,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Parker,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipfield,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wright,
Clark,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richardson,	York,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zinger,
Curran,	Grace,	Link,	Riley,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Gray,	Logan,	Robinson,	
Dillon,	Griffin,	Lyon,		

Yeas—103.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Curran called up House Bill No. 300 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 300, a bill for "An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employes in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?"

Pending roll call, Mr. Curran moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 300 be postponed.

And the motion prevailed.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization to which was referred House Bill No. 686, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,' in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization to which was referred House Bill No. 687, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing ground hogs,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Terrill, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, reported the following committee bill, House Bill No. 719, being a bill for "An Act to establish the mining investigation commission of the State of Illinois, and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor."

With the recommendation that it be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the committee was concurred in and by unanimous consent the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

At 12:00 o'clock Meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Stewart,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Tossey,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Womack,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	

And there were 49 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Behrens,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Blair,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Espy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brady,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burris,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Bush,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Butts,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	White,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	York,
Corcoran,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Logan,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,

And there were 140 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 189 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pairs were announced:

Mr. Glackin (present but not voting) with Mr. Schmitt.

Mr. Lundberg (present but not voting) with Mr. Olson.

Mr. Blair (present but not voting) with Mr. Welborn.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	27 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes

Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
William Lorimer received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	11 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Landee,	Potter,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lish,	Stewart,
Dailey,	Gardner,			—27.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	—3.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2.
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for William Lorimer are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gorman,	Holstlaw,	Jandus,	Tossey,
Burton,	Hearn,	Isley,	Manny,	Womack,
Gibson,				—11.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose, with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	44 votes
George Edmund Foss received	11 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	18 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	19 votes
P. W. Gallagher received	26 votes
T. J. Moran received	1 vote
Benjamin Mitchell received	5 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brady,	Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Gray,	King,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Holaday,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hope,	Lewis,	Richter,	York,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Robinson,	—44.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hull,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,				—11.

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Chipherfeld,	Glade,	McNichols,	Smejkal,	
Crawford,	Kittleman,	Parker,		—17

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,

Terrill,

—2.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Briscoe,
Daley,
Dillon,
English,

Espy,
Etherton,
Forst,
Groves, J.

Hruby,
Huston,
Kannally,
Link,

Luke,
Mvers,
O'Brien,
Richardson,

Scott,
Shephard, H. A.
Tippit,
—19.

Those voting for P. W. Gallagher are: Messrs.

Abrahams,
Alschuler,
Beckemeyer,
Browne,
Burns,
Cermak,

Clark,
DeWolf,
Donahue,
Fahy,
Geshkewich,

Gorman,
Griffin,
Hilton,
Lantz,
McLaughlin,

Morris,
Murphy, Wm.
Murray,
O'Neil,
Riley,

Shaw,
Werdell,
White,
Wilson, F. J.
Wilson, R. E.
—26.

Those voting for T. F. Moran are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

Those voting for Benjamin Mitchell are: Messrs.

Galligan,

Poulton,

Sullivan,

Walsh,

Wheelan,

—5.

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-sixth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 177, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	71 votes
George Edmund Foss received	14 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	20 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
William Lorimer received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	30 votes
P. W. Gallagher received	26 votes
T. F. Moran received	1 vote
Benjamin Mitchell received	5 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:45 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shaw called up Senate Bill No. 338, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 338, a bill for "An Act to amend sections five (5), nine (9), thirteen (13), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), seventeen and one-half (17½), eighteen (18), twenty-six and one-half (26½), thirty-seven (37), forty-two (42), fifty-five (55), and fifty-nine (59), and to repeal sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), and twenty-two (22), and to add three new sections, to be known as sections five A (5a), seventeen A (17a) and seventeen B (17b), respectively to an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the construcion, reparation, and protection of drains, ditches, and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved and in force May 29, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 20, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 119; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McClean,	Shanahan,
Beck,	English,	Hope,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shepard, H. A.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Blair,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flammigen,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Forst,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Furns,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kleman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Parker,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Grace,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wright,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Daley,	Groves, J.	Link,	Riley,	Zinger,
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Dillon,	Hilton,	Luke,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—119.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Tipit,

Nays—1

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Geshkewich introduced a bill, House Bill No. 720, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful for any persons who are not citizens of the United States of America to operate, conduct or run, or to be in any way financially interested in, as stockholders, owners, partners, or otherwise, any saloon, dram-shop, or other place of business in which, under the law, a license is required by law to operate, conduct, or run same; rendering null and void any license hereafter issued to a person not a citizen of the United States of America, to operate, conduct or run any saloon, dram-shop, or other place or business in which, under the law a license is required by law; and providing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on License.

By unanimous consent, Mr. York introduced a bill, House Bill No. 721, a bill for "An Act to amend section ninety-one (91) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads to which was referred House Bill No. 314, being a bill for "An Act to require all fixed poles placed along railroads to be placed at least six feet from the rails of such railroads and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads to which was referred House Bill No. 24, being a bill for "An Act to compel the publication by common carriers of passengers of the time of the arrival and departure of their trains and other conveyances in the various cities and villages of this State."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards to which was referred Senate Bill No. 185, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 3, 4 and 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation of pleasure driveway and park district,' approved June 19, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations to which was referred House Bill No. 387, being a bill for "An Act to provide a minimum space between street cars operating on public highways and for a penalty for violation of this Act."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations to which was referred House Bill No. 81, being a bill for "An Act to amend section four, as amended by Act filed May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, of an Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvement.' "

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations to which was referred House Bill No. 451, being a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to purchase, construct or enlarge waterworks, to provide for the management thereof, and giving them authority to levy an annual tax for the creation of a fund for such purchase, construction or enlarging, and limiting the granting or extension of waterworks franchise."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs to which was referred Senate Bill No. 364, being a bill for "An Act relating to private employment agencies and to repeal parts of a certain Act relating thereto."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs to which was referred Senate Bill No. 385, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and work-shops in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs reported the following committee bill, House Bill No. 722, being a bill for "An Act to allow children twelve years of age or over to take part and be employed in dramatic or theatrical performances or rehearsals for the same, to regulate the same and to provide for the punishment for violation of this Act."

With the recommendation that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Lederer asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 669 in the order of second reading.

Objections being heard, Mr. Lederer moved that the rules be suspended for that purpose.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 669, a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At the hour of 1:20 o'clock p. m., Mr. Lantz moved that this House do now take a recess until 4:30 o'clock p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 4:30 o'clock p. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. English offered the following resolution:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 27.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That there shall be submitted to the voters of the State, at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

Resolved, That paragraph [section] six (6) of article LV [IV] of said Constitution be amended so as to read as follows:

Paragraph 6. The General Assembly shall apportion the State every ten years, beginning with the year 1871, by dividing the population of the State as ascertained by the federal census, by the number 51, and the quotient shall be the ratio of representation in the Senate. The State shall be divided into 51 senatorial districts, each of which shall elect one Senator, whose term of office shall be four years. The Senators elected in the year of our Lord 1872, in districts bearing even numbers at the end of four years; and vacancies occurring by expiration of term, shall be filled by the election of Senators for the full term. Senatorial districts shall be formed of contiguous and compact territory, bounded by county lines, and contain, as nearly as practicable, an equal number of inhabitants; but no district shall contain less than four-fifths of the senatorial ratio. Counties containing not less than the ratio and three-fourths, may be divided into separate districts, and shall be entitled to two Senators, and to one additional Senator for each number of inhabitants equal to the ratio contained by such counties in excess of twice the number of said ratio: *Provided,* That no county shall be entitled to more than one-third the entire number of senators or representatives.

The foregoing resolution, under the rules, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent. Mr. Crawford called up House Bill No. 697, in the order of first reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 697, a bill for "An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant State's attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 27.

A bill for "An Act to appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for purchase of portrait of Patrick Henry."

SENATE BILL No. 284.

A bill for an Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands.

SENATE BILL No. 389.

A bill for an Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures, and to repeal a certain Act therein named.

SENATE BILL No. 390.

A bill for an Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns.

SENATE BILL No. 396.

A bill for an Act for the sale to the Iroquois Iron Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands.

SENATE BILL No. 442.

A bill for an Act amending section 39 of an Act entitled, "An Act to prevent fraud in the sale of dairy products, their imitation or substitutes, to prohibit and prevent the manufacture and sale of unhealthful, adulterated or misbranded food, liquors or dairy products, to provide for the appointment of a State Food Commissioner and his assistants, to define their powers and duties, and to repeal all acts relating to the production, manufacture and sale of dairy and food products and liquors in conflict herewith," approved May 14, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

SENATE BILL No. 407.

A bill for an Act to regulate the manufacture, handling and storage of dangerous explosives.

Passed May 13, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 387.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 5, of an Act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies," approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903.

Passed by the Senate May 13, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 27, 284, 389, 390, 396, 407, 442 and 387, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dillon called up House Bill No. 630, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 630, a bill for "An Act to amend section six of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman called up House Bill No. 714, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 714, a bill for "An Act to amend section 37 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section thirty-seven, seventy-four, and one hundred and one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, approved May 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippitt called up House Bill No. 712, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 712, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to establish terms of circuit court for Jefferson county.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Geshkewich called up Senate Bill No. 145, in the order of second reading.

Senate Bill No. 145, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal certain Acts therein named."

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 145, section 11, line 11, by striking out the word "less" and inserting the word "more."

And the amendment was adopted:

Mr. King offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 145 by striking out of said bill as printed all of section 15 and by changing the numbering of the following sections of the bill as printed, section 16, section 17, section 18, section 19, to read as follows respectively, section 15, section 16, section 17, section 18.

Mr. Kleeman moved to lay the amendment upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And amendment No. 2 was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe called up House Bill No. 670, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 670, a bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd called up House Bill No. 31, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 31, a bill for "An Act to provide for fees of clerks of probate courts in counties of the second class."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Fees and Salaries, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 31, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 31 by adding to the title of the bill as printed the following words: "having a population of seventy thousand or more."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 1 of said bill as printed by inserting between the word "class" and the word "shall" in line 3 of said section 1 the following: "having a population of seventy thousand or more."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gillespie called up Senate Bill No. 392, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 392, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coroners,' approved February 6, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 10a."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Perkins called up House Bill No. 323, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 323, a bill for "An Act to prohibit trade discrimination on petroleum and the products refined and compounded therefrom."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. King called up House Bill No. 608 in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 608, a bill for "An Act to amend article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by Acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by emergency Acts approved May 15, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 84.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Robinson,
Alschuler,	English,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Beck,	Erickson,	Jewell,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Black,	Flagg,	Keck,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Bush,	Fulton,	King,	Murray,	Terrill,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Grace,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	York,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Price,	Zipf,
Curran,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Riley,	Yeas—84.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 290, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 290, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to the State Milk Producer's Institute. An Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Milk Producer's Institute of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 84.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	English,	Hull,	Lyons,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bush,	Fulton,	King,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Glade,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Price,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Holaday,	Logan,	Robinson,	Yeas—84.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 420 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 420, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the State Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin, Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	English,	Huston,	Lyons,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Etherton,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Fahy,	Kannally,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Browne,	Fulton,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Tippit,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Glade,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Price,	York,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Holaday,	Logan,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Dillon,				Yeas—81.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fulton called up Senate Bill No. 274, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 274, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof,' approved June 21, 1895, in force July 1, 1895."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 80.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Riley,
Alschuler,	English,	Holaday,	Logan,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Beck,	Espy,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brownback,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bush,	Fulton,	King,	Neison,	Tippit,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wright,
Clark,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	York,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Price,	Zipf,
Curran,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
				Yeas—80

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fulton called up Senate Bill No. 275, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 275, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks, to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property,' approved and in force April 9, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 78.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Holaday,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	English,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Espy,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fulton,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wright,
Carter,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pierson,	York,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Zipf,
Clark,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Richter,	Yeas—78.
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Riley,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 666, in the order of first reading, and House Bill No. 666, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14 of an Act entitled,

'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 432, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 432, a bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 128, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 128, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 128, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill in section 1, lines 2 and 3, by striking out the words and figures "\$800,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$400,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill in section 1, by striking out line 8.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill in section 1 by striking out line 9.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the printed bill in section 1 by striking out line 10 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Library building to cost \$400,000.00 of which there is hereby appropriated \$150,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the printed bill section 1, line 12, by striking out the figures "\$800,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$400,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Parker moved that House Resolution No. 53 be made a special order for Tuesday, May 18, immediately after the reading of the Journal.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 115, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 115, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 115, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill in section 1, line 5, by striking out the words and figures "\$550,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$500,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill, section 1, line 10, by striking out the words and figures "fifty thousand dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "ten thousand dollars" per annum.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill in section 1, lines 18 and 19 by striking out the words and figures "\$100,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$82,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the printed bill in section 1, line 21, by striking out the words and figures "\$35,950" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$17,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the printed bill in section 1, lines 22 and 23 by striking out the words and figures "\$8,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$2,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the words and figures "\$5,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$2,500.00" in section 1, lines 24 and 25.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend the printed bill, in section 1, line 28, by striking out the words and figures, "\$35,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures, "\$27,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the lines 31, 32 and 33 of section 1."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 34 and 35 the words and figures "\$25,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$16,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend the printed bill by striking out lines 36 and 37 in section 1.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend the printed bill section 1, lines 40 and 41, by striking out the words and figures "\$75,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$55,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend the printed bill by striking out lines 42, 43, 44 and 45, in section 1.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend the printed bill in section 2, line 9 by striking out the words and figures "\$10,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$4,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 187, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 187, a bill for "An Act to establish a surgical institution for children, and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 187, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill in section 1, line 4, by striking out the words and figures "14 years" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "16 years."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill in section 5, line 1, by striking out the figures "14" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "16."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bili No. 38 in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 38, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) for the construction and erection of a monument in Sherman Park in the city of Chicago in honor of the memory of the late John P. Altgeld."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 38, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in the title of the bill, and wherever it may appear the words and figures "\$25,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$7,500.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 668 in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 668, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7,500.00), for the construction and erection of a monument in the city of Jacksonville in honor of the memory of the late Richard Yates, Ex-Governor and Ex-United States Senator, of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clark called up House Bill No. 371, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 371, a bill for "An Act to enable courts of law, to grant relief against fraud."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up House Bill No. 601, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 601, a bill for "An Act to define trusts and conspiracies against trade, declaring contracts in violation of this Act void, making certain Acts in violation thereof felonies and prescribing the punishment therefor, and matters connected therewith."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up House Bill No. 507, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 507, a bill for "An Act to enforce publicity in the operation and business conduct of life insurance companies."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson called up House Bill No. 92, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 92, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to reconvey.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, the special order on House Bill No. 615 set for this day was postponed until tomorrow.

By unanimous consent, Mr. G. H. Wilson offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 55.

WHEREAS, Colonel Asa C. Matthews, late of Pittsfield, Illinois, has, since the last session of the General Assembly, paid the final debt to nature and has been gathered to his fathers; and

WHEREAS, Colonel Matthews was graduated from Illinois College at Jacksonville, was admitted to the bar in 1857, enlisted in the Civil war in 1862 as Captain of Company C of the 99th Illinois Infantry and was mustered out of service as its Colonel, negotiated in 1865 a treaty of peace with the Chickasaw Indians, was Collector of Internal Revenue for six years, for a number of years was Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the States of Illinois, Wisconsin, and Michigan, was appointed by Governor Hamilton one of the judges of the circuit court for the unexpired term of Honorable Chauncy L. Highbee, deceased, was first comptroller of the United States treasury under President Harrison, was departmental commander of the Grand Army of the Republic the year preceding his death, and at the time of his death was one of the trustees of the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy and a candidate for the Republican nomination for Lieutenant Governor of Illinois with excellent prospects of success; and

WHEREAS, Colonel Matthews, among his other distinguished public services was three times a member of this House and was Speaker of this House during the Thirty-sixth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Colonel Matthews was a loving and exemplary husband and father, adorned and magnified every position of trust and honor which he attained and performed all of the duties of private and public life which came to him with singular fidelity, untiring industry and marked ability; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, in regular session assembled, That we express our deep sense of the irreparable loss of the public in the death of Colonel Matthews and our sincere sympathy for his family; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of this House, that an engrossed copy be sent to the family of the deceased, and that as a mark of respect to his memory this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith, at the hour of 7:05 o'clock p. m. the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, MAY 14, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Tippit presented a petition relating to House Bills numbered 535 and 598, which were referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Mr. Kerrick presented several petitions, one relating to the removal of the Illinois State Fair from Springfield to Peoria, which was referred to the Committee on State and County Fairs, one relating to House Bill No. 1, which was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, one relating to Senate Bill No. 388, which was referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations and one relating to House Bill No. 194, and Senate Bill No. 313, which was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 151, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the hospital for the insane at Dunning, as provided in the seventh section of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane.'"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and by unanimous consent the bill was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following Committee Bill, House Bill No. 723, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named,"

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following Committee Bill, House Bill No. 724, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named,"

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following Committee Bill, House Bill No. 725, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for one colony for insane epileptics,"

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 36, being a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877, so as to allow persons other than members to be appointed treasurer."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 575, being a bill for "An Act authorizing the Governor to appoint a State Forestry Board and State Forester, and for the purchase of a white pine forest tract in Ogle county, to be known as "the Ogle county white pine forest reserve, and appropriating moneys therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 432, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 432, a bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 432, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 432 by striking out the figures "\$20,000." in section 1; line 5, and inserting therefor the figures "\$3,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 666, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 666, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon

the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 634, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 634, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Department of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erickson,	Jewell,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Etherton,	Keck,	Montellus,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Black,	Flagg,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gray,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Griffin,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Hilton,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Hruby,	Liggett,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hull,	Logan,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Donahue,	Huston,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Yeas—83.
Erby,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Schumacher,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 126, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 126, a bill for "An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 78.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Keck,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Fahy,	King,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Black,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Murray,	Terrill,
Browne,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Glade,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Grav,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Clark,	Hruby,	Liggett,	Riley,	York,
Cliffe,	Hull,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Donahue,	Jewell,	McMackin,		Yeas—78.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 68, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 68, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 80.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erickson,	King,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Morris,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Black,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Parker,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Glade,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.,
Carter,	Holaday,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Hruby,	Lyon,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Huston,	McMackin,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Hutzler,	Keck,	Scanlan,	Yeas—80
Donahue,	Jewell,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Nays—0
Erby,	Kerrick,			

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate hereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 23, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 23, a bill for "An Act to provide for the vaccination of children, the vaccination and re-vaccination of all inhabitants of towns or cities, the vaccination of the inmates of almshouses, reform or industrial schools, hospitals, prisons, jails or houses of correction or any institution which is supported or aided by the State, and for the exclusion of unvaccinated children from the public schools."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 588, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 588, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 237, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 237, a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 239, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 239, a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, sub-normal, convalescent and incipient invalid children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 240, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 240, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889; as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 701, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 701, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved May 21, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, as heretofore amended."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan called up House Bill No. 697, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 697, a bill for "An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant State's attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. A. Shephard called up House Bill No. 713, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 713, a bill for "An Act relating to the conduct of hotels, inns and public lodging houses."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull called up House Bill No. 709, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 709, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Alschuler called up House Bill No. 706, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 706, a bill for "An Act requiring common carriers of freight to provide and maintain side tracks and connections for shippers and receivers of freight."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe called up House Bill No. 670, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 670, a bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erby called up House Bill No. 439, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 439, a bill for "An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak called up House Bill No. 55, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 55, a bill for "An Act to provide for the publication of taxes levied on real property."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs.
Gibson, Hay,

And there were two members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Brownback,	Galligan,	Kittelman,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Stearns,
Carter,	Glade,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Curran,	Hruby,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Donahue,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wright,
Erickson,	Jewell,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	York,
Fahy,	Keck,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Flagg,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Shananan,	Mr. Speaker,

And there were fifty-five members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were fifty-seven members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

Th Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly. then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Hay—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Mr. Gibson—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	17 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	4 votes
J. J. Reynolds received	1 vote
Charles B. Mundy received	14 votes
John P. Hopkins received	1 vote
James A. Long received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Carter,	Hutzler,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wright,
Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Scanlan,	York,
Gray,	Kerrick,			—17.

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Kowalski,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.	—3.
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2.
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Curran,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Flannigen,	Lane,	Schumacher,	Smejkal,	Lederer,
Glade,				

—11.

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Donahue,	Richardson,	Wheelan,	Wilson, F. J.
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—4.

Those voting for Mr. J. J. Reynolds are: Mr. Galligan—1.

Those voting for Charles B. Mundy are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shephard, H. A.
Browne,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin,	Murray,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Morris,	Poulton.	

—14.

Those voting for John P. Hopkins are: Mr. Hruby—1.

Those voting for James A. Long are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-seventh joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 57, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of	18 votes
George Edmund Foss received	3 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	11 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	5 votes
J. J. Reynolds received	1 vote
Charles B. Mundy received	14 votes
John P. Hopkins received	1 vote
James A. Long received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. F. J. Wilson asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 597.

Pending which Mr. Kirkpatrick, at the hour of 12:20 o'clock, p. m. moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion was lost.

And the House refused to adjourn.

Unanimous consent being granted, House Bill No. 597, a bill for "An Act to amend section 44 of 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wright called up House Bill No. 95, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 95, a bill for "An Act to allow the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home to sell lots two and three in block thirty-seven in Cassiday's addition to the city of Joliet, Will county, Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 281, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 281, a bill for "An Act for the regulation of pawnbrokers, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Poulton asked unanimous consent to recall House Bill No. 618, to second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Unanimous consent being granted, House Bill No. 618, was again placed in the order of House Bills on Second Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue called up House Bill No. 650, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 650, a bill for "An Act to provide for a record to be kept of all real property conveyances in the office of the county clerk of each county for the purpose of taxation."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of House Bill No. 650 by inserting after the word "county" the following: "of less than 300,000 inhabitants."

Mr. Cliffe moved to lay amendment No. 1 upon the table,

And the motion was lost,

The question recurring on the adoption of amendment No. 1, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 650 as printed by inserting after the word "of" in section 1, line 3 the following: "less than 300,000 inhabitants."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 650 as printed by inserting in section 2, line 2, after the word "counties" the following: "of less than 300,000 inhabitants."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 650 as printed in section 4, line 2, by striking out the word "estimate" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "instrument."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up House Bill No. 507, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 507, a bill for "An Act to enforce publicity in the operation and business conduct of life insurance companies."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up Senate Bill No. 305, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 305, a bill for "An Act to provide for judges of circuit courts and judges of the superior court of Cook county holding court in the several circuits of the State and Cook county by order of the Supreme Court or any judge thereof."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Browne moved to strike out the enacting clause.

And on that motion, by unanimous consent, further consideration was postponed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up Senate Bill No. 332, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 332, a bill for "An Act to authorize corporations organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to provide a funeral benefit for their members."

Was taken up, read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Insurance offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Add to the title the following: "and to authorize life insurance companies organized in this State to transact the business of accident and health insurance."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Add as section 2 the following: "Life insurance companies now organized under the laws of this State or that may be organized hereafter under the laws of this State, having power to make insurance upon the lives of persons and every insurance pertaining thereto or connected therewith, and to grant or dispose of annuities, may issue policies insuring persons against loss of life or personal injury resulting from any cause and against loss of time resulting from disease, and include in such policies two or more of said kinds of insurance, and which policies shall state the agreement with the persons receiving the same."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Add as section 3 the following: "All Acts or arts of Acts inconsistent with this Act hereby are repealed."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Renumber section 2 and make it section 4, and renumber section 3 and make it section 5.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 531, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 531, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to fencing and operating railroads,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McLaughlin called up House Bill No. 458, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 458, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies, and agricultural fairs, and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson called up House Bill No. 92, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 92, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to reconvey.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 92, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 1 of said bill by adding thereto, after the word "thereof" on line 12, the following:

The amount of such tender may be based upon an estimate prepared by the county clerk.

In preparing such estimate, the county clerk shall include, in addition to the amount of moneys herein provided for, the following fees to the tax title holder:

For preparing the affidavit of compliance with law \$1.00;

For service of the notices provided by law, which must be served by holders of certificates of sale, to occupants, owners or parties interested in real estate sold for taxes, the sum of not to exceed \$3.00 for each lot, block, tract or piece of land, as listed, assessed and sold in one description;

For recording the tax deed, the actual cost of same, as ascertained from the recorder of deeds.

The county clerk shall be entitled to a fee of \$1.00 for preparing the estimate herein provided, and such estimate of the county clerk shall be *prima facie* evidence in all courts of the amount due said tax title holder.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 3 by adding thereto: "Whenever the tax purchaser makes application to withdraw moneys deposited with the county treasurer, he shall deliver to the county treasurer a reconveyance of said tax title to the owner who made said deposit."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 667.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 and section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections three (3), seven (7), eight (8), and ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), six (6), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11) and sixteen (16) and the title of 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 616.

A bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to corporations engaged in furnishing suretyship on bonds and their agents; to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon and to prevent discrimination therein, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purposes specified in this Act.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 481.

A bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize mining or manufacturing companies to own and hold shares of the capital stock, and to own and hold securities of railroad companies whose roads shall connect the different plants of such mining or manufacturing companies with each other, or with other railroads or harbors,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 667, 616 and 481, were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 539, being a bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an Act therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. G. H. Wilson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 56.

WHEREAS, It has pleased God to remove the Honorable Augustus Dow, late of Pittsfield, Illinois, in the fullness of his powers from the scene of his earthly activities to the enlarged sphere of being in the life everlasting; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dow, during his fifty years and more of life in this commonwealth, by his unflinching courtesy to others had endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact, by his strict integrity had come to be regarded as the soul of honor, and by his marked ability and public spirit had become a leader in the business and public life of Western Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dow served as a member of this House in the Thirty-eighth General Assembly with honor to himself and to the great advantage of his constituency; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we deeply deplore his death and tender our sincere sympathy to his surviving wife and son; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of this House, that an engrossed copy be sent to his family and that as a mark of respect to his memory this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 1:00 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned until Monday, May 17, at 5:00 o'clock, p. m.

MONDAY, MAY 17, 1909, 5:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Friday, May 14 was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Wm. Murphy, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 61.

A bill for "An Act to insure greater safety to the lives of the traveling public and limiting the hours of service of the employes of railroads in the State of Illinois and providing a penalty for a violation of this Act.

Passed by the Senate May 12, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 61, was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 151, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 151, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the hospital for the insane at Dunning, as provided in the seventh section of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane.'"

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 151, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 151 by striking out in line 5, section 1 of the printed bill, the figures "\$385,740.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$335,000.00." In line 6, strike out the figures "\$375,740.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$325,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Chipfield offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 28.

WHEREAS, It appears that the city of Chicago did, on February 4, 1909, at a public hearing before Major Thomas H. Rees, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, to consider plans of the Chicago Dock and Canal Company for the construction of piers extending into Lake Michigan, immediately north of the mouth of the Chicago river, by its duly authorized officers ask the Secretary of War, to hold in abeyance the granting of his permit until the city of Chicago was able to determine its policy in regard to its harbor, and that Major Rees representing the Federal government and acting for it publicly stated, "He would recommend to the War Department that their action be delayed until the Harbor Commission had rendered its report and the city was ready to consider it"; and

WHEREAS, It also appears that Robert Shaw Oliver, acting Secretary of War did on the 28th day of February, 1909, issue a permit to the said Chicago Dock & Canal Company to erect piers in the submerged lands of Lake Michigan at the mouth of the Chicago river, as per the plans shown at said hearing; and also before the Harbor Commission had made its report to the city of Chicago, and also before the city of Chicago had determined its policy in reference to its harbors;

WHEREAS, Also it further appears that the said Chicago Dock & Canal Company in its said application absolutely ignored the State of Illinois and gave no notice to her of its intention to extend its piers into the waters of Lake Michigan. That it bases its present application under a charter issued to it by a private Act passed in 1857, fifty-two years ago; and

WHEREAS, It appears from an examination of the Act that the present claims of said company are unfounded and this State never passed or parted with the fee of the made land now in possession of it, but this State simply granted it a mere license or permission to use the waters of Lake Michigan and the submerged lands at her option and said company has for a period of 42 years made no effort to extend its piers further out into the waters of Lake Michigan; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That all privileges, rights, and easements used of water and land, as well also all rights of property, real, personal and mixed, that can or may be asserted by said company to the waters of Lake Michigan or to the soil under the same, whether it be to the present made land or easements in the same be and the same are hereby declared to be the property of the State of Illinois, and any license, privilege, easement, claim or franchise now outstanding in said company to the waters and lands of Lake Michigan under or by virtue of its charter under the Act of 1857 creating it are each and all hereby declared forfeited, revoked and annulled; and it is further hereby declared that said company shall, hereafter, possess no further rights, or easements, not enjoyed by the public, in and to the lands and waters of Lake Michigan.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 723, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 723, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 724, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 724, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 725, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 725, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for one colony for insane epileptics."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 725, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 725 by striking out the figures "\$35,000" in the item for tunnel connections and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 68, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 68, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee-Keepers' Association."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 371, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 371, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the purchase of real estate adjacent and contiguous to the homestead of Abraham Lincoln, and providing for the improvement, care and custody of the same by the Lincoln Homestead trustees."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Glade called up Senate Bill No. 442, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 442, a bill for "An Act amending section 39 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent fraud in the sale of dairy products, their imitation or substitutes, to prohibit and prevent the manufacture and sale of unhealthful, adulterated or misbranded foods, liquors or dairy products, to provide for the appointment of a State Food Commissioner and his assistants, to define their powers and duties, and to repeal all Acts relating to the production, manufacture and sale of dairy and food products and liquors in conflict therewith,' approved May 14, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 588, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 588, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Education offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 588, section 1, in line 3 of the printed bill by striking out the Roman numerals "IV" and insert in lieu thereof the Roman numerals "VI." Also in line 6 of said section 1, strike out the word "nineteen" and insert the word "twenty."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 588 in section 18 of the printed bill by striking out of said section all after the word "compensation" in line 27.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 588 in section 35 of the printed bill by inserting in line 35 between the words "made" and "only" the words "by the Board of Education."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 588 in section 38 of the printed bill by striking out of line 165 after the word "acquire" the words "anywhere within the county in which said city is situated."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend House Bill No. 588 in section 45 of the printed bill by inserting in line 201 after the word "prescribe" the words "pertaining to the educational department." Also in line 205 strike out the words "two-thirds" and insert in lieu thereof the words "a majority" also in line 208 strike out the words "two-thirds" and insert in lieu thereof the word "majority."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend House Bill No. 588 by inserting a new section to be known as section 45a to read as follows:

Section 45a. The business manager shall have general charge and control, subject to the approval of the board of education, of all purchases, the making of contracts and leases, the condemnation of sites, the erection, construction, alteration and repair of school buildings, and all other matters not coming under the control of the educational department.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend House Bill No. 588 by adding at the end of section 47 of the printed bill, the following: "But the board need not retain in service more teachers and principals than in its judgment the needs of the schools require."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend House Bill No. 588 in section 23 by striking out of line 75 of the printed bill the words "four years" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one year."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 237, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 237, a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Education offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 237, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of House Bill No. 237 by striking out the figures "100,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 237 in section 1 by striking out the figures "100,000" in line 3 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "10,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 237 by striking out of lines 2 and 3 of the printed bill the words "anywhere within the counties in which said cities are situated."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 237 by striking out in section 6 of the printed bill beginning with the word "the" in line 4 all following down to and including the word "accounts" in line 7. Also by adding in line 8 after the word "pupil" the words "for each school year ending in June." Also by adding after the word "education" in line 11 of the printed bill the words "to the Auditor of Public Accounts on or before the third Monday in August of each year." Also by adding in line 12, after the word "shall" the words "thereupon issue his warrant payable to the board of education of such city out of any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated for." Also by striking out all of line 12 beginning with the word "on" and all of line 13 and all of line 14 up to and including the word "established." Also by striking out all of the balance of said section 6 after the word "counties" in line 15 thereof.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 701, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 701, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved May 21, 1889, and in force July 1, 1889, as heretofore amended."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 239, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 239, a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, sub-normal, convalescent and incipient invalid children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Education offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 239, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of House Bill No. 239 by striking out the figures "100,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 239 in line 3 of section 1 of the printed bill, by striking out the figures "100,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000." Also in line 6 of section 1 after the word "blind" insert the word "truant."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 239 in section 3 of the printed bill by striking out the words "anywhere within the counties in which said cities are situated," in lines 2 and 3 of the printed bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 239 in section 6 of the printed bill by striking out beginning with the word "the" at the beginning of line 4 of the printed bill, all the words down to and including the word "accounts" in line 7. Also by adding in line 8 after the word "pupil" the words "for each school year ending in June." Also by adding in line 11 after the word "education" the words "to the Auditor of Public Accounts on or before the third Monday in August of each year." Also by adding in line 12 the word "shall" the words "thereupon issue his warrant payable to the board of education of such city out of any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated

for." Also by striking out all of line 12 beginning with the word "on" and all of line 13 and all of line 14 up to and including the word "established." Also by striking out all of said section 6 all after the word "counties" in line 15 therefor.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the title of House Bill No. 239 by inserting in line 3 after the word "blind" the word "truant."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend House Bill No. 239 by inserting in section 8 of the printed bill, the word "truant" in line 2 after the word "blind."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 240, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 240, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Pending discussion, by unanimous consent, further consideration was postponed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 23, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 23, a bill for "An Act to provide for the vaccination of children, the vaccination and re-vaccination of all inhabitants of towns or cities, the vaccination of the inmates of almshouses, reform or industrial schools hospitals, prisons, jails or houses of correction or any institution which is supported or aided by the State, and for the exclusion of unvaccinated children from the public schools."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Education offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 23, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 3 of House Bill No. 23 by adding thereto the following: "Provided, that this Act shall not apply where a person shall make a written statement under oath, or being a minor shall present a verified certificate of his or her parent or guardian, that such person, or his or her parent or guardian, has conscientious scruples against the act of vaccination; and, be it further provided, that the vaccine used for free vaccination shall have been tested for purity and potency and found to be potent and free from pathogenic germs in the laboratories of the Illinois State University or the Laboratories of the State Board of Health or any municipal laboratory in the State of Illinois and that the container of the vaccine shall have the stamp of the laboratory thereon as proof that the vaccine is free from impurities and is potent. No other proof of purity and potency shall be required."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 654, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 654, a bill for "An Act authorizing the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the building laws of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 79, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 79, a bill for "An Act to provide for an increase of the number of judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook, and to designate the date of their election."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 79, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 79 by striking out the words "twenty-two" in line 7, section 1 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eighteen."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 79 by striking out the word "eight" in line 3, section 2 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading,

Senate Bill No. 387, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies, approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 27, a bill for "An Act to appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for the purchase of portrait of Patrick Henry."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 389, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures, and to repeal a certain Act therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 390, a bill for "An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 407, a bill for "An Act to regulate the manufacture, handling and storage of dangerous explosives."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Senate Bill No. 113, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of fish in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 121, a bill for "An Act to provide for the inspection and licensing of all slaughtering, meat packing or rendering plant or plants or similar establishments in which cattle, sheep, swine or poultry are slaughtered to be done under and by authority of the Board of Live Stock Commissioners of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Senate Bill No. 175, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to fire insurance.'"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 196, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

Senate Bill No. 261, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a State Board of Pardons and to regulate the manner of applying for pardons and commutations,' approved June 5, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 266, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 272, a bill for "An Act in relation to the adoption, use and price of public school text books in the free public schools of this State."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 280, a bill for "An Act to regulate the public service of stallions in Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 359, a bill for "An Act concerning sinking funds."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 368, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' as approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Senate Bill No. 377, a bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of park commissioners under certain conditions and prescribing their duties."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Senate Bill No. 433, a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation, for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and authorizing the suspension of final judgment and the imposition of sentence upon persons found guilty of certain defined crimes and offenses, and legalizing their ultimate discharge without punishment."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 479, a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes, and religious societies."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported the following Committee Bill, House Bill No. 726, being a bill for "An Act to define personal property brokers and regulate their charges and business."

And recommended that it do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Glade called up House Bill No. 539, in the order of first reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 539, a bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor and to repeal an Act therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

At the hour of 6:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned

TUESDAY, MAY 18, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable Mr. John Huston.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. DeWolf the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Chipfield presented two petitions relating to House Bill No. 615 which were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield introduced a bill, House Bill No. 727, a bill for "An Act to repeal, set aside, cancel, determine and annul all of the rights, privileges, franchises and easements of 'The Chicago Dock and Canal Company' as conferred upon it by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled, 'An Act to incorporate a company for the improvement by canals and harbors of the east part of Kenzie's addition to the city of Chicago,' approved February 12, 1857."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time, and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz introduced a bill, House Bill No. 728, a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the DesPlaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Waterways.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter introduced a bill, House Bill No. 729, a bill for "An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24th, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1st, 1899."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 429.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification."

HOUSE BILL No. 432.

A bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

HOUSE BILL No. 704.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for salaries of the officers of the State Government."

HOUSE BILL No. 699.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee authorized to be appointed under Joint Resolution No. 20, adopted by the House April 14, 1909, and concurred in by the Senate, with amendments, May 5, 1909, and finally approved by the House May 7, 1909, to investigate into the reliability, efficiency and necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois, and for other purposes and making an appropriation of \$10,000 therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 666.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903,' and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith. Filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 115.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 187.

A bill for "An Act to establish a surgical institution for children, and making an appropriation therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 38.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for the construction and erection of a monument in Sherman Park in the city of Chicago, in honor of the memory of the late John P. Altgeld."

HOUSE BILL No. 128.

A bill for "An Act making appropriation for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 725.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for one colony for insane epileptics."

HOUSE BILL No. 669.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 724.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named."

HOUSE BILL No. 151.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the ordinary and other expenses of the hospital for the insane at Dunning, as provided in the seventh section of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 566.

A bill for "An Act requiring that boots and shoes made in certain parts of substitutes for leather, and boots and shoes made by 'convict or prison labor' to be stamped and providing a penalty for failure to so stamp."

HOUSE BILL No. 706.

A bill for "An Act requiring common carriers of freight to provide and maintain side-tracks and connections for shippers and receivers of freight."

HOUSE BILL No. 529.

A bill for "An Act relating to fire insurance, and to provide for the regulation and control of rates of premium thereon and to prevent discrimination therein."

HOUSE BILL No. 426.

A bill for "An Act granting the right of eminent domain to electric light and distributing companies."

HOUSE BILL No. 275.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article XV of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874."

HOUSE BILL No. 528.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the deposit of reserve and the registration of policies and annuity bonds by life insurance companies of this State,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 461.

A bill for "An Act amending section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the use of clock, tape, slot or other machines or devices for gambling purposes,' approved and in force June 21, 1895."

HOUSE BILL No. 67.

A bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety and health of employes and passengers upon street and interurban railroads, and specifying certain equipment for same, with penalty attached for violation of the provisions thereof.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 697.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant State's attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 723.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

HOUSE BILL No. 430.

A bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

HOUSE BILL No. 659.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means, of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 142.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 429, 432, 704, 699, 666, 115, 187, 38, 128, 725, 669, 724, 151, 566, 706, 529, 426, 275, 528, 461, 67, 697, 723, 430, 659 and 142 were placed in the order of House Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker recalled Senate Bill No. 415 from the Committee on History, Geology and Science and re-referred it to the Committee on Executive Department.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 124 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 124, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Morris,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Blair,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Espy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Forst,	Lane,	Parker,	Tippit,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wardell,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Poulton,	White,
Cermak,	Glade,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chilperfield,	Gorman,	Logan,	Richter,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf,
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Yeas—109.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 125 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 125, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guards and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Mills,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	Morris,	Shepaerd, F. W.
Aischuler,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Beck,	English,	Jewell,	Murray,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kannally,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fahy,	King,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lane,	Piereson,	White,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Bush,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wright,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Riley,	Zipf,
Carter,	Glade,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Chiperfield,	Grace,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	
Clark,	Griffin,	McMackin,	Scott,	
Curran,	Groves, J.	McNichols,	Shanahan,	

Yeas—110

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 127 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 127, a bill for "An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Horner,	McNichols,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Mills,	Scott,
Allison,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Aischuler,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepaerd, F. W.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Walsh,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Piereson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Poulton,	York,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Logan,	Price,	Zipf,
Church,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Richardson,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Richter,	
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Riley,	
Curran,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Robinson,	
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—111

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 405, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 405, a bill for "An Act appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an Act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890," entitled: "An Act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," established under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862, and the money granted by an Act of Congress approved March 4, 1907, entitled, "An Act making appropriations for the department of agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hope,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Allison,	Daley,	Hull,	McNichols,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Huston,	Mills,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hutzler,	Montellius,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Black,	English,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Erickson,	King,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Busb,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Pervler,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Glade,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Link,	Price,	York,
Chamberfield,	Grace,	Lyon,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Church,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Riley,	
Cliffe,	Hamilton,			

Yeas—106

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 190, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 190, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murray, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	King,	Nelson,	Sollitt,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Stearns,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Terrill,
Busn,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Tippitt,
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Werdeil,
Carter,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Price,	White,
Chinerfield,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Robinson,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Hope,	McNichols,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Dillon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Schumacher,	
Donahue,	Hull,	Montellus,	Scott,	

Yeas—109.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 115, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 115, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	English,	Ireland,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Murray, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Espy,	King,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Tippitt,
Browne,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Parker,	Werdeil,
Busn,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Chinerfield,	Grace,	Logan,	Robinson,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scott,	
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,		

Yeas—113.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 128, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 128, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shaw,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montellus,	Shepard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Shepard, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erbv,	Hutzler,	Murray, Wm.	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Espy,	Jewell,	Myers,	Stearns,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Burns,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Walsh,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wardell,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	White,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Gorman,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Riley,	York,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	

Yeas—109

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 704, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 704, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for salaries of the officers of the State government."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shepard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shepard, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Judgeon,	Hull,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montellus,	Sollitt,
Blair,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brady,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Wardell,
Butts,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	White,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Riley,	Wright,
Church,	Glade,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Clark,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,

Yeas—110

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 187, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 187, a bill for "An Act to establish a surgical institution for children, and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109; nays 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hull,	McNichols,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Huston,	Mills,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	Morris,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	English,	Kerrick,	Murray, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	King,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Espy,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Browne,	Forst,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Parker,	Walsh,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wardell,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Glade,	Logan,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Luke,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Grace,	Lyon,	Price,	Wright,
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Richardson,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Yeas—109

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Riley,

Nays—1

This bill having been received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 699, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 699, a bill for "An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee authorized to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 20, adopted by the House April 14, 1909, and concurred in by the Senate with amendments May 5, 1909, and finally approved by the House May 7, 1909, to investigate into the reliability, efficiency and necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois and for other purposes and making an appropriation of \$10,000.00 therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 103; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hull,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Huston,	McMackin,	Scott,
Alschuler,	English,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Blair,	Fleldstack,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Brady,	Flagg,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Busa,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Butts,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Parker,	Wardell,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lantz,	Perkins,	White,
Church,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Grace,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Price,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	Luke,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
DeWolf,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Robinson,	
Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Yeas—103

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Brownback,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 524, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 524, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for procuring documents, papers and materials and publications relating to the northwest and the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 117.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	English,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Jewell,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Flannigen,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Browne,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Wardell,
Busa,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Glade,	Lantz,	Perkins,	White,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Grace,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Link,	Price,	Wright,
Church,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Richardson,	York,
Clark,	Holaday,	Luke,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hope,	Maclean,	Robinson,	
DeWolf,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	
Dillon,	Hull,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Yeas—117

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Clark,				

And there were fifty-one members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scott,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murray, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Browne,	Finley,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wardell,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Busb,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Parker,	White,
Butts,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wright,
Church,	Glade,	Liggett,	Richardson,	York,
Clark,	Gorman,	Link,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Logan,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Luke,	Robinson,	
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	

And there were 137 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 188 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call, by unanimous consent, the following pair was announced:

Mr. Corcoran (present but not voting) with Mr. Reynolds.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	28 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
William Lorimer received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes
Carter H. Harrison received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Pemberton,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Barr,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	
Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	—28

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
				—5

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,			—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for William Lorimer are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Holstlaw,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Isley,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			—12

Those voting for Carter H. Harrison are: Mr. Jandus—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	41 votes
George Edmund Foss received	11 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	16 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
Peter A. Wendling received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	22 votes
Carter H. Harrison received	29 votes
George A. McGowan received	1 vote
A. J. Cermak received	1 vote
J. Hamilton Lewis received	1 vote
George E. Brennan received	1 vote
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Ireland,	Logan,	Robinson,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Brady,	Fulton,	Keck,	McMackin,	Shepaerd, F. W.
Burgett,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Montellus,	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Holaday,	King,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Durfee,				—41

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack.	Maclean,	Pierson,	Stearns,
Butts,	Hull,	Mills,	Price,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,				—11

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	Sollitt,	—3
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Busn,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Crawford,				—16

Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for Peter A. Wendling are: Mr. Kowalski—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	English,	Kannally,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Espy,	Lantz,	Richardson.	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Etherton,	Luke,	Riley,	
Dillon,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	
Donahue,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Pippit,	—22

Those voting for Carter H. Harrison are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Murray, Wm.	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Fahy,	Hilton,	Murray,	Werdell,
Beckmeyer,	Forst,	Link,	Myers,	White,
Briscoe,	Foster,	McGuire,	O'Neil,	Wilson, R. E.
Browne,	Gorman,	Morris,	Shaw,	—29

Those voting for George A. McGowan are: Mr. Galligan—1.

Those voting for A. J. Cermak are: Mr. Geshkewich—1.

Those voting for J. Hamilton Lewis are: Mr. Cermak—1.

Those voting for George E. Brennan are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the Eighty-Eighth Joint Ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 183, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	69 votes
George Edmund Foss received	16 votes
William E. Mason received	3 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	18 years
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	2 votes
William Lorimer received	1 vote
Peter A. Wendling received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	34 votes
Carter H. Harrison received	30 votes
George A. McGowan received	1 vote
A. J. Cermak received	1 vote
J. Hamilton Lewis received	1 vote
George E. Brennan received	1 vote
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:40 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 382, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 382, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts awarded by the court of claims to certain persons named therein."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 121.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepard, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Espy,	Keck,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	King,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Browne,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Price,	York,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Riley,	
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Robinson,	
Corcoran,	Hilton,	Macleam,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Yeas—121

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Parker, by unanimous consent, called up House Resolution No. 53 heretofore made a special order for this day and offered the following as a substitute therefor.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 29.

WHEREAS, The Sanitary District of Chicago is a creation by Act of the General Assembly of this State and is therefore subject at all times to its jurisdiction and control by reason thereof, a duty is thereupon imposed upon the

General Assembly to at all times keep a close surveillance over all the acts and administration of said Sanitary District of Chicago in order that the tax payers of said Sanitary District of Chicago shall be protected and informed as to the manner and method used in the expenditures of said Sanitary District and to the end that said tax payers in said Sanitary District shall know that their taxes are being expended in a judicious and economical manner and for the purposes as contemplated in the Act creating said Sanitary District of Chicago and for which such taxes were and are levied and collected; and

WHEREAS, The said Sanitary District of Chicago was conceived, created and organized for the purpose of a drainage and sanitary water-way, and that all taxes have been levied and collected in said Sanitary District for the purpose of carrying out such object and purpose; and

WHEREAS, It is alleged that the said Sanitary District of Chicago has practically abandoned such original purpose and object and has embarked into the economical business of developing water power and the generation of electrical current for distribution to private and quasi public consumers; and

WHEREAS, It is further alleged that enormous sums of the tax payers' moneys have been and are being expended annually in the promotion of said commercial enterprise to the end that the original purposes for which such taxes were collected have been abandoned and lost sight of to the great injury and loss to the tax payers of said Sanitary District and a large area of territory in said Sanitary District are without any relief or benefit therefrom, and no part of said taxes have been expended in the prosecution of the plans for the relief of said territory; and

WHEREAS, The time for the tax payers to be informed has arrived and the duty is imposed upon this General Assembly to ascertain whether these vast sums of money, thus collected from taxes have been expended lawfully, judiciously and economically and whether said Sanitary District has arrogated to itself powers not contemplated by the Act creating it; and

WHEREAS, Information is at hand to the effect that the trustees of the Sanitary District of Chicago, have refused, or neglected, to clear the channel between their lock and the upper basin of the Illinois and Michigan canal, at Joliet, and to remove the obstruction to navigation at present existing therein, although there do not appear to be any valid or sufficient reasons for such refusal, or neglect; and

WHEREAS, Such refusal, or neglect, if the same exists, is a cause of needless expense to the State of Illinois, and a serious detriment to the interests and well-being of the citizens of the State residing in and between the cities of Chicago and Joliet; and

WHEREAS, It has been alleged that the Sanitary District of Chicago, through its officers and agents, has failed, or refused, to carry out and perform certain and several contracts and covenants by it entered into and undertaken, much to the detriment of both public and private interests; and

WHEREAS, Information at present is that the Sanitary District of Chicago is disregarding the terms of the State law requiring the operation thereof and the flow through its channel for sewage dilution and that it has persistently violated such provisions to the detriment of the people of the State; and

WHEREAS, It is of the utmost importance to the State that the flow of water required to be sent down by the Sanitary District be maintained as a matter of protection for public health and to prevent contaminating by sewage and the spread of disease; and

WHEREAS, It is alleged that sales are being consummated by the Sanitary District of a great quantity of spoil bank stone in an irregular manner, and that said stone is worth a large sum of money, yet is stated as being sold for an insufficient consideration; and

WHEREAS, Reports are in circulation alleging serious irregularities in certain real estate and dockage transactions, to which the Sanitary District of Chicago was a part; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein: That in order to fully, carefully and promptly investigate the subject matter above referred to, that a joint committee of ten (10) be appointed, six (6) to be named by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and four (4) to

be named by the President of the Senate, to make a careful and complete investigation and report to the next General Assembly in regards to all the acts and doings of the said Sanitary District of Chicago, and to recommend such legislation as it may lawfully do. And for such purpose the said committee shall have power to subpoena and compel witnesses to attend and testify and to compel the production of all documents, exhibits and other evidence deemed necessary to obtain a correct understanding of all matters that may be under consideration, said committee to have power to administer oaths, and exercise all functions necessary to compel a compliance with this resolution and its objects.

Said committee shall have full power and authority to employ all necessary agents, attorneys, engineers, etc., to carry out its decree.

The said committee and the members thereof shall be entitled to their actual expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions hereof; and, be it further

Resolved, That the General Assembly proceed to make an appropriation for the purpose of carrying on such investigation.

Pending consideration, Mr. Browne moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Whereupon, Mr. Lederer moved to lay the motion of Mr. Browne upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Busb,	Flannigen,	McConnell,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Butts,	Galligan,	McGuire,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Church,	Gillespie,	McLaughlin,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Crawford,	Glade,	McMackin,	Tippit,
Black,	Curran,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Werdell,
Blair,	Daley,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Donahue,	Hruby,	O'Neil,	Zipf,
Brownback,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Parker,	
Burgett,	English,	Lantz,	Poulton,	
Burns,	Espy,	Lederer,	Price,	

Yeas—47

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erickson,	Huston,	Lyon,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Flagg,	Keck,	Mills,	Schumacher,
Beck,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Montellus,	Scott,
Brady,	Foster,	King,	Morris,	Shanahan,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray, Wm.	Shaw,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Carter,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Myers,	Stearns,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Lane,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	O'Brien,	White,
Corcoran,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Link,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Duffee,	Hope,	Logan,	Pierson,	York,
Erby,	Hull,	Luke,	Richter,	

Nays—69

And the motion was lost.

The question recurring on the motion of Mr. Browne, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

At the hour of 1:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 3:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 3:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Grace called up House Bill No. 176, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 176, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 105.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Riley,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Robinson,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Blair,	Durfee,	Hull,	McMackin,	Scott,
Bolin,	English,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Brady,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shaw,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Browne,	Finley,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
Burns,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Busa,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Butts,	Foster,	Kinz,	Myers,	Tippit,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Carter,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Church,	Glade,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Grace,	Link,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Gray,	Logan,	Price,	York,
Daley,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—105

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 24.

WHEREAS, There has been considerable question as to the jurisdiction over crimes and misdemeanors occurring on Lake Michigan, of the State of Illinois, as well as the other states bordering upon said Lake Michigan; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That the Governor of the State of Illinois is hereby authorized to appoint by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a commission consisting of three members to meet with a like commission representing the State of Wisconsin, Indiana and Michigan, or any of said states, for the purpose of considering and recommending to the legislatures of their several states the enactment of legislation, providing for the respective jurisdiction of said states, or any two or more of them, over crimes and misdemeanors and other offenses committed on Lake Michigan within the respective territorial limits of said states, or any two or more of them.

The members of said commission so appointed shall receive no compensation for their services but may be allowed their actual expenses incurred in carrying on the work of said commission, the same to be paid on vouchers approved by the Governor of this State, out of any funds available for said purpose.

Concurred in by the Senate May 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 25.

WHEREAS, The rivers and harbors bill passed by the Fifty-ninth Congress provided for the appointment by the Secretary of War of a special board "to examine the Mississippi river below Saint Louis and report to the Congress at the earliest date by which a thorough examination can be made upon the practicability and desirability of constructing and maintaining a navigable channel fourteen feet deep and of suitable width from Saint Louis to the mouth of the river;" and

WHEREAS, This special board has completed this report and forwarded it to the Chief of Engineers in Washington; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the information contained in this report shall be made public; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein: That the General Assembly of Illinois petition the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States of America to take such action as will cause the early publication of the report of the special board of engineers, recently transmitted to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. A., upon the improvement of the Mississippi river below Saint Louis and particularly between Saint Louis and Cairo; be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State forward this resolution and petition to the Honorable Joseph G. Cannon, Speaker of the National House of Representatives, and send a copy thereof to each member of Congress from this State.

Concurred in by the Senate May 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 26.

WHEREAS, Under and by virtue of House Joint Resolution No. 16, of the Forty-fifth General Assembly, adopted by the House of Representatives on March 12, 1907, and concurred in by the Senate March 20, 1907, the Governor has appointed a commission of nine members for the purpose of carefully considering the subject of occupational diseases; and

WHEREAS, Said joint resolution directed that said commission report to the Governor the draft of any desirable bill or bills designed to meet the purposes announced in said resolution for consideration and action by the Forty-sixth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Said Occupational Diseases Commission has submitted preliminary report from which it appears that said commission will not be able to finish its investigation, and submit its report at the present session of the Legislature; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein: That said Occupational Diseases Commission, so appointed by the Governor,

be and it is hereby perpetuated, and the time given said commission for its investigation is hereby extended until the next regular session of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, at which time it is directed to make its report.

Concurred in by the Senate May 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 28.

WHEREAS, It appears that the city of Chicago did, on February 4, 1909, at a public hearing before Major Thomas H. Rees, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, to consider plans of the Chicago Dock and Canal Company for the construction of piers extending into Lake Michigan, immediately north of the mouth of the Chicago river, by its duly authorized officers ask the Secretary of War, to hold in abeyance the granting of his permit until the city of Chicago was able to determine its policy in regard to its harbor, and that Major Rees, representing the Federal Government and acting for it publicly stated, "He would recommend to the War Department that their action be delayed until the harbor commission had rendered its report and the city was ready to consider it;" and

WHEREAS, It also appears that Robert Shaw Oliver, acting Secretary of War did on the 28th day of February, 1909, issue a permit to the said Chicago Dock and Canal Company to erect piers in the submerged lands of Lake Michigan at the mouth of the Chicago river, as per the plans shown at said hearing; and also before the Harbor Commission and made its report to the city of Chicago, and also before the city of Chicago had determined its policy in reference to its harbor; and

WHEREAS, Also, it further appears that the said Chicago Dock and Canal Company in its said application absolutely ignored the State of Illinois and gave no notice to her of its intention to extend its piers into the waters of Lake Michigan. That it bases its present application under a charter issued to it by a private Act passed in 1857, fifty-two years ago; and

WHEREAS, It appears from an examination of Act that the present claims of said company are unfounded and this State never passed or parted with the fee of the made land now in possession of it, but this State simply granted it a mere license or permission to use the waters of Lake Michigan and the submerged lands at her option and said company has for a period of 42 years made no effort to extend its piers further out into the waters of Lake Michigan; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That all privileges, rights and easements used of water and land, as well also all rights of property, real, personal and mixed, that can or may be asserted by said company to the waters of Lake Michigan or to the soil under the same, whether it be to the present made land or easements in the same be the same are hereby declared to be the property of the State of Illinois, and any license, privilege, easement, claim or franchise now outstanding in said company to the waters and lands of Lake Michigan under or by virtue of its charter under the Act of 1857 creating it are each and all hereby declared forfeited, revoked and annulled; and it is further hereby declared that said company shall, hereafter, possess no further rights, or easements, not enjoyed by the public, in and to the lands and waters of Lake Michigan.

Concurred in by the Senate May 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 465.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Passed by the Senate May 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 465 was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butts called up House Bill No. 30, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 30, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Huston,	McMackin,	Scott,
Abrahams,	English,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Foster,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Brady,	Gillespie,	Kittleman,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Bush,	Grace,	Lane,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Butts,	Gray,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Carter,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Chamberfield,	Hilton,	Link,	Pierson,	White,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Lozan,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Collenbeck,	Lyon,	Riley,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hope,	Maclean,	Robinson,	York,
DeWolf,	Hruby,	McColium,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Dillon,	Hull,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	

Yeas—94

This bill having been received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 724, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 724, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Foster,	Kannally,	Murray, Wm.	Terrill,
Black,	Fulton,	Keck,	Murray,	Troyer,
Brady,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Geshkewich,	King,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Busn,	Glade,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Whelan,
Butts,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Campbell,	Grace,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gray,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Link,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Riley,	
Daley,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Robinson,	

Yeas—103

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Price called up House Bill No. 667, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 667, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 and section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen, to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections three (3), seven (7), eight (8) and ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen, to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), six (6), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11) and sixteen (16), and the title of 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen, to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand in-

habitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Scott,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hull,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Allison,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Forst,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Foster,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stearns,
Beck,	Fulton,	Keck,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Blair,	Geshkewich,	King,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brady,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Glade,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Gorman,	Lane,	Parker,	Welborn,
Bush,	Grace,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdel,
Butts,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Pierson,	White,
Carter,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Hamilton,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Hilton,	Logan,	Riley,	Wright,
Church,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Robinson,	York,
Clark,	Hollenbeck,	Macleam,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Hope,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Yeas—109

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 723 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 723, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hope,	Montelius,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Morris,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murray,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Black,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Foster,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fulton,	King,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Troyer,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Bush,	Glade,	Lane,	Pierson,	Werdel,
Butts,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Price,	White,
Carter,	Gray,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
				Yeas—110

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 725 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 725, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for one colony for insane epileptics."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 119.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Scott,
Allison,	Crawford,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Donahue,	Huston,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	English,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Black,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Finley,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Foster,	King,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Glade,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wright,
Carter,	Gray,	Lederer,	Price,	York,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Ligett,	Rigney,	Zopf,
Chipherfield,	Hagan,	Link,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Robinson,	Yeas—119

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, by request, introduced a bill, House Bill No. 730, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 151 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 151, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the Hospital for the Insane at Dunning, as provided in the 7th section of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hope,	McMackin,	Scott,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hull,	Mills,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Huston,	Montellus,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Black,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stearns,
Blair,	Forst,	Keck,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Galligan,	King,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Browne,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Gorman,	Lane,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Bush,	Grace,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Butts,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Groves, J.	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Hagan,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Riley,	Wright,
Church,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Robinson,	York,
Clark,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf,

Yeas—120

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 38 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 38, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for the construction and erection of a monument in Sherman Park in the city of Chicago, in honor of the memory of the late John P. Altgeld."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hruby,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erby,	Huston,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Blair,	Etherton,	Ireland,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Browne,	Forst,	Lane,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lantz,	Price,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Richter,	White,
Bush,	Galligan,	Link,	Rigney,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Logan,	Riley,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	York,
Clark,	Grace,	McGuire,	Scott,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	McMackin,	Shaw,	Yeas—111
Crawford,	Hagan,			

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Hull,	Kerrick,	Montellus,	Perkins,
Holaday,	Keck,	Kirkpatrick,		

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 432 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 432, a bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Smekal,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Browne,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Rieney,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Robinson,	Wright,
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Scanlan,	York,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shaw,	Yeas—114

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 666 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 666, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94; nays, 17.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	English,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Scott,
Adkins,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Keck,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Black,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Butts,	Glade,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Gray,	Link,	Price,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Riley,	York,
Cliffe,	Hruby,	McGuire,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Donahue,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Durfee,	Huston,	Morris,	Schumacher,	Yeas—94

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Forst,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Gorman,	Hollenbeck,	Shephard, H. A.	Wright,
Crawford,	Groves, J.			Nays—17

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 276 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 276, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders Association."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 122.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Esoy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Keck,	Myers,	Tippit,
Brady,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Foster,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Glade,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.,
Butts,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wright,
Campbell,	Gray,	Lederer,	Richter,	York,
Carter,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker,
Chipperfield,	Hagan,	Link,	Robinson,	
Clark,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Scanlan,	
Cliffe,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scott,	Yeas—122

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Lawrence, from the Committee on Libraries, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 375, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the State Library,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding three new sections to be known as sections 10, 11 and 12."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 220, being a bill for "An Act to increase the compensation of town supervisors and assistant supervisors."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 223, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 40 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State, with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. ApMadoc, from the Committee on Fees and Salaries to which was referred House Bill No. 688, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Church, from the Committee on Municipal Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 209, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections fifty-seven (57) and fifty-eight (58) of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, in force as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907";

House Bill No. 380, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907";

House Bill No. 574, a bill for "An Act to amend sections sixteen (16) and seventeen (17) of 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, sub-

mitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held November 7, 1905, and adopted, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, adopted at election held September 17, 1907";

House Bill No. 605, a bill for "An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago and to repeal certain Acts therein named";

House Bill No. 606, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, and by adding thereto nineteen new sections to be known as sections 29a, 29b, 29, 50e; 56a, 59a, 63a, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79";

House Bill No. 613 a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907";

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 731, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 17, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 56, 57, 58, 61, 63 and 64 of an Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held November 7, 1905, and adopted as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, adopted at the election held September 17, 1907."

And recommended that the original bills, House Bills numbered 209, 380, 574, 605 and 606 and 613 do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bills, House Bills numbered 209, 380, 574, 605, 606 and 613 were ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 731, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 136, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 136, a bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station, and to make appropriations therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Hamilton offered the following amendment as a substitute for House Bill No. 136 and the committee amendments thereto.

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

SECTION 1. That it shall be the duty of the College of Agriculture to give thorough and reliable instruction in the economic production of crops; the treatment of the different soils of the State in such manner as to secure the largest returns from each and without impairing its fertility; the principles of breeding and management of live stock, including animal diseases and a thorough knowledge of the various breeds and market classes; the economic and sanitary production of dairy goods, and the best methods of meeting existing market demands and of extending and developing trade in the agricultural productions of the State. That it shall be the further

duty of said college to provide and maintain such live stock specimens, laboratories, apparatus and other material equipment, together with teachers of such experience and skill as shall make such instruction effective. That to carry out the provisions of this section there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of Fifty-eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$58,500) annually, for the years 1909 and 1910; *Provided*, that the disposition of the funds from time to time to carry out the intent of this Act shall be along lines agreed upon by the dean of the College of Agriculture and an advisory committee consisting of the president of the following State Agricultural organizations, to-wit: The Illinois Farmers' Institute, the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association, the Illinois State Horticultural society, the Illinois Corn Growers' Association, the Illinois State Dairymen's Association and the Illinois State Florists' Association.

SEC. 2. That it shall be the duty of the Agricultural Experiment Station to conduct investigations calculated to develop the beef, pork, mutton, wool and horse producing interests of the State, and especially to devise and conduct feeding experiments intended to determine the most successful combination of stock foods, particularly in Illinois grains and forage crops, and to discover the most economical and successful methods of maintaining animals and fitting them for the market; to investigate live stock conditions, both at home and abroad, in so far as they affect market values, and to publish the results of such experiments and investigations. That to carry out the provisions of this section there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) annually for the years 1909 and 1910; *Provided*, that the work undertaken and outlined in this section shall be carried out on lines to be agreed upon by the director of the Agricultural Experiment Station and an advisory committee of five, to be appointed by the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association.

SEC. 3. That it shall be the duty of the Agricultural Experiment Station to conduct experiments in the several sections of the State, in order to discover the best methods of producing corn, wheat, oats, clover and other farm crops on the different soils and under the various climatic conditions of the State, and for the purpose of improving the varieties grown for special purposes; and that, to carry out the provisions of this section, there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) annually for the years 1909 and 1910; *Provided*, that the work outlined in this section shall be carried out on lines to be agreed upon by the director of the Agricultural Experiment Station and an advisory committee of five, to be appointed as follows: Two by the Illinois Corn Growers' Association, one by the Illinois Seed Corn Breeders' Association and one by the Illinois Grain Dealers' Association and one by the Farmers' Grain Dealers' Association.

SEC. 4. That it shall be the duty of the Agricultural Experiment Station to make chemical and physical examination of the various soils of the State, in order to identify the several types and determine their character; to make and publish an accurate survey with colored maps, in order to establish the location, extent and boundaries of each; to ascertain by direct experiment in laboratory and field what crops and treatment are best suited to each; whether the present methods are tending to best results and whether to the preservation or reduction of fertility, and what rotations and treatments will be most effective in increasing and retaining the productive capacity of Illinois lands; and that, to carry out the provisions of this section, there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) annually for the years 1909 and 1910; *Provided*, that the work outlined in this section shall be carried out on lines to be agreed upon by the director of the Agricultural Experiment Station and an advisory committee of five, to be appointed by the Illinois Farmers' Institute.

SEC. 5. That it shall be the duty of the Agricultural Experiment Station to discover and demonstrate the best methods of orchard treatment, the culture and marketing of fruits and vegetables, and the most effective remedies for insect and fungous enemies to fruits and vegetables; to make a systematic study of plant breeding, and to develop, by means of crossing and selec-

tion, new and improved varieties of fruits and vegetables, and that, to carry out the provisions of this section there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, (\$15,000) annually for the years 1909 and 1910; *Provided*, that the work undertaken and outlined in this section shall be carried out on lines to be agreed upon by the director of the Agricultural Experiment Station and an advisory committee of five, to be appointed by the Illinois State Horticultural Society.

SEC. 6. That it shall be the duty of the Agricultural Experiment Station to investigate the dairy conditions of the State; to discover and demonstrate improved methods of producing and marketing wholesale milk and other dairy products, and to promote the dairy interests of the State by such field assistance in the dairy sections upon farms and in the creameries and factories as shall tend to better methods and more uniform products; and that to carry out the provisions of this section, there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) annually for the years 1909 and 1910; *Provided*, that the work undertaken and outlined in this section shall be carried out on lines to be agreed upon by the director of the Agricultural Experiment Station and an advisory committee of five, to be appointed by the Illinois State Dairymen's Association.

SEC. 7. That it shall be the duty of the Agricultural Experiment Station to discover and demonstrate the best methods of producing plants, cut flowers and vegetables under glass, and the most effective remedies for disease and insect enemies of the same, to investigate and demonstrate the best varieties and methods of producing ornamental trees, shrubs and plants suitable for public and private grounds in the various soils and climatic conditions of the State, and to disseminate information concerning the same; and that to carry out the provisions of this section, there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) annually for the years 1909 and 1910; *Provided*, that the work undertaken and outlined in this section shall be carried out on lines to be agreed upon by the director of the Agricultural Experiment Station and an advisory committee of five, to be appointed by the Illinois State Florists' Association.

SEC. 8. That the committees representing the several associations herein named shall meet at such times and places as may be designated by the dean of said college, or the director of the Agricultural Experiment Station, or upon the request of a majority of the committee; that they shall serve without compensation, except for expenses, to be paid out of the respective funds, and that said committee shall make to their respective associations, at their annual meetings, full reports of the work in progress under the provisions of this Act.

SEC. 9. That the Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for the sums herein appropriated, upon the order of the chairman of the board of trustees of the University of Illinois, countersigned by its secretary, and with the corporate seal of said university, and no installment subsequent to the first shall be paid by the treasurer, nor warrant drawn therefor, until detailed accounts, showing expenditures of the preceding installment, have been filed with the Auditor of Public Accounts; *Provided*, that no part of the funds herein appropriated except in section 1, shall be used for salaries of teachers; and, *Provided further*, that any revenue arising from the operations of the several sections of this Act shall revert to the respective funds from which obtained for further extension of the work outlined. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to take away from the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois the usual authority conferred by law over the expenditure of moneys appropriated to said university. The recommendations of the committee herein provided for shall be advisory, but the use of moneys herein appropriated shall rest in the discretion of said board for the purpose herein set forth, and said board shall account therefor.

Whereupon, Mr. Sollitt moved to lay the foregoing substitute on the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the negative.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the substitute offered by Mr. Hamilton, it was decided in the affirmative, and the substitute was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing substitute amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 717, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 717, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning suits at law for personal injuries and against cities, villages and towns,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 717, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 717, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning suits at law for personal injuries and against cities, villages and towns,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 722, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 722, a bill for "An Act to allow children of twelve years of age or over to take part and be employed in dramatic or theatrical performances or rehearsals for the same, to regulate the same and to provide for the punishment for violation of this Act."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Sollitt offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 722 as follows: Strike out the words and figures "12" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "16."

Mr. Lederer moved to lay the amendment offered by Mr. Sollitt upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative and amendment No. 1 was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the question then being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Logan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 732, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities,

towns and villages, under an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

Mr. Durfee moved to recall House Bill No. 297 to second reading for the purpose of amendment.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Durfee offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House printed bill No. 297 by striking out lines 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63 and 64 and insert the following: "for making transcript of taxable property for the assessors, one cent in counties of the first-class, and two cents in counties of the second class, for each tract of land or town lot, and for extending taxes, one cent in counties of the first class, and two cents in counties of the second class for extending each tax on each tract or lot, and each person's personal tax, to be paid by the authority for whose benefit the transcript is made and taxes extended, and it shall be the duty of the county clerk to certify to the county collector the amount due from each authority, and the collector, in his settlement with such authority, shall reserve such amount from the amount due and payable to him to such authority. The following fees shall be audited and allowed by the county board and paid from the county treasury."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment number 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd called up House Bill No. 686, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 686, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,' in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd called up House Bill No. 687, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 687, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing ground hogs,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wright called up House Bill No. 95, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 95, a bill for "An Act to allow the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home to sell lots two and three in block thirty-seven in Cassaday's addition to the city of Joliet, Will county, Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and Soldiers' Orphans' Home offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 95, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title to House Bill No. 95 by striking out all after the words "A bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "For an Act authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Soldier's Orphans' Home located at Normal, Illinois, to sell lots two (2), and three (3) in block thirty-seven (37) in Cassady's addition to the city of Joliet, Will County, Illinois."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendment, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Geshkewich called up House Bill No. 680, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 680, a bill for "An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles, auto cabs, taxicabs, or other horseless vehicles in and within the corporate limits of any incorporated city or village and providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Geshkewich called up House Bill No. 679, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 679, a bill for "An Act to regulate the gearing and speed of automobiles, auto cabs, taxicabs or other horseless vehicles."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Etherton called up House Bill No. 36, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 36, a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877, so as to allow persons other than members to be appointed treasurer."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. York called up House Bill No. 721, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 721, a bill for "An Act to amend section ninety-one (91) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull called up House Bill No. 709, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 709, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Etherton called up House Bill No. 81, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 81, a bill for "An Act to amend section four, as amended by Act filed May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, of an Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvement.'"

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 240, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 240, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up and having heretofore been read at large a second time on May 17th,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Timpit called up Senate Bill No. 174, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 174, a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 174, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 174 by inserting after the word "State" in line three (3) of the title the following: "that may have been heretofore or that shall hereafter be."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippit called up Senate Bill No. 173 in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 173, a bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this

State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons, and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

Was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Browne moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Pending discussion, by unanimous consent, the further consideration of the bill and the pending amendment was postponed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 531 in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 531, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to fencing and operating railroads,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Railroads offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 531 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 531 by inserting in line 20 of the printed bill after the word "cars" the word "or."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 531 by inserting in line twenty of the printed bill after the word "current" the words "upon the right-of-way."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 531 by striking out in line 20 of the printed bill after the word "current" the words "apparatus, equipment or other property."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 531 in line 21 of the printed bill by striking out after the word "thereon" the words "and for any and all other loss, damage and injury resulting either directly or indirectly from the failure by neglect of said corporation to so construct and maintain said fences and cattle guards."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend House Bill No. 531 by inserting in line 21 of the printed bill after the word "thereon" the words "and such railroad corporation shall be liable for all damages which may be done by the agents, engines, cars or electric current."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster, from the Committee on Fish and Game to which was referred Senate Bill No. 113, being a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of fish in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak called up Senate Bill No. 44, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 44, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, the special order on House Bill No. 615 set for this day was postponed until tomorrow.

At the hour of 7:15 o'clock p. m., Mr. Lewis moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable Mr. John Huston.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Kleeman, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Butts presented a petition relating to House Bill No. 194 and Senate Bill No. 313, which was referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 157.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of "An Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

HOUSE BILL No. 491.

A bill for "An Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any post of the Grand Army of the Republic."

HOUSE BILL No. 534.

A bill for "An Act creating attorneys' lien and for enforcement of same.
Passed by Senate May 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 205.

A bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes, and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor.

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment, I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

"Amend by striking out of section 4, line 1 of the printed bill the words "twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

Passed by the Senate as amended May 18th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendments to House Bill No. 205, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 5.

A bill for "An Act to establish a legislative aid department of the State government and to appropriate money therefor.

SENATE BILL No. 213.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of article V of "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force December 31, 1907.

SENATE BILL No. 253.

A bill for an "An Act to make an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association.

SENATE BILL No. 262.

A bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet.

SENATE BILL No. 411.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an "Act entitled "An Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899; in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Acts approved May 13, 14, 1903; in force July 1, 1903, as amended by acts approved May 12, 13, 16, 1905; in force July 1, 1905, and as amended by acts approved May 17, 18, 25, 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

SENATE BILL No. 436.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to landlord and tenant," approved May 1, 1873, in force July 1, 1873.

SENATE BILL No. 472.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association.

SENATE BILL No. 487.

A bill for an Act to amend section thirty-six (36) of "An Act entitled "An Act to revise the law in relation to the partition of real estate," approved February 9, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved and in force June 3, 1889.

SENATE BILL No. 498.

A bill for "An Act to tax gifts, legacies, inheritances, transfers, appointments and interests in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same, and repealing certain Acts therein named.

SENATE BILL No. 501.

A bill for an Act making appropriation for the State educational institutions herein named.

Passed the Senate May 18, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 56.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses for returning fugitives from justice."

SENATE BILL No. 345.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

Passed by the Senate May 18, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK.

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 5, 213, 253, 262, 411, 436, 472, 487, 498, 501, 56 and 345, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 345, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 345, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 56, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 56, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses for returning fugitives from justice."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 253, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 253, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 262, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 262, a bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 472, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 472, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 5, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 5, a bill for "An Act to establish a legislative aid department for the State government and to appropriate money therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 501, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 501, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State educational institutions herein named."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Speaker took up Senate Bill No. 196, heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table, and by unanimous consent, the bill was ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck called up House Bill No. 411, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 411, a bill for "An Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards, and providing a penalty therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79; nays, 20.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cermak,	Hagan,	Logan,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Chilperfield,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Church,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Ireland,	McCollum,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Beck,	English,	Kerrick,	Mills,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Erby,	Kirkpatrick,	Montelius,	Tippit,
Black,	Erickson,	Kittleman,	Murray,	Ton,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wright,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Carter,	Grace,	Liggett,	Schumacher,	Yeas—79

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Blair,	Galligan,	McConnell,	O'Neil,	Shaw,
Burns,	Gorman,	McNire,	O'Toole,	Werdeil,
Donahue,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Riley,	Wheelan,
Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Scott,	White,
				Nays—20

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Sollitt called up House Bill No. 627, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 627, a bill for "An Act granting power to the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns to license and regulate advertising by means of bill boards, sign boards and signs."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94; nays, 11.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Gray,	Lederer,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Stearns,
Black,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Stevenson,
Brady,	English,	Keck,	McCollum,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Erbv,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Ton,
Browne,	Erickson,	Hope,	Mills,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Hull,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Werdell,
Butts,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wright,
Cermak,	Foster,	King,	Pierson,	York,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	Zinger,
Church,	Gillespie,	Kittleman,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—94

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Blair,	Espy,	Galligan,	O'Neil,	Riley,
Briscoe,	Finley,	McConnell,	Parker,	White,
Burns,				

Nays—11

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 570, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 570, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish a Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners, and prescribe their powers and duties,' approved April 13, 1871, in force July 1, 1871."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 88; nays, 13.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Sollitt,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Stearns,
Allison,	Corcoran,	Gray,	Lederer,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Crawford,	Hagan,	Luke,	Terrill,
Bardill,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Troyer,
Beck,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Walsh,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Welborn,
Black,	Durfee,	Hope,	Mills,	Werdell,
Brady,	English,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	White,
Brownback,	Erby,	Ireland,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Browne,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Burgett,	Fahy,	Keck,	Pierson,	Wright,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	King,	Richter,	York,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Riley,	Zinger,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Cermak,	Glade,	Lane,	Smejkal,	

Yeas—88

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Daley,	Flagg,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.
Blair,	Espy,	Groves, J.	Montelius,	Myers,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Hull,		Nays—13

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Murray called up House Bill No. 57, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 57, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved on May 23, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 133.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Myers,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Navlor,	Tippit,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flagg,	King,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Poulton,	White,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Riley,	Wright,
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Robinson,	York,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker,
Daley,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	
DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shaw,	Yeas—133

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster called up House Bill No. 658, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 658, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by

an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as further amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 116; nays, 14.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Gray,	Logan,	Robinson,
Allison,	Crawford,	Griffin,	Luke,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hope,	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	English,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Black,	Erickson,	Huston,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Essex,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Brady,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wright,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Liggett,	Richardson,	
Church,	Gorman,	Link,	Richter,	Yeas—116
Cliffe,	Grace,			

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Price,	Troyer,
Durfee,	Kannally,	Parker,	Riley,	White,
Erby,	Kerrick,	Poulton,	Scanlan,	Nays—14

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 363.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled: 'An Act in relation to the probate of wills,' approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

HOUSE BILL No. 183.

A bill for "An Act to abolish capital punishment in the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 647.

A bill for "An Act to provide when recording instruments shall cease to be constructive notice of lien to owners of real estate and to purchase for value."

HOUSE BILL No. 31.

A bill for "An Act to provide for fees of clerks of probate courts in counties of the second class."

HOUSE BILL No. 577.

A bill for "An Act to create one additional term of the circuit court in and for the county of Grundy and to fix the same and changing the terms of court in and for said county."

HOUSE BILL No. 656.

A bill for "An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting."

HOUSE BILL No. 639.

A bill for "An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of insanitary, dangerous or deadly headgear or hats, and to regulate the exhibition thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 712.

A bill for "An Act entitled: 'An Act to establish terms of circuit courts for Jefferson County.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 713.

A bill for "An Act relating to the conduct of hotel inns, and public lodging houses."

HOUSE BILL No. 92.

A bill for "An Act entitled: 'An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to reconvey.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 548.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 235 and section 236 of an Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, A. D., 1874, in force July 1, A. D., 1874."

HOUSE BILL No. 489.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing hawks."

HOUSE BILL No. 297.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled: 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

HOUSE BILL No. 671.

A bill for "An Act to prohibit certain classes of medical advertising and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 714.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 37 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act entitled: 'An Act to amend section thirty-seven, seventy-four, and one hundred and one of an Act entitled: 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, approved May 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.'"

HOUSE BILL No. 655.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery,' approved March 15, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

HOUSE BILL No. 298.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to amend the criminal code to change the punishment of persons convicted of the crime of petit larceny and misdemeanors, and to repeal an Act entitled: 'An Act to amend section 168 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, approved April 10, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877."

HOUSE BILL No. 657.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled: 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874; as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 642.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties, in the judicial circuits of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved April 7, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 717.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled: 'An Act concerning suits at law for personal injuries and against cities, villages and towns,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 576.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of optometry in the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 470.

A bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) and two (2) of an Act entitled: 'An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited, to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 237.

A bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 239.

A bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, truant, subnormal, convalescent and incipient invalid children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 672.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled: 'An Act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same, and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled: 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 654.

A bill for "An Act authorizing the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the building laws of the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 136.

A bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 588.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled: 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

HOUSE BILL No. 722.

A bill for "An Act to allow children of twelve years of age or over to take part and be employed in dramatic or theatrical performances or rehearsals for the same, to regulate the same and to provide for the punishment for violation of this Act."

HOUSE BILL No. 458.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled: 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 363, 183, 647, 31, 577, 656, 639, 712, 713, 92, 548, 489, 297, 671, 714, 655, 298, 657, 642, 717, 576, 470, 237, 239, 672, 654, 136, 588, 722 and 458, were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred House Bill No. 145, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 63 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved May 31, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lyon called up House Bill No. 431, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 431, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fugitives from justice,' approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 98; nays, 7.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Abraham,	Daley,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	English,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.,	Terrill,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Ton,
Brady,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Forst,	Lawience,	O'Tooie,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	Logan,	Pierson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Poulton,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Maclean,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gray,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	
Crawford,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Yeas—98

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	Etherton,	McGuire,	Morris,	White,
Erby,	Fahy,			Nays—7

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 659, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 659, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means, of territory so created,' approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 78; nays, 69.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Black,	Fahy,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	White,
Browne,	Forst,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Galligan,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Maclean,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Corcoran,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	Yeas—78

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Shepaerd, F. W.
Behrens,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Espy,	Hull,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Huston,	Mills,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Finley,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Ton,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Myers,	Troyer,
Bush,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Fulton,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Kittleman,	Pierson,	York,
Church,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Robinson,	Nays—69

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Blair moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 659 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Browne moved to lay the motion of Mr. Blair upon the table.

And the question being, on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainev.
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Clark,				

And there were fifty-one members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scott,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Black,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Tippit,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Finley,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Macleam,	Scanlan,	

And there were 149 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 200 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	29 votes
George Edmund Foss received	5 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
William Lorimer received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	12 votes
James Bowler received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McCormick,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Downing,	Hamilton,	Jaul,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Clark,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	—29

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Breidt,	Brown,	Jones,	Olson,	Schmitt,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,	—2
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for William Lorimer are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Hearn,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Wornack,
Gibson,	Holstlaw,			

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Those voting for James Bowler are: Mr. Glackin—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	49 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	13 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Wm. J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	24 votes
James Bowler received.....	2 votes
Edward F. Dunne received.....	18 votes
Fred J. Kearns received.....	3 votes
Fred Fauth received.....	4 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote
Harold Scott received.....	4 votes
John J. McGuire received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Grace,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gray,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Logan,	Scanlan,	

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Stearns.
Butts,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Price,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Hull,	Mills,		

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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Wm. J. Calhoun are: Mr. Hamilton—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,			
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Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Daley,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Richardson,
Bolin,	Dillon,	Griffin,	Luke,	Scott,
Briscoe,	English,	Groves, J.	Mvers,	Tippit,
Burps,	Espy,	Hrubv,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Corcoran,	Finley,	Huston,	O'Neil,	

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Those voting for James Bowler are: Messrs.

Galligan, Walsh,

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Those voting for Edward F. Dunne are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Werdell,
Browne,	Fahy,	Link,	Murray,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Foster,	McGuire,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Gorman,	Morris,		—18

Those voting for Fred J. Kearns are: Messrs.

Cermak, Shaw, White,

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Those voting for Fred Fauth are: Messrs.

Aischuler, Beckemeyer, McCollum, Shephard, H. A.

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Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

Those voting for Harold Scott are: Messrs.

Kannally, McLaughlin, Murphy, E. J. Poulton,

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Those voting for John J. McGuire are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the eighty-ninth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 195, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly.....	78 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	18 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
William J. Calhoun received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William Lorimer received.....	1 vote
Richard Yates received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	36 votes
James Bowler received.....	3 votes
Edward F. Dunne received.....	18 votes
Fred J. Kearns received.....	3 votes
Fred Fauth received.....	4 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote
Harold Scott received.....	4 votes
John J. McGuire received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue called up Senate Bill No. 214, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 214, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

Pending roll call, Mr. Perkins moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 214 be postponed.

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal moved to lay that motion upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the negative,

And the motion was lost.

The question recurring on the motion to postpone, a division of the House was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 58; nays, 46.

And the motion to postpone prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Mills, from the Committee on Executive Department, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 415, being a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

At the hour of 1:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 3:30 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 3:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 357.

A bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the suppression and prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals."

SENATE BILL No. 358.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of Forest Preserve Districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

SENATE BILL No. 362.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled: "An Act in regard to mills and millers and dams for mills and other machinery and navigation," approved March 2, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 312.

A bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-one (61) of an Act entitled: "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved March 31, 1874, as amended by Acts approved respectively May 20, 1879, June 14, 1887, June 26, 1895, and May 18, 1905."

SENATE BILL No. 474.

A bill for an Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled: "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State

with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

SENATE BILL No. 482.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 5 and 40 of article III, section 8 of article VI and section 1 of article VIII (as heretofore amended) of an Act entitled: "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889.

SENATE BILL No. 502.

A bill for an Act to amend section nine (9) of an Act entitled: "An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 507.

A bill for an Act to provide for the commitment and detention of idiots, imbeciles and persons of feeble mind.

Passed by the Senate May 19, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 357, 358, 362, 312, 474, 482, 502 and 507 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beckemeyer called up House Bill No. 642, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 642, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved April 7, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Erby,	Hull,	Mills,	Scott,
Adkins,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Shenherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Mvers,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Burns,	Foster,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pervier,	White,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lyon,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Gray,	Maclean,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Richter,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Risney,	York,
Daley,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,		

Yeas—103

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 410, being a bill for "An Act to permit traffic agreements and consolidation between electric railway companies, whether organized under the general incorporation laws of the State of Illinois or the general railroad Act of this State."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dudgeon, from the Committee on Penal and Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 347, being a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal institutions in the State of Illinois in the manufacture of and preparing road building and ballasting material, and to provide for securing quarry sites and erection of suitable stockades and barracks, and for the transfer and detention of prisoners within such stockades and barracks by the wardens of the State penal institutions, and to repeal Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. O'Toole called up House Bill No. 15, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 15, a bill for "An Act to regulate and define the liability of any corporation, corporations, firm, firms, company, companies, for pecuniary damages to their employés and to person, or persons, and to their personal representatives in case of personal injury or death sustained while in their employ."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104; nays, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Riley,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McNichols,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Mills,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Erby,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Black,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murray,	Ton,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Browne,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	White,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Glade,	Link,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Logan,	Price,	York,
Corcoran,	Grace,	Lyon,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Gray,	Maclean,	Richter,	Zipf,
Daley,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Rigney,	

Yeas—104

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Robinson,	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Hagan,	Montelius,		Nays—8

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, the Speaker recalled Senate Bill numbered 233, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice and re-referred it to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Keck called up House Bill No. 104, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 104, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Gray,	Link,	Riley,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Robinson,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scanlan.
Allison,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
AmMadoc,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Browne,	Finley,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Flags,	Kerrick,	Mvers,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Navlor,	Werdell,
Bush,	Forst,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	White,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wright,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Church,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Grace,			Yeas—102

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House amendments to Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 145.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal certain Acts therein named."

SENATE BILL No. 332.

A bill for "An Act to authorize corporations, organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of

incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to provide a funeral benefit for their members."

SENATE BILL No. 62.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars used by any person, receiver, or corporation operating a line of railroad situated wholly or in part within the State."

SENATE BILL No. 174.

A bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto."

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 145, 332, 62 and 174, were placed in the order of Senate Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 616, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 616, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act relating to corporations engaged in furnishing suretyship on bonds or their agents, to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon and to prevent discrimination therein, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purpose specified in this Act.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Riley,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McGuire,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Behrens,	English,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Black,	Erby,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Browne,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Burgett,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Tippit,
Carter,	Galligan,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Chipperfield,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lederer,	Price,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Link,	Rigney,	

Yeas—94

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 598, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named, in force July 1, 1899.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 351, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named, approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. English, from the Committee on Sanitary Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 348, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act to be known as section 3c."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 479, being a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 376, being a bill for "An Act in relation to tax deeds."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 527, being a bill for "An Act to define trusts and conspiracies against trade declaring contracts in violation of the provisions of this Act void, and making certain Acts in violation thereof misdemeanors, and prescribing the punishment thereof, and matters connected therewith."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 65, being a bill for "An Act creating attorneys' lien, and for enforcement of same."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 163, being a bill for "An Act limiting the right

of owners of buildings and others, in the exclusion or expulsion of persons, desirous of calling upon tenants of buildings or space therein, in an orderly manner, and for honorable purposes, and prescribing penalties for violation of this Act."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 708, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act that no action for breach of promise to marry, shall be maintained unless the promise is in writing.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 85, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 15, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, by the addition of a section to be known as section one (1) A."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 553, being a bill for "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 235, being a bill for "An Act amending sections 6 and 7a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the punishment of persons, co-partnerships or corporations forming pools, trusts and combines and mode of procedure and rules of evidence in such cases,' approved June 11, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, and as amended by an Act approved June 20, 1893, in force July 1, 1893."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 234, being a bill for "An Act to limit the meaning of the word 'conspiracy' and also the use of 'restraining orders' and 'injunctions' based upon charges of 'conspiracy' as applied to disputes between employers and employes in the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 29, being a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation for adults and authorizing courts to suspend the execution of sentence in certain cases and for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and the establishment of a State Probation Commission."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 390, being a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent sales of merchandise in fraud of creditors,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 372, being a bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an Act therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 703, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 7 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to plats,' approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to add thereto a new section to be known as section 7a."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 204, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or wilfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person, of his wife or of his or her minor children, in destitute or necessitous circumstances,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Reported the same back without recommendation.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 377, being a bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of park commissioners under certain conditions and prescribing their duties."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kittleman called up House Bill No. 350, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 350, a bill for "An Act to consolidate in the government of the city of Chicago the powers now vested in local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city, to make additional provisions concerning parks and local improvements and to provide revenue."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 34; nays, 98.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

AdMadoc,	Erickson,	Kittleman,	McNichols,	Ton,
Brady,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Mills,	Troyer,
Chipherfield,	Galligan,	Lane,	Nelson,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Hagan,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zipf,
Durfee,	Hull,	Maclean,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker,
Erby,	Hunter,	McConnell,	Sollitt,	Yeas—34

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Schumacher,
Allison,	English,	Holaday,	Morris,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Bardill,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Fahv,	Ireland,	Murray,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	King,	O'Toole,	Werdel,
Bush,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Grace,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Corcoran,	Gray,	McCollum,	Riley,	York,
Crawford,	Griffin,	McGuire,		Nays—98

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

Mr. Browne moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 350 was lost.

Whereupon, Mr. Shaw moved to lay the motion of Mr. Browne upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer introduced a bill, House Bill No. 733, a bill for "An Act relating to pimping, defining and prohibiting the same, and providing for the punishment thereof and for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed, and by unanimous consent, was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipherfield called up House Bill No. 727, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 727; a bill for "An Act to repeal, set aside, cancel, determine and annul all of the rights, privileges, franchises and easements of 'The Chicago Dock and Canal Company' as conferred upon it by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois en-

titled, 'An Act to incorporate a company for the improvement by canals and harbors of the east part of Kenzie's addition to the city of Chicago,' approved February 12, 1857."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, Mr. Chipfield offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 727, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of the bill by inserting after the words "The Chicago Dock and Canal Company," where the same appears therein the words "its assigns, lessees, successors or grantees."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 1 of the bill by inserting in line 2 of the printed bill after the words "The Chicago Dock and Canal Company," the words "its assigns, successors, lessees or grantees."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Insert in said printed bill after the word "Company" in line 6 thereof the words "its assigns, successors, lessees or grantees."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Insert in said printed bill after the word "Company" in line 11 thereof the words "its assigns, successors, lessees or grantees."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Insert in said printed bill after the word "Company" in line 15 thereof the words "its assigns, successors, lessees or grantees."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pervier called up Senate Bill No. 280, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 280, a bill for "An Act to regulate the public service of stallions in Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Lantz moved to recall House Bill No. 509 to second reading for the purpose of amendment,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Lantz offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 509 by inserting in line one of section 5 after the word "shall" the word "use."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 689, being a bill for "An Act to provide for an additional circuit court judge in the third judicial circuit of the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with a substitute therefor, being House Bill No. 734, a bill for "An Act to provide for an additional circuit judge in the third judicial district of the State of Illinois."

And recommended that the original bill, House Bill No. 689, do lie on the table, and that the substitute do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in, and the original bill, House Bill No. 689, was ordered to lie on the table and the substitute, House Bill No. 734, was read at large a first time, ordered printed and to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, chairman, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 281, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 7 of 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time of holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and as amended by an Act approved, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, chairman, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred House Bill No. 514, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to quo warranto,' approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as said section was amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law, etc.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 313, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 120 of an Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record, approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd called up House Bill No. 686, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 686, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,' in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd called up House Bill No. 687, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 687, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing ground hogs,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Behrens called up Senate Bill No. 96, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 96, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Scanlan offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 4, line 3, by inserting the word "public" before the word "schools."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 4, line 23, by striking out the word "require" and inserting therefor the word "request."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 15, line 11, by inserting the word "public" before the word "school."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 114, line 15, by inserting the words "the public" before the word "schools."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96, in House, section 114, line 16, by inserting the word "public" before the word "school" where it first appears.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 114, line 21, by inserting before the word "schools" the word "public."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 115, line 25, by inserting the word "public" before the word "school."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 144, line 3, by inserting after the words "county or circuit court of the county" a comma and the words "to inquire into the case of any child of compulsory school age who is."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 262, line 2, by inserting the word "colored" before the word "child."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 by striking out after the word "districts" in line 1, section 48, of the printed bill, the following words: "Having a population of one thousand inhabitants or more."

And the amendment was adopted.

Pending discussion, by unanimous consent, the further consideration of Senate Bill No. 96, was postponed until tomorrow morning.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up Senate Bill No. 375, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 375, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the State Library,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding three new sections to be known as sections 10, 11 and 12."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 730, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 730, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 730, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 730 by striking out of the printed bill in line 11, the figures "\$11,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$12,000.00." In the same line strike out the word "Secretary" and insert the word "secretaries." In line 13 strike out the word "him" and insert in lieu thereof the word "them."

In line 16, strike out the figures "\$13,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00."

Line 17, strike out the figures "\$1,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,200.00."

Line 19, strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,000.00."

Strike out lines 23, 24 and 25 and insert in lieu thereof "Fifth—To the Governor: For the care of the Executive Mansion and grounds, and for heating, lighting, expenses of public receptions; wages and sustenance of employes, stable expense and other incidental expenses of the Executive Mansion the sum of \$9,000.00 per annum. For repairs, improvements and refurnishing at the Executive Mansion and improvement of grounds \$4,000.00."

Line 209. Strike out "1907" and insert in lieu thereof "1909."

Line 239. Strike out the figures "\$4,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,500.00."

Line 268. Strike out the figures "\$1,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

Line 249. Strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,600.00."

Line 464. Strike out the figures "\$20,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$15,000.00."

Line 520. Strike out the figures "\$900.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,000.00."

In same line strike out the figures "\$840.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$960."

Line 471. Strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,600.00."

Add after line 546 the following:

Sixty-Eighth—For repairs and improvements of the grounds around the monument erected by the State to the memory of the persons slain by the Indians on Indian Creek, located in Shabbona Park, Freedom Township, La Salle County, the sum of \$1,000.00."

Line 244. Strike out "\$1,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,200.00."

Line 478. By striking out the figures "\$1,800" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,400."

Add at the end of line 463 the following:

"For purchase of collections of Illinois specimens \$1,000.00."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Etherton called up House Bill No. 36, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 36, a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877, so as to allow persons other than members to be appointed treasurer."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman called up House Bill No. 539, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 539, a bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor and to repeal an Act therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up House Bill No. 381, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 381, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further

amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees:

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 692, being a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the feasibility of obtaining possession in the name of the State of the prehistoric Monk's Mound, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 119, being a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum for free distribution to the swine raisers of the State of Illinois, and for the free administration thereof and making an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 488, being a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum and other biological products for free distribution to the livestock producers of the State of Illinois and making an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 217, being a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the relief of Edward A. Laxton, injured by an accident at the Southern Illinois Penitentiary resulting in an injury to him while in the performance of his duties under the direction of an officer of the institution."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 332, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of continuing instruction and investigation in ceramics."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 645, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation to repair bridges over the Illinois and Michigan Canal at points where highways existed prior to construction of said canal."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 636, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts paid to the State treasurer for license to fish under section 21 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all waters under the jurisdiction, etc.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 683, being a bill for "An Act to make appropriations to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 719, being a bill for "An Act to establish the Mining Investigation Commission of the State of Illinois and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 537, being a bill for "An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 68, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee-Keeper's Association."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 645, in the order of first reading: and,

House Bill No. 645, a bill for "An Act making appropriation to repair bridges over the Illinois and Michigan Canal at points where highways existed prior to construction of said canal."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 636, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 636, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts paid to the State treasurer for license to fish under section 21 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, defining the duties of the fish commissioners, fixing their compensation providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' passed by the General Assembly of 1907 and known as House Bill No. 834."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 683, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 683, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 537, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 537, a bill for "An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering in the College of Engineering at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 68, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 68, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee-Keepers' Association."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, the special order on House Bill No. 615 set for this day, was postponed until tomorrow.

At the hour of 7:00 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable Mr. C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hope the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Stearns presented a petition relating to land adjoining the waters of Lake Michigan at the city of Waukegan which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Adkins presented a petition relating to the lights furnished the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 155.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish Appellate Courts," in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish Appellate Courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereto," approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

Together with the following amendments thereto in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 155 in Senate by striking out all in the title of the printed bill after the words "A Bill" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "For an Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled "An Act to establish Appellate Courts, approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 155 in Senate by striking out all after the enacting clause in section one (1) of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That section two (2) of an Act entitled "An Act to establish Appellate Courts, approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, be amended so as to read as follows:"

Passed by the Senate as amended May 19, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendments to House Bill No. 155 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 596.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to fire escapes," approved and in force April 21, 1899.

Passed by the Senate May 19, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 19.

A bill for "An Act in relation to courts."

Passed by the Senate May 19, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill No. 19 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 172.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in this State and to punish the same, and prescribe a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto, and to repeal an Act entitled 'An Act to prevent unjust discriminations and extortions in the rates to be charged by the different railroads in this State for the transportation of freights on said roads," approved April 7, A. D., 1871," approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, by adding thereto six new sections to be known as sections 8a, 8b, 8c, 8e, 8f and 8g.

SENATE BILL No. 326.

A bill for an Act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac.

SENATE BILL No. 355.

A bill for an Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester.

SENATE BILL No. 488.

A bill for an Act to amend section 76 of an Act entitled "An Act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by Act approved and in force May 9, 1901.

SENATE BILL No. 517.

A bill for an Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the State educational institutions herein named.

SENATE BILL No. 414.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 6 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the creation of art commissions in cities and to define their powers," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 136.

A bill for an Act in relation to the adulteration and deception in the manufacture and sale of spirits of turpentine, to provide for the enforcement thereof by the State Food Commissioner, and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 477.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 29 and 30 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties," approved February 21, 1908, in force July 1, 1908.

SENATE BILL No. 265.

A bill for an Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled "An Act in regard to wills," approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 352.

A bill for an Act in relation to the disposition of unclaimed deposits in banks and trust companies in this State.

SENATE BILL No. 421.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 32, 33 and 37 of an Act entitled 'An Act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and an Act approved June 22, 1885; in force July 1, 1885, respectively, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

SENATE BILL No. 223.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society.

SENATE BILL No. 457.

A bill for an Act to amend section 26 of an Act entitled "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874."

SENATE BILL No. 504.

A bill for an Act to amend section 14 of an Act entitled 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

SENATE BILL No. 106.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act to promote the safety of employes and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers engaged in moving traffic by railroad between points in the State of Illinois, to equip their cars with automatic couplers and continuous brakes

and their locomotives with driving wheel brakes, and for other purposes," approved May 12, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905, by adding thereto a new section.

SENATE BILL No. 448.

A bill for an Act to revise the laws relating to charities.

SENATE BILL No. 237.

A bill for an Act to regulate civil service of counties.

SENATE BILL No. 120.

A bill for an Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois," approved and in force March 11, 1869, as amended by Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Passed by the Senate May 19, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK.

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 172, 326, 355, 488, 517, 414, 136, 477, 265, 352, 421, 223, 457, 504, 106, 448, 237 and 120 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

Mr. Chipperfield offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 57.

WHEREAS, Robert Shaw Oliver, Acting Secretary of War, has informed the House of Representatives that so far as possible it will be the pleasure of the War Department to comply with the joint resolution of the General Assembly of Illinois addressed to the Secretary of War; now therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois: That it extends its thanks to the said Robert Shaw Oliver, Acting Secretary of War, for his courteous response and compliance with the request of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns introduced a bill, House Bill No. 735, a bill for "An Act to authorize and empower certain cities, villages and organized towns to reclaim certain submerged lands under the public waters of the State of Illinois, and settle the boundary line and establish and maintain parks thereon."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent the Speaker took up House Bill No. 324 and Senate Bill No. 306 heretofore ordered to lie on the Speaker's table and referred them to the Committee on Judiciary.

The consideration of Senate Bill No. 96 in the order of second reading being the pending order of business at the hour of adjournment on yesterday the same was again taken up.

Whereupon, Mr. Behrens offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in the House by striking out in lines eight (8) and nine (9) of page 82 of the printed bill the words and figures "two and one-half," and "two and one-half" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one and one-half" and "one and one-half."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Shaw offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96, by adding after the word "districts" in line 6, section 88, of the printed bill, the following: "When part of a township has been included in a high school district pursuant to any of the provisions of this Act, the remainder of such township not included in any high school district, shall constitute a township for high school purposes."

And the amendment was adopted.

Pending discussion, by unanimous consent, further consideration of Senate Bill No. 96, in the order of second reading, was postponed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 233, being a bill for "An Act defining itinerant vendors of goods; wares and merchandise, regulating and licensing such itinerant vendors, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions of this Act."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

Whereupon, Mr. King moved that the House non-concur with the committee in their recommendation of Senate Bill No. 233.

And the motion was lost.

The question recurring "Shall the House concur in the report of the committee?" it was decided in the affirmative.

And the report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 669 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 669, a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety, and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 84; nays, 43.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Gorman,	McMackin,	Scott,
Allison,	Crawford,	Griffin,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Groves, J.	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Beck,	Daley,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepard. H. A.
Behrens,	DeWolf,	Hope,	Murray,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Blair,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Staymates,
Bolin,	Erglish,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Brady,	Erby,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Poulton,	White,
Bush,	Foster,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Galligan,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipfield,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Glade,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Espy,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Mills,	Terrill,
Bardill,	Forst,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Ton,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Keck,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gray,	King,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hagan,	Kirkpatrick,	Robinson,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Kittleman,	Sollitt,	York,
Durfee,	Holaday,	Logan,		

Nays—43

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Foster moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 669 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Lederer moved to lay the motion of Mr. Foster upon the table.

And the question being, on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads to which was referred House Bill No. 678, being a bill for "An Act to provide for and fix the compensation of the members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back without recommendation.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 677, being a bill for "An Act making it unlawful for any member of the Legislature of the State of Illinois to receive, take, have issued to him, or to any other person or persons for him, to use, directly or indirectly, any pass, complimentary ticket or transportation, or any other form or kind of free or reduced fare transportation on, or upon any steam or electric railroad, interurban railroad, street railway, or other railroad or railway in the State of Illinois, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof."

Reported the same back without recommendation.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland, from the Committee on Public Charities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 431, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State Reform School, and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Crawford, called up House Bill No. 697 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 697, a bill for "An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant States' attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102; nays, 13.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	Morris,	Scott,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hull,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Myers,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Blair,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Brady,	Erickson,	King,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Foster,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gorman,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	Zipf,
Church,	Gray,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Riley,	
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McNichols,	Robinson,	Yeas—102
Crawford,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Scanlan,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Etherton,	Glade,	Keck,	Shephard, H. A.	Tippit,
Flagg,	Hamilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Stevenson,	York,
Flannigen,	Jewell,	McCollum,		Nays—13

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Mannv.
Baker,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,
Clark,				

And there were 51 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Curran,	Hagan,	McCoilum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beck,	English,	Hull,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Huston,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Black,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Trover,
Brownback,	Flage,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Rigney,	York,
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Macleam,	Schumacher,	

And there were 149 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 200 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

Preceding the roll call by unanimous consent the following pair was announced:

Mr. Shaw (present but not voting) with Mr. Reynolds.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	33 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	2 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
William Lorimer received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	9 votes
Thomas J. Webb received.....	4 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jones,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Olson,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Schmitt,
Brown,	Funk,	Humphrey,	McCormick,	Stewart,
Clark,	Gardner,	Hurburgh,		

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Breidt—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball, Cruikshank,

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for William Lorimer are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton, Gibson,	Gorman, Holstlaw,	Isley, Manny,	Rainey, Tossey,	Womack,	—9
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Those voting for Thomas J. Webb are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Hearn,	Jandus,	Nays—4
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The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	54 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	9 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	17 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
John R. Thompson received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	23 votes
Thomas J. Webb received.....	28 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received.....	23 votes
William L. O'Connell received.....	3 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote
Frank Hamlin received.....	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey, Adkins, Bardill, Behrens, Brady, Burgett, Campbell, Carter, Cliffe, Dudgeon, Durfee,	Erby, Flagg, Fulton, Grace, Gray, Hagan, Hamilton, Holaday, Hollenbeck, Hone, Hull,	Hutzler, Ireland, Jewell, Keck, Kerrick, King, Kirkpatrick, Lawrence, Lewis, Liggett, Logan,	Lyon, McMackin, Mills, Montelius, Nelson, Perkins, Pervier, Pierson, Richter, Rigney, Robinson,	Scanlan, Shepherd, F. W. Stevenson, Ton, Trover, Welborn, Wilson, G. H. Wilson, H. W. Wright, York,	—54
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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc, Butts,	Church, Fieldstack,	Kowalski, Maclean,	Price, Stearns,	Mr. Speaker, —9
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck, Bush, Chipperfield,	Flannigen, Glade, Kittleman,	Lane, Lederer, McNichols,	Parker, Schumacher, Shanahan,	Smejkal, Zinger, Zipf,	—15
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Mr. Gillespie—1.

Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Messrs.

Black,	Terrill,	—2
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Those voting for John R. Thompson are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Allison, Blair, Bolin, Briscoe, Burns,	Corcoran, Daley, Dillon, Donahue, English,	Espy, Etherton, Groves, J. Groves, W. M. Huston,	Lantz, Myers, O'Brien, O'Toole, Scott,	Staymates, Tiopit, Wheelan,	—23
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Those voting for Thomas J. Webb are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Forst.	Link,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Alschuler,	Galligan,	McCollum,	Poulton,	White,
Beckemeyer,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Browne,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,	
Clark,	Kannally,	Murray,		—27

Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.

DeWolf,	Foster,	Griffin,	—3
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Those voting for William L. O'Connell are: Messrs.

Fahy,	Murphy, Wm.	Naylor,	—3
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Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

Those voting for Frank Hamlin are: Mr. McGuire—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the ninetieth joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 197, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly.....	87 votes
George Edmund Foss received.....	10 votes
William E. Mason received.....	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received.....	19 votes
William B. McKinley received.....	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received.....	1 vote
Lawrence Y. Sherman received.....	2 votes
William Lorimer received.....	1 vote
John R. Thompson received.....	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	32 votes
Thomas J. Webb received.....	31 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received.....	3 votes
William L. O'Connell received.....	3 votes
Arthur F. Evans received.....	1 vote
Frank Hamlin received.....	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:50 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. ApMadoc called up House Bill No. 581 in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 581, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hull,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	English,	Huston,	McGuire,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Mills,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Morris,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Ton,
Brady,	Flags,	King,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Piereson,	Werdehl,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Lantz,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Groves, W. M.	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Riley,	York,
Church,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Clark,	Holaday,	Link,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Hope,	Lyon,	Shanahan,	Yeas—104

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	Daley,	O'Toole,	White,	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. ApMadoc called up House Bill No. 478 in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 478, a bill for "An Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

Pending roll call further consideration was postponed and the bill ordered to retain its place on the calendar.

The House proceeding upon the order of Reports of Standing Committees,

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 266, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1st, 1872, in force July 1st, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 22, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 13 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 401, being a bill for "An Act in reference to proof of disputed handwritings."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 24, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74, 75 and 77 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and as amended in regard to said section 75, by an Act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 402, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Acts amendatory thereof,' approved April 22, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 248, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

Mr. Browne from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice of which was referred Senate Bill No. 21, being a bill for "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so to include the complete administration of testate estates."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 245, being a bill for "An Act to amend article X of an Act to revise the law in relation to justices of the peace and constables, approved June 26, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 1a."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 148, being a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, by adding a new section thereto to be known as section 601½."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 269, being a bill for "An Act to enable courts of law to grant relief against fraud."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred Senate Bill No. 218, being a bill for "An Act concerning the proof of ordinances of any municipality which, or any part of which, heretofore has been or hereafter may be annexed to another municipality."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 172, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 378, being a bill for "An Act concerning the manner of commencing and conducting the prosecution of criminal offenses."

Reported the same back without recommendation.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 437, being a bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed deposits in banking institutions."

Reported the same back without recommendation.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 641, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the reporting of decisions of the appellate courts of this State, to provide for their publication and the appointment of a reporter for said courts and to fix the salary of said reporter."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 602, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation in counties having a population of not more, etc.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 572, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 421 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 335, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to circuit courts and the superior court of Cook county,' approved February 16, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 22a."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 288, being a bill for "An Act to amend section sixteen of an Act to amend, 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix a time for holding the same in several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, etc."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 622, being a bill for "An Act providing for the creation of additional branch appellate courts."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 535, being a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) and eight (8) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 623, being a bill for "An Act to make the verdict of the jury on questions of fact final as to those facts when followed by judgment or decree of the trial court."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 463, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to records,' approved March 9, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as sections 12a and 12b."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 206, being a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 195, being a bill for "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate and county courts so as to include the complete administration of testate estates."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice to which was referred House Bill No. 174, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 18, of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hope from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 727.

A bill for "An Act to repeal, set aside, cancel, determine and annul all of the rights, privileges, franchises and easements of the Chicago Dock and Canal Company, its assigns, lessees, successors or grantees, as conferred upon it by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled: 'An Act to incorporate a company for the improvement of canals and harbors of the east part of Kenzie's Addition to the City of Chicago,' approved February 12, 1857."

HOUSE BILL No. 531.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act in relation to fencing and operating railroads," approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

HOUSE BILL No. 633.

A bill for an Act making it unlawful to make any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offense, without their consent.

HOUSE BILL No. 23.

A bill for an Act to provide for the vaccination of children, the vaccination and re-vaccination of all inhabitants of towns or cities, the vaccination of the inmates of almshouses, reform or industrial schools, hospitals, prisons, jails or houses of correction or any institution which is supported or aided by the State and for the exclusion of unvaccinated children from the public schools.

HOUSE BILL No. 701.

A bill for an Act to amend section 42 of article III of an Act entitled "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889, and in force May 21, 1889, as heretofore amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 649.

A bill for an Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies.

HOUSE BILL No. 186.

A bill for an Act to provide for the dissolution of towns, cities and villages organized under the laws of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 240.

A bill for an Act to amend section 202, article VIII, of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 670.

A bill for an Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

HOUSE BILL No. 604.

A bill for an Act in relation to certain old mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancellation thereof on the records, as incumbrances against real estate.

HOUSE BILL No. 719.

A bill for an Act to establish a mining investigating commission of the State of Illinois and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor.

The foregoing House Bills numbered 727, 531, 633, 604, 719, 23, 701, 649, 186, 240 and 670, were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 284, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 284, a bill for "An Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 396, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 396, a bill for "An Act for the sale to the Iroquois Iron Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

At the hour of 1:10 o'clock p. m., Mr. Erickson moved that this House do now take a recess until 3:30 o'clock p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 3:30 o'clock p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 645, in the order of second reading, and,

House Bill No. 645, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to repair bridges over the Illinois and Michigan Canal at points where highways existed prior to construction of said canal."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 645, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out the words and figures "\$50,000.00" wherever they may occur in the printed bill, and inserting the words and figures "\$20,000.00" in lieu thereof.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed, and.

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 636, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 636, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts paid to the State Treasurer for license to fish under section (21) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, defining the duties of the fish commissioners fixing their compensation, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' passed by the General Assembly of 1907 and known as House Bill No. 834."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 683, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 683, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 719 in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 719, a bill for "An Act to establish the mining investigation commission of the State of Illinois, and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 719, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 4 of House Bill No. 719 by adding thereto after the concluding word "commission" the following: "Upon filing of the above mentioned reports, recommendations and objections the duties and functions of said commission shall cease."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Terrill offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 719 by striking out in line 4 after the word "miners" the following words: "Nominated by the respective." Also in line 5 strike out the words "organizations of both interests affected and."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 537, in the order of second reading, and,

House Bill No. 537, a bill for "An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering in the College of Engineering, at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 537, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out the words and figures "\$15,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$7,500.00" in line 3, section 4.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed, and,

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred Senate Bill No. 56, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses for returning fugitives from justice."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred Senate Bill No. 345, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 711, being a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the service and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24 to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State, and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation, and extending the time for the report of said commission."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred Senate Bill No. 69, being a bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of a State inspector of apiaries and defining his powers and duties and to prohibit the sale or disposition of diseased apiaries and to prescribe certain penalties therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 210, being a bill for "An Act imposing new and additional duties upon the State Water Survey, and making an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 472, being a bill for "An Act to appropriate five thousand (\$5,000) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 210, in the order of first reading, and,

House Bill No. 210, a bill for "An Act imposing new and additional duties upon the State Water Survey, and making an appropriation therefor."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 472, in the order of first reading, and,

House Bill No. 472, a bill for "An Act to appropriate five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 711, in the order of first reading, and,

House Bill No. 711, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the service and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24 to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State, and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation, and extending the time for the report of said commission."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 223, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 223, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 326, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 326, a bill for "An Act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 355, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 355, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 517, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 517, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the State educational institutions herein named."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Adkins from the Committee to Visit Charitable Institutions submitted the following report:

Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff, Speaker, House of Representatives:

Your committee appointed to visit the State charitable institutions started from Springfield, Sunday, May 9th, at 3:00 p. m., and would beg leave to submit the following report:

We arrived at Menard at 12:54 midnight and visited the Hospital for the Criminal Insane Monday, May 10th. We found the institution clean and sanitary, the inmates well cared for and especially commend the superintendent's policy of working on the farms of all inmates capable of performing such labor as gardening, care of stock and other duties being discharged around the farm, as being both beneficial to the health of the inmates as well as profitable to the State by producing many of the necessities of life that grow on the farm by the inmates themselves. Your committee thinks, however, the institution is too small for the number of inmates which is about the only criticism your committee would make on this institution.

May 11th your committee visited the Southern Hospital for the Insane at Anna, Tuesday. They were shown over all the different buildings and found them all in a sanitary condition. The new hospital annex was complete in all its arrangements and the appliances are of the newest and most improved type. It is large, well lighted and well ventilated. We are interested in the water cure and the color cure used in this hospital. The patients were taken out for exercise on the grounds which were beautiful and well kept.

May 12th Mr. Naylor and Mr. Bardill were the only members of the committee to visit Lincoln. The other members of the committee attended a session of the House. They believe that with the facilities at hand the management is all that can be expected. Many of the buildings are in bad repair due to the lack of a sufficient amount of funds to maintain them properly. The committee thinks the work being done at this institution is not fully appreciated by the people of the State of Illinois. In observing their methods of teaching it struck the committee that the work in that department was of great value in improving the mental condition of the inmates as well as lightening the work of the institution by being better able to help themselves

than before they received this instruction. We believe the State should see to it that this very important institution is placed in matters of equipment on an equal footing with other State charitable institutions.

The absent members of the committee returned in the evening and visited the Soldiers' Orphans Home at Normal. Here the committee had the most pleasant visit they have had, so far as observing the inmates of an institution were concerned. It impressed the committee that the State was spending money where in time it would get some return and in looking over these children and observing the careful manner in which they were being trained your committee thinks that more money spent on homeless, neglected children the less money it will be necessary to spend in the future on our penitentiaries and reformatories. In looking over the institution carefully we found everything in order. The hospital is very nicely equipped, but is without any patients at the present time, which your committee thinks speaks well for the management, for in a home with 312 children it struck the committee as being very remarkable that no sick children were found in the hospital.

May 13th arrived at Kankakee at 11:10 a. m. This being the largest institution of its kind in the State and the buildings arranged in a different manner from the other institutions, thus far visited, your committee spent a very strenuous afternoon with Dr. Greene inspecting the various features of this institution. The grounds and walks are in excellent condition. Many of the older buildings occupied by the more violent class of patients are in bad condition, especially the two cottages occupied one by the untidy men and one by the untidy women. The plumbing, floors and sanitary arrangements of these two buildings are bad. It seemed to the committee that if the State of Illinois could possibly arrange for better facilities in these two cases it should be done. Many others have been recently repaired and fitted up in an up to date manner and certainly means much to the comfort and health of the inmates. The new hospital building, now almost complete, would seem to the committee a most excellent building for the purpose for which it was built, and the State getting much for the money expended. The patients were clean and apparently well fed and cared for and conditions were as good as could be expected under the overcrowded condition of the institution. Their beds, all of uniform character, were clean and their dormitories in most cases void of unpleasant smell where large numbers are kept at night in one dormitory. It would seem to the committee that as soon as conditions warrant the old antiquated bedsteads should be dispensed with and modern iron bedsteads put up in their place. The farm has all the earmarks of being in charge of an up to date farmer and the soil has been excellently prepared for the crops recently planted. The growing crops, alfalfa, rye and an immense amount of garden truck looked well and has been carefully attended thus far. The herd of cattle are in a fine condition. Their barns are in a fairly good condition. The main cow barn, however, your committee thinks, a very bad place to keep cows, the superintendent being of the same opinion. The cows are kept in a basement, the ceiling entirely too low and not enough light and sunshine and ventilation to keep cattle in a healthy condition. Connected with this barn is a long shed open on one side which is a very nice healthy sanitary arrangement for cows. With the foregoing sentiment of the committee Dr. Greene fully coincided and stated that the cows were not kept in the main barn except in extreme bad weather. The doctor seems to have some good cow sense, but the condition of the barn he inherited when he came to the institution and has not been in a condition to change it.

Friday, May 14th, arrived at Elgin at 9:40 a. m. Dr. Podstata was very painstaking in showing us through this institution. This institution shows the need of repairs and improvements, many of the floors are practically worn out and need replacing very badly. The laundry, which is a very important part of an institution of this kind, is in a very bad shape and located in a bad place, and there should by all means be other appropriations made for this very important part of this institution. Their cold storage plants amount to but very little compared with what is needed in this line for such

an institution. It is a very small affair and very old from its general appearance and it should be replaced. The overcrowded condition of this institution is very noticeable. The superintendent is developing the industrial feature of this institution. He is very enthusiastic over concrete construction by reason of its cheapness as building material and the fact that the State owns the gravel and has the labor to manufacture the concrete blocks. We saw some of these concrete blocks in the process of construction and think it a very good feature to encourage. The farm and gardens were in nice shape and had an especially nice field of alfalfa. The dairy herd is in splendid condition. One of the dairy barns has been raised higher from the ground, more windows put in and is a fairly sanitary cow barn, with concrete floor and kept clean and nice. In the other barn the ceilings are too low and not enough sunlight.

Saturday, May 15th, arrived at Watertown 5:59 A. M. climbed the hill to the institution and got breakfast and immediately proceeded on our tour of inspection. Dr. Taylor took charge of the men and turned the ladies over to some other parties. Here we found a newer institution, buildings all in first class condition and no place did your committee observe anything out of repair or dirty or unsanitary. The industrial feature has been developed better here than in any institution thus far visited, which the committee thinks worthy of commendation and believes it a good thing to encourage, both as an economical proposition to the State as well as being a very material factor in curing or at least bettering the condition of the patient. It was noted by the committee the interest the patients took in the various departments in which they were employed and appreciated any complimentary remarks made by any of the committee on their work. It was certainly a revelation to the committee to see the rugs, brooms, shoes and various other articles used by the institution manufactured by the patients. The broom corn grown by them, harvested by them and a new broom put on the old broom handle costing the State nothing but the twine and the wire that went in the broom. This feature I think should be commended and encouraged in all our charitable institutions by the Legislature. When we inspected the farm, the hogs, the cattle, the chickens and the growing crops the committee put down Dr. Taylor as an up to date farmer. We saw in one field 125 hogs weighing about 140 pounds and about 200 little pigs and their mothers, none of which had ever eaten an ear of corn so Dr. Taylor informs us, but had been produced on the slop from the institution. The cow barns were in fairly good condition, more light and sunshine would be beneficial, yet kept in a very nice condition. Your committee noticed that the patients in this institution were not so noisy and violent as we have noticed them in other institutions and asked the doctor to show us his most violent patients, some that he had to restrain in some manner or other. He informed us that he had shown us the worst he had. The committee were naturally interested in the cause of the difference in the patients in this institution and the others in this respect. Your committee believes that the industrial feature has much to do with that feature as their minds are occupied with thinking of something else besides their own trouble, together with the hydrotherapeutic baths. On inquiring about that and going and seeing them treated with it we were of the opinion that these two things had much to do with doing away with the noise at this institution. The doctor informed us that all excitable noisy patients were placed in this water and kept there sometimes for days and were invariably taken out quiet. Your committee thinks this an institution managed by a very capable man.

Your committee arrived at Peoria at 4:15 P. M. Saturday, May 15th, were immediately switched out to Bartonville Asylum. Were met by Dr. Zeller who proceeded to immediately show us the institution. We looked over the storehouse and dormitory on the third floor where 150 patients slept at night and noticed that the many windows in this large bedroom were without bars or any other means of preventing the patients from raising the windows and jumping out. We at once began questioning him on that feature of his in-

stitution. He informed us that his was the only institution of its kind in the world that had never had a suicide and informed us that the keys to the doors of the institution had long since been lost, that the patients were permitted to go about as they pleased, return when they pleased so they were there at mealtime and at the usual time to retire which was a new and very interesting feature in the management of an insane asylum to your committee. We visited next the nurses' home which is occupied very largely by patients as well as nurses, after which we repaired to the large dining room where a most excellent supper was served us from the largest kitchen in the world. We were then made comfortable for the night and after breakfast Sunday, May 16th, we continued our inspection of the institution. We were not long in discovering another new feature as all the attendants seemed to be women. On inquiry from Dr. Zeller and the nurses themselves we found that these women had no trouble in managing the most violent patient in the institution. We were informed that no patient had ever attempted to abuse or impose on in any manner any female attendant. Your chairman went with Dr. Zeller at 10:00 o'clock and visited the various dormitories until 12:00 o'clock at night, noted the conditions in the sleeping room and was much interested in the patient manner in which the nurses discharged their multitudinous duties. They were kept constantly on the move, some patients so restless that they were required to go to their bedside and perform the same duty within a very short time. Remarking to the superintendent about the alertness and care of the attendants he was informed that the attendant only worked eight hours out of the twenty-four. Consequently, they were not overworked. They did not grow weary at the end of their shift, consequently less liable to grow impatient or cruel and the patients were better cared for than if they were required to work long hours. Another new feature to your committee and your committee thinks it a very good one for an institution of this kind. Everybody who was not physically sick has some employment. The industrial feature while not developed in as many lines as at Watertown yet along certain lines is fully up to any we have seen. Your committee noticed that the patients who were inclined to talk as we passed by had something good to say about their superintendent. Every nurse or attendant we talked to was enthusiastic over Dr. Zeller's policy in running the institution. One of his chief aims seems to be to keep their mind on something beside their own trouble. He doesn't seem to care so much what it is so they are occupied. The buildings being new and modern all are in excellent physical condition. The repairs and improvements that have been necessary to be made seem to have been made and as in all the other institutions everything scrupulously clean. His tuberculosis tent colony is an inexpensive affair, yet meets the requirements of that class of patients. He is anxious to secure an appropriation of about \$6,000.00 to build a structure for those in the last stages of the disease so that that class of tuberculosis patients could be taken through a little different kind of quarters and those in a dying condition kept away from those who are improving. Your committee thinks it a very good idea. The grounds are very largely in a state of nature as yet. Has been but very little, comparatively speaking, done to beautify them. Dr. Zeller feels it of more importance to first make the necessary provisions for taking care of the patients. Quite a little has been done and is underway by the patients. The institution is new and takes time to do all these things with a limited amount of money. Your committee sees no cause for criticism along that line. The farming feature of this institution has not been developed. They just got possession of 240 acres of farm land, one and one-fourth miles from the institution with two farm houses already on the land, two girls at one place with fifteen male patients, one girl at the other house with twelve patients. The start made in so short a time looks like the doctor might develop into a farmer. Chickens and pigs are already in evidence and he is looking forward to installing the cows as soon as conditions can be arranged to take care of them. Your committee thinks the institution needs more land. It should by all means own a farm which corners within thirty feet of the nurses' home, a large expensive building. The owner has been

offered \$400.00 per acre by the institution for 40 acres that lies so close to the institution. He refuses and wants \$600.00. This very high enhancement in value of his farm your committee thinks is entirely due to the fact that the asylum was established there and this land the owner realizes being very necessary to the institution. Your committee thinks this land should be purchased at sometime for the institution and if necessary an Act giving such institution the right of eminent domain in such cases as such fellows will not be in a position to hold up the State for extravagant values for such property. While Dr. Zellers' plan of managing his patients and conducting his institution is in many respects different from all the others some features of it especially his plan of turning them loose and his eight hour nurse service are features that are discussed a great deal by people interested in such institutions, yet his patients are contented at least as well it seems to the committee as it is possible to make people in such condition. And the observation of your committee is that he is getting the results.

May 17 your committee arrived at the Soldiers' Home at Quincy 9:35 P. M. Was met at the station by Capt. Somerville and his assistants, taken to the Soldiers' Home and entertained for the night. After breakfast we were divided into two parties and proceeded to inspect the institution. The grounds presented a very picturesque sight, the lawns and the many beautiful trees are taken care of in a very artistic manner. The buildings are clean and in most cases in good repair. Some of the older cottages are in need of some repairs, stairsteps in some need replacing and some other minor improvements need to be made. The old soldiers seem to be as a whole happy, contented and well provided for. The chief objection raised by them was the insufficient light. Some of the cottages appointed a committee to wait on us and put in a vigorous kick on the poor light. We noticed on arriving that their grounds were mostly in darkness and we inquired as to the cause of all the trouble about the lighting. We found that 1,300 of the old boys had signed a petition asking a committee to try and procure better lighting facilities. We found upon inquiry that it was costing the Home about, in round figures \$10,000 per annum for light and then not sufficient light in any of the cottages to read a newspaper by. It occurred to the committee that the Light Company in Quincy has been farming the institution in a very profitable manner to themselves and your committee thinks the State should install a lighting plant that will meet the needs of the institution. After inspecting the buildings, the laundry, their heating plant, the farmers on the committee proceeded to inspect the stock and farm generally. They found the best herd of cows they have seen at any of the institutions. We found them taken care of in the best manner of any other institution seen thus far. The cows are milked in a large barn, 66 of them, fed and in bad weather turned out for the night in a lot with open sheds to go under. In summer time they are turned at night in the pasture. On inquiry we found their cattle when tested to be healthy and free from tuberculosis. The head farmer informed us it was his practice to select heifer calves from the best milking cows and let them grow and develop into milk cows. Now, having thirty-four heifers of various ages on the farm to take the place of other cows, a system we found in no other institution. We found 400 hogs being fed from the institution, 200 of which are ready to market at a weight of about 250 pounds each, facilities for feeding and caring for the same good. We think Capt. Somerville and Dr. Taylor the best hog men we have in any of the institutions. We found the farm while small is very intensely farmed, being devoted chiefly to the production of vegetables. All seems to be started off in good shape about 30 acres of corn being planted on rented land. The orchard both young orchard and bearing orchard is a thing of beauty and a joy forever, trees trimmed up nicely, trunks whitewashed and the land cultivated in potatoes or some other vegetable crop. By reason of the help being of a higher mental caliber everything presented a much neater appearance than any place we have seen.

Your committee arrived at Jacksonville May 17th about 9:00 o'clock, were met by Dr. Carriel and taken to the hotel for the night. After breakfast May 18th at 8:30 we took a street car to the institution, arriving there about 9:00 o'clock. The committee proceeded to inspect the premises and found the same general condition as to cleanliness about the same as the other institutions. The buildings are in good repair considering their age. We noticed some repairs necessary to be done. Very few patients were on the wards, most of them being out on the lawns or in the fields at work and scattered around over the premises in various capacities accompanied by attendants. We did not see any under mechanical restraint although the superintendent informed us that such was done in some cases. The supply of drinking water at the institution is bad. The question of securing a water supply for that purpose seems to be a puzzling one for the superintendent. It is a very vital one and we hope he will be able to solve it and the institution provided with a sufficient water supply for that purpose. The laundry recently constructed partly out of an old building is a very nicely arranged affair about as good as we have seen. The kitchen being too small to meet the needs of the institution, your committee thinks should be made larger. The water reservoir has recently been fenced in in such a manner as to greatly lessen the danger of patients getting in and drowning. Some other institutions with open reservoirs would do well to look at this fence and construct one along the same lines. The farm which is mostly devoted to truck farming is in splendid condition. The growing crops are advanced for the time of year, clean, well cultivated and presented a very beautiful picture, attended entirely by the patients. A larger farm could be worked economically and profitably to the State by this institution. The industrial feature aside from farming is not developed so well in this institution as in some others. The dairy herd had been taken away to the pasture and we did not have the time to go see it. We inspected the dairy barns and found the best equipped dairy barn that we have found at any institution in Illinois. He follows the same plans in handling his cows as does Capt. Somerville, except he has a little better equipment. He maintains a large barn in which the cows are milked located upon the east side of his cow lot. On the west side and on the north side he has open sheds open to the south and east and his cows can run in and out at will. Over the sheds a hay mow which makes it convenient to feed the cows in the sheds. After they are milked they are turned out of the large barns into this yard. It is an ideal condition under which to handle cows and it didn't cost \$20,000 either. Some of these men who are advocating \$20,000 dairy barns for our State institutions had better go to Jacksonville and inspect this plant and thereby obtain a little cow sense. Your committee feels that the dairy is an important part of our charitable institutions. Not a single cow from this herd when tested reacted and what is done here with a cow can be done any place else and at a cost that will not appall the tax payers either. We think this is a very well managed institution everything considered. However, his plan of selling the slop from the institution at \$600 per year instead of feeding it to the hogs did not appeal to your committee, but when he explained that the farm was a mile or more away where he was obliged to keep his hogs that at certain times of the year that it was a physical impossibility almost to haul that slop to the hog on account of the bad condition of the roads. We all know what a central Illinois road is sometimes and thought that mitigating reason for selling the slop instead of feeding it. His tuberculosis hospital now almost complete, not a very expensive affair, however, did not appeal to the committee as being as good a building for such purposes as we have seen at other institutions. We are not physicians or authority on such matters, however, but are inclined to believe that the arrangement at Watertown, Bartonville, for tuberculosis colonies are better.

Your committee arrived at Springfield Tuesday, May 18th, at 2:40 P. M., all feeling that they had never appreciated what Illinois was doing in the way of public charities until they had taken this trip. It occurred to the committee that it would be a good idea for this committee to make this trip soon after the House was organized and spend a little more time at each

institution, go over their appropriation bills and report back to the Appropriations Committee before the public hearing on these institutions. We believe the committee would be in a position to provide for the needs of these institutions more intelligently by having some knowledge of the condition that exists in the various institutions before the superintendents appear before the committee. However, that is a matter for future Legislatures to consider. This committee on arriving at an institution would inspect it as thoroughly as the time would permit and get a general idea of the conditions in the various parts of the institution. On leaving each day we had a meeting on board the car and discussed the conditions as we saw them at the institution and then wrote up a short report on what we had observed. We think as much as was necessary by reason of the trip being made so late in the session. The general conditions at the institutions were better, taken as a whole, than most of the committee expected to find. We think there are some improvements that might be made in some of the institutions that would be very desirable. Mr. Naylor on whom the committee relied to inspect and pass on the efficiency of the heating plants informs the committee that at some of the institutions improvements could be made on heating plants that would be a saving to the State and greatly add to the comfort and convenience of the institutions. Some of the plants are modern and up to date, while some are not. The farms that were inspected by the farmers on the committee are kept generally in good shape. One thing we noticed at some of the institutions the wagons and other farming tools were left standing out of the shed more than they should be, while at others every implement not in use was in the shed in its place. A matter of some importance and they think some superintendents should look after that feature a little better. The truck farming of which a great deal is done at each institution your committee thinks is well done. The dairy which is a very important part of an institution of this kind we think in some of the institutions could be improved upon. We think the superintendents could meet at the various institutions in this State and study these matters and equip the dairies in this State in their institutions much better than they are now and with but very little cost to the State. We find all the institutions except two turning the slop of their institutions to good account feeding hogs. One superintendent claiming it netted him \$3,000 per year for slop. We presume that is about the extreme figure claimed on hog raising at the institution. Two other institutions sell their slop for \$600 a year each. That is a little matter of dollars and cents to the State that our superintendents might do well to consider. Another very important part of an institution of this kind is their laundry and their kitchen and dining room. Most of them, however, are fairly well equipped. Those that are not your committee thinks should be. As to the general management and care of patients your committee has very little knowledge. We noticed some differences in the condition of the patients in the various institutions. Patients in some institutions being more noisy and apparently more discontented and unhappy than in others. This feature was talked of and speculated upon by the committee, yet owing to our short stay at each institution and our limited knowledge of such institutions it would be only a guess as to the reasons for these differences of condition. Taken as a whole your committee thinks Illinois has no reason to feel ashamed of her charitable institutions.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

CHARLES ADKINS,
Chairman Committee.

The foregoing report was received as presented, and ordered incorporated in the journal.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter introduced a bill, House Bill No. 736, a bill for "An Act to create a State Board of Education and to define its powers and duties."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack called up House Bill No. 657, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 657, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 103; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Mills,	Terrill,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Huston,	Morris,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Black,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Myers,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Espy,	Jewel,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Brady,	Etherton,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	White,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Wright,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Rigney,	York,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Scott,	Yeas—103
Cliffe,	Grace,	Link,	Shaw,	
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Shephard, H. A.	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Daley,	Kannally,	Kirkpatrick,	Riley,	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up House Bill No. 297, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 297, a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Maclean,	Riley,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McCollum,	Robinson,
Alschuler,	English,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Huston,	McNichols,	Scott,
Behrens,	Espy,	Putzier,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Black,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Burns,	Galligan,	King,	Myers,	Troyer,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Walsb,
Butts,	Glade,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Carter,	Grace,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Whedian,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lane,	O'Toole,	White,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Link,	Price,	Wright,
Dillon,	Holaday,	Logan,	Richter,	York
Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Rigney,	

Yeas—109

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue to which was referred House Bill No. 483, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 9, section 10 as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, section 12, section 13 as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, and section 29 as amended by the Act approved May 24, 1907, of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named, approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.'"

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 706, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 706, a bill for "An Act requiring common carriers of freight to provide and maintain sidetracks and connections for shippers and receivers of freight."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 95.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Gray,	Lederer,	Rigney,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Shepherd, H. A.
Adkins,	Curran,	Hamilton,	Link,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Smekkal,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hope,	McConnell,	Stearns,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Huston,	McNichols,	Terrill,
Black,	English,	Ireland,	Mills,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fahy,	Keck,	Morris,	Wardell,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	White,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Glade,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Price,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Zipf,

Yeas—95

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 27, reported the same back with the recommendation that it be adopted.

Pending discussion Mr. Tippet moved that further consideration of the committee's report be postponed and that it be made a special order for Wednesday, May 26.

The motion prevailed, and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wheelan called up House Bill No. 629, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 629, a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties, bridge, bridges and toll roads owned or constructed by cities or villages and to be forever kept open for public travel and maintained by counties."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Donahue,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Black,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Browne,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fahy,	King,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Wardell,
Bush,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wright,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Piereson,	York,
Chipfield,	Gorman,	Link,	Price,	Zinger,
Church,	Grace,	Lyon,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Maclean,	Riley,	

Yeas—104

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Kirkpatrick, Rigney,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Corcoran, from the Committee to Visit Educational Institutions submitted the following report:

To the Speaker and House of Representatives of the State of Illinois:

The undersigned, your committee, heretofore appointed to visit the educational institutions of the State of Illinois, beg leave to report as follows:

Your committee left Springfield on May 3, 1909 at five o'clock, A. M. and arrived at Jacksonville and were immediately conveyed to the Illinois School for the Deaf. Your committee made a careful investigation of the work being done in this institution. They visited each and every department and made a special investigation of the work in the class room. Your committee was above all things impressed with the fact that the people of this State do not realize the great and important work of this institution, and that for year after year, for more than sixty-seven years, this institution has been quietly but effectively carrying on its great work. Graduates of this institution are found in all parts of the nation, young, middle-aged and old—children who are just stepping forth into life and old men and women who are about to pass into the great beyond—but it seems that not one of them have forgotten their *alma mater*. The principal of teaching the deaf to read the silent movements of the lips of another is not only remarkable but astounding to the ordinary individual. Here in this institution is this system taught to perfection. This institution is particularly favored in the fact that its present superintendent Mr. Charles P. Gillett, was born, nursed and brought up within its walls. He is part and parcel of the institution himself and the soul of its being. Your committee is not permitted in this short report to go into details but suffice it to say that it is the unanimous opinion of this committee that the Illinois School for the Deaf is one of the best institutions in the State and one that should be fostered to its full limit. It is a great satisfaction to know that the taxpayer's money is so well and carefully invested and distributed.

Your committee next visited the Illinois School for the Blind at Jacksonville and we are pleased to say that this institution for the purposes for which it was founded, is accomplishing as great a work for the blind as the institution for the deaf is for those deprived of hearing. Your committee took occasion to make a careful investigation as to the method of teaching in this school and found that it compares favorably with any institution of its kind in the country. Prof. George W. Jones is the present superintendent of this school and for the short time that he has been with it we are pleased to say that there has been a substantial improvement. Mr. Jones is recognized authority upon instruction for the blind and has written a book on the subject of "Tactile Print." It is difficult to find employment for the blind as they are so handicapped with blindness but they are taught many useful trades in which they achieve great success. Every dollar that the people of the State spend upon these unfortunate people is well and humanely spent. Your committee was especially pleased with the ability and good work done by Mr. Arthur Jewell, the blind printer of the institution. Great quantities of his work are sent out over the United States and foreign countries and by this means of disseminating knowledge to the blind his service is to them of untold value.

On May 3, 1909, your committee arrived at the Western Illinois State Normal School at Macomb, Illinois, and spent the day in going through this admirable institution. Upon first view of the institution one is struck with the beauty of its site from which the landscape of the

surrounding country is presented in beautiful picturesqueness. The building is a magnificent stone structure built after the most modern plans and it appears on the face of it that the State got returns on every dollar invested in the building. The great credit for this, as we understand it, is due to the board of trustees. Prof. Alfred Bayliss, M. S., is the principal of this school and while it is a new institution in our State there were enrolled during the year 1908 six hundred and thirty-three students. The spirit of the school is exemplary, each student exhibiting great loyalty to the institution and to its principal, Prof. Bayliss. It is needless for this committee to pass praise upon the principal of this school whose reputation is already national and world-wide. In his new position as principal of this school he has lost none of his old-time vigor and efficiency as a school master.

Your committee on May 5, 1909, arrived at DeKalb, Illinois, and immediately proceeded to visit the Northern Illinois State Normal School situated at that place. The attendance at this school for 1907-1908 was seven hundred and forty-one. The graduating class of last year was the largest ever graduated by a State Normal School in Illinois. The present attendance is up to the average. This school has the distinctive feature of putting into the educational fields teachers of merit who maintain their positions successfully as such. It is estimated that not more than two per cent of the teachers graduated from this institution have left the pedagogical field. This school is in charge of Prof. John W. Cook who for many years successfully conducted a State Normal at Normal, Illinois. It is apparent, upon investigation, that he has met with eminent success and it is not for us to add anything to his ability in the educational world as a teacher. He stands as a peer of the best. The spirit of industry among the students is clearly manifest and it is the opinion of the committee that the good work of this institution should be encouraged and fostered to its full extent.

Your committee, on May 6, 1909, arrived at Champaign and at once proceeded to visit the State University. The magnitude of this school challenges at once the admiration of the visitor and renders it impossible to make a report upon the condition thereof in a short report. Furthermore, instead of a day at least a week should be spent to properly give an idea of the work which this great institution is doing. We are satisfied to say that under its present management it will soon rank with the first among the institutions of learning in the United States.

Proceeding on its journey your committee visited the Eastern Normal School at Charleston on May 7th. This school is in charge of the famous educator, Livingston C. Lord, LL. D. Your committee begs to report that they found this school in a most admirable condition. Too much credit cannot be given, to Mr. George H. Jeffries, treasurer of the institution, and one of its trustees. His entire time is devoted to its needs and entirely without compensation. Charleston and its vicinity owes a debt of gratitude to the work of these men.

Your committee, on May 8th, arrived at Carbondale, Illinois, and immediately proceeded to visit the Southern Illinois State Normal University. Your committee was particularly struck with the fact that the students in this school were somewhat further advanced in age than at the other schools and seemed to be thoroughly intent upon making a success of their chosen profession. Many young men and young women are working their way unaided through this institution. On account of the smallness of the city of Carbondale the work of the school is retarded because of the fact that proper quarters are not available for the students in the city. They are in great need of a women's dormitory, and your committee believes that it should be constructed at once.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. H. CORCORAN,
Chairman.

The foregoing report was received as presented, and ordered incorporated in the journal.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary.

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 32.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 25 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization; and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.

SENATE BILL No. 197.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and County Farmers' Institutes.

SENATE BILL No. 273.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign fire insurance companies for the benefit of organized fire departments," in force July 1, 1895, of which section 1 was amended by Act approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

SENATE BILL No. 337.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs.

SENATE BILL No. 350.

A bill for an Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

SENATE BILL No. 425.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and regulate cemeteries," approved March 24, 1874, amended by an Act, approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, amended by an Act approved June 14, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, amended by an Act approved and in force March 3, 1905, by adding thereto the following to be designated as section 2, section 3 and section 4 respectively.

SENATE BILL No. 444.

A bill for an Act to amend section 18 of an Act amending an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 490.

A bill for an Act making appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois.

SENATE BILL No. 497.

A bill for an Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any mechanical establishment, or factory or laundry in order to safeguard the health of such employes; to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation.

SENATE BILL No. 503.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act to establish terms of circuit court for Jefferson county."

SENATE BILL No. 508.

A bill for an Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, "An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois, and regulating the conditions and provisions of policies of life insurance companies, organized under the laws of this State, or doing business herein," approved May 20, 1907, in force January 1, 1908.

SENATE BILL No. 512.

A bill for an Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations," approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903.

SENATE BILL No. 514.

A bill for an Act providing for the establishment of a State Probation Commission.

SENATE BILL No. 515.

A bill for an Act to enable cities and villages to purchase, construct or enlarge waterworks, to provide for the management thereof, and giving them authority to levy an annual tax for the creation of a fund for such purchase, construction or enlarging, and limiting the granting or extension of waterworks franchise.

SENATE BILL No. 519.

A bill for an Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water," approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 521.

A bill for an Act making an appropriation for the expenses of a commission appointed by the Governor of this State, under and by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 of the Forty-fifth General Assembly, adopted by the Senate May 11, 1907, and concurred in by the House of Representatives, November 27, 1907.

Passed by the Senate May 20, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 32, 197, 273, 337, 350, 425, 444, 490, 497, 503, 508, 512, 514, 515, 519 and 521 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 337, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 337, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 197, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 197, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 521, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 521, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the expenses of a commission appointed by the Governor of this State under and by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 of the 45th General Assembly, adopted by the Senate May 11, 1907, and concurred in by the House of Representatives, November 27, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 490, in the order of first reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 490, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of bills of the following titles, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 100.

A bill for "An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks and deputy county or probate clerks, from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions.

HOUSE BILL No. 117.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the catching of white fish, trout, herring, chubs, longjaws, blackfins, perch, and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois," approved May 17, 1907; in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto two new sections, to be known as section 8a and section 8b.

Passed by the Senate May 20, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 406.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 245 and 248a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905; as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

Together with the following amendments thereto; in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

Amend title by striking out the figures "245" and inserting the figure "1" in lieu thereof. Also by striking out the figures and letter "248a" and inserting the figure and letter "4a" in lieu thereof. Amend by inserting, following the word "force," in the third line of title, the words and figures: "July 1, 1883; as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force."

Amend section 1, line 2, by striking out the figures "245" and inserting the figure "1" in lieu thereof. Also by striking out the figures and letter "248a" and inserting the figure and letter "4a" in lieu thereof.

Amend line 7 by striking out the figures "245" and inserting the figure "1" in lieu thereof.

Amend line 7 by striking out the word "fifty" and inserting the words "twenty-five per cent of the" in lieu thereof.

Amend lines 8 and 9 by striking out the following: "(or where there are less than one hundred such freeholders, a majority of them.)"

Amend line 20, on page 2, by adding the following words: "If in any such petition a special election shall be requested for such purpose, it shall be called in the manner provided for calling special elections in section 4a of this Act."

Amend section 4a, line 21, by striking out the figures and letter "248a" and inserting the figure and letter "4a" in lieu thereof.

Amend by inserting after the word "Act," in line 24, the words: "or concurrently with the election for such special tax."

Amend by striking out the word "their," in line 26, and inserting the word "other" in lieu thereof.

Amend by striking out the words "one hundred," in line 33, and inserting the words "twenty-five per cent" in lieu thereof.

Amend lines 34 and 35 by striking out "(or where there may be less than two hundred such freeholders, then a majority of them.)"

Amend lines 80 and 81 by striking out the following: "(Added by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.)"

Passed Senate with amendments May 20, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendments to House Bill No. 406 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 251, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 251, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violation of the same,' approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 117; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	King,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	Walsb,
Burns,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Parker,	White,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield,	Gray,	Link,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Richter,	York,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Holiday,			

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Mr. Speaker.

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Adkins called up House Bill No. 477, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 477, a bill for "An Act to prevent creating a monopoly in the business of buying milk, cream or butter-fat for the purpose of manufacture or buy poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of sale or storage."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hutzel,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Bolin,	Espy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murray,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Bush,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Carter,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Whelan,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Kowaiski,	Perkins,	White,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Link,	Rigney,	York,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Riley,	Zipf,

Yeas—110

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 619, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 619, a bill for "An Act to prevent any person, partnership or corporation connected as owner, part owner, officer, director, stockholder, agent or employé with, or financially interested in any brewery or distillery, from keeping or having any financial interest in a dramshop, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of this Act, and also to provide that any citizen or taxpayer may enforce this Act by a bill in equity."

Having been printed was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Cermak moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Chiperfield moved to lay the motion of Mr. Cermak upon the table.

And on that question, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 70; nays, 42.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Robinson,
Adkins,	English,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	McCullum,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Espy,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Hull,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Huston,	Montelius,	Terriil,
Bush,	Klags,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Butts,	Foster,	Jewell,	Parker,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kannally,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Kittleman,	Price,	Wright,
Crawford,	Gray,	Kleeman,	Rigney,	York,
DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	Riley,	Zipf,

Yeas—70

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Flannigen,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Murray,	Shepherd, H. A.
Browne,	Gorman,	Lederer,	O'Brien,	Smejkal,
Burns,	Griffin,	Maclean,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Corcoran,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Poulton,	Wheeler,
Curran,	Hruby,	Morris,	Richter,	White,
Dillon,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
Fahy,	Keck,			Nays—42

And the motion to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

Pending consideration at the hour of 6:35 o'clock p. m., Mr. Chiperfield moved that this House do now take a recess until 8:00 o'clock p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 8:00 o'clock p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

The pending order of business, at the hour of taking a recess, being the consideration of House Bill No. 619 in the order of second reading, the same was again taken up.

Whereupon, Mr. Hull offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 619 by adding to line nine (9) of section three (3) of the printed bill the following: "and that no brewery or distillery or agent thereof has or is to have any interest, either as owner or otherwise, in the license to be granted or in the bar equipment in the premises in which the liquor is to be sold either as a mortgagee or otherwise.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 619 by adding after line 7 of section one of the printed bill the following: "or to have any interest, directly or indirectly, either as owner or lessee of the premises in which such dramshop is located or as mortgagees or otherwise in the fixtures on said premises or in the license to sell liquor thereon.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Cermak offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT. No 3.

Amend House Bill No. 619 by inserting another section after "Section 5" to be known as "Section 5A" as follows: "Section 5A. This Act and the provisions thereof, shall not apply in any case to a so-called 'mutual' or 'co-operative' brewery."

Mr. Chipperfield moved to lay the foregoing amendment upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table,

It was decided in the affirmative and amendment number 3 was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed, and the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Hull moved that House Bill No. 619 be made a special order on third reading for Tuesday, May 25, 1909.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Chipperfield moved to recall House Bill No. 656 to second reading for the purpose of amendment:

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Chipperfield offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 656 by striking out in section one (1), in line 6, after the word "Act" the words "and to fix the maximum charges." Also, strike out all of line seven (7), of said section.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 656 by inserting after the word "State" in line three of section 9 the following: "and to any person who shall satisfy the committee that he or she is a person of good moral character and has been actively and continuously engaged in the business of court reporting for the general public for at least ten years prior to the passage of this Act."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The House, proceeding upon the order of House Bills on First Reading,

House Bill No. 347, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal institutions in the State of Illinois in the manufacture of and preparing road building and ballasting material, and to provide for securing quarry sites and erection of suitable stockades and barracks, and for the transfer and detention of prisoners within such stockades and barracks by the wardens of State penal institutions, and to repeal Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 24, a bill for "An Act to compel the publication by common carriers of passengers of the time of the arrival and departure of their trains and other conveyances in the various cities and villages of this State."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

House Bill No. 145, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property, and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pervier called up Senate Bill No. 196, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 196, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield called up House Bill No. 714, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 714, a bill for "An Act to amend section 37 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26th, 1874, in force July 1st, 1874, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections thirty-seven, seventy-four, and one-hundred and one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26th, 1874, approved May 23rd, 1883, in force July 1st, 1883."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 92.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
ApMadoe,	English,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Espy,	Huston,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kannally,	Murray,	Terrill,
Burns,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Glade,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Werdehl,
Carter,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipperfield,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Curran,	Hamilton,	Link,	Robinson,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Holiday,			

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Blair called up House Bill No. 712, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 712, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to establish terms of circuit courts for Jefferson county.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Lewis,	Richter,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Link,	Rigney,
Alschuler,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Robinson,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hope,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Beck,	Espy,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hull,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Huston,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stearns,
Bolin,	Flannigen,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Jewell,	Morris,	Terrill,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippitt,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Keck,	Murray,	Troyer,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Weltcrn,
Butts,	Glade,	Kittleman,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Grace,	Kowalski,	O'Tooie,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	Pervier,	York,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lederer,	Pierson,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,			

Yeas—102

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter called up House Bill No. 688, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 688, a bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations to which was referred Senate Bill No. 387, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies," approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 717, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 717, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning suits at law for personal injuries and against cities, villages and towns,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Riley,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hull,	Montellus,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Espy,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Keck,	Naylor,	Trover,
Browne,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Fulton,	King,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Lewis,	Price,	York,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Loan,	Rigney,	
DeWolf,		Lyon,		

Yeas—106

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan called up House Bill No. 422, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 422, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 84; nays, 6.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Church,	Gillespie,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Grace,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Morris,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Beck,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Murray,	Trover,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Hope,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Blair,	English,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	King,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Riley,	Wright,
Carter,	Foster,	Lederer,	Scanlan,	York,
Cermak,	Fulton,	Link,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Galligan,	Lyon,	Shephard, H. A.	

Yeas—84

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Corcoran,	Keck,	Kirkpatrick,	Kowalski,	Montelius,
Geshkewich,				Nays—6

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 672, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 672, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same, and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

Pending roll call Mr. Church moved to recall House Bill No. 672, to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 672 was placed in the order of House Bills on second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. O'Brien called up House Bill No. 461, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 461, a bill for "An Act amending section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the use of clock, tape, slot or other machines or devices for gambling purposes,' approved and in force June 21, 1895."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 77; nays, 12.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Jewell,	Morris,	Sollitt,
AbMadoc,	Durfee,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Terill,
Blair,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Etherton,	King,	Nelson,	Trover,
Briscoe,	Flags,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Fervier,	Werdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Whelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lyon,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Groves, J.,	Maclean,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	McLaughlin,	Richtner,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Rigney,	Wright,
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.	York,
Dillon,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf,
Donahue,	Huston,			

Yeas—77

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hilton,	Lederer,	Parker,
Alschuler,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Clark,	Griffin,			Nays—12

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. O'Brien moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 461 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Kleeman moved to lay the motion of Mr. O'Brien upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. York called up House Bill No. 470, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 470, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) and two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited, to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor,' approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 93.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Link,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMaDoc,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
Reckemeyer,	English,	Hull,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Huston,	Mills,	Terrill,
Blair,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Morris,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Welborn,
Browne,	Flags,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Werdell,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Wheeler,
Burns,	Fulton,	King,	Nelson,	White,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Grace,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Price,	York,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.		Rigney,	

Yeas—93

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up House Bill No. 481, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 481, a bill for "An Act to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize mining or manufacturing companies to own and hold shares of the capital stock and to own and hold securities of railroad companies whose roads shall connect the different plants of such mining or manufacturing companies.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

Pending roll call Mr. Durfee moved to postpone further consideration.

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lyon called up House Bill No. 321, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 321, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale or giving away cigarettes, cigarette papers or wrappers or other substitutes therefor and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 87; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Griffin,	Lane,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	Lederer,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Link,	Smejkal,
Bolin,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Sollitt,
Briscoe,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Browne,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Erickson,	Hull,	Morris,	Tippit,
Burns,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Troyer,
Bush,	Etterton,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Fahy,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Carter,	Foster,	Keck,	Parker,	White,
Cermak,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Galligan,	King,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	Rigney,	York,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Kleeman,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Grace,	Kowalski,		

Yeas—87

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Hilton,	C'Toole,	Riley,	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. White called up House Bill No. 67, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 67, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety and health of employes, and passengers upon street and interurban railroads, and specifying certain equipment for same, with penalty attached for violation of the provisions thereof.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 78; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Shepard, H. A.
Beck,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Smejkal,
Beherns,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Morris,	Welborn,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, Wm.	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Etherton,	Keck,	Naylor,	White,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wilson, R. E.
Burns,	Foster,	King,	O'Toole,	York,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Zipf,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Mr. Speaker.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Price,	
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lane,	Rigney,	

Yeas—78

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Carter, Stevenson, Wilson, G. H.

Nays—3

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe called up House Bill No. 39, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 39, a bill for "An Act to amend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so as to include the complete administration of testate estates."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Glade called up Senate Bill No. 442, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 442, a bill for "An Act amending section 39 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent fraud in the sale of dairy products, their imitation or substitutes, to prohibit and prevent the manufacture and sale of unhealthful, adulterated or misbranded food, liquors or dairy products, to provide for the appointment of a State food commissioner and his assistants, to define their powers and duties, and to repeal all Acts relating to the production, manufacture and sale of dairy and food products and liquors in conflict herewith,' approved May 14, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster called up Senate Bill No. 113, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 113, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of fish in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue called up House Bill No. 167, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 167, a bill for "An Act in regard to the contests of wills."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, the special order on House Bill No. 615 set for this day was postponed until tomorrow.

At the hour of 11:10 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Venerable Frederick A. DeRosset.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Geshkewich the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Link called up House Bill No. 275, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 275, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article XV of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to township organization,' approved and in force March 4, 1874."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 88; nays, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Logan,	Richter,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Robinson,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Shaw.
Blair,	Erckson,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Stearns.
Brownback,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Walsh,
Bush,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Wardell.
Butts,	Fulton,	King,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	White,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Wilson, R. E.
Chamberfield,	Glade,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	York.
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Pierson,	
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Poulton,	Yeas—88

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Etherton,	Kirkpatrick,	Tippit,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Hull,	Parker,		Nays—8

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter called up House Bill No. 576, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 576, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of optometry in the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 29; nays, 50.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Church,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Hope,	Naylor,	Wheelan.
Bush,	Flagg,	Huston,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gorman,	Hutzler,	Pervier,	Wright,
Campbell,	Grace,	Ireland,	Robinson,	York.
Carter,	Hamilton,	Kerrick,	Scanlan,	Yeas—29

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Price,
Abrahams,	English,	Hilton,	Link,	Richter.
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Logan,	Shepherd, H. A.
Blair,	Espy,	Hubby,	McConnell,	Smejkal,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Tippit,
Cliffe,	Galligan,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Crawford,	Glade,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Curran,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	White.
				Nays—50

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared lost.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butts called up House Bill No. 31, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 31, a bill for "An Act to provide for fees of clerks of probate courts in counties of the second class."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 90; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hull,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Foster,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Bush,	Galligan,	King,	Murray,	Troyer,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Glade,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	White,
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Link,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Corcoran,	Hilton,	Logan,	Pierson,	Wilson, E. E.
Crawford,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Poulton,	Wright,
Curran,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Price,	York.
DeWolf,	Hope,	McCollum,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
				Yeas—90

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

English,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Nays—3
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns called up House Bill No. 587, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 587, a bill for "An Act concerning the publication of legal notices."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 78; nays, 9.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Hruby,	Lyon,	Riley,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hull,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Huston,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Beherns,	Durfee,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	English,	Jewell,	McNichols,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Espy,	King,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Werdel,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	York,
Church,	Hamilton,	Lederer,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Holaday,	Link,		Yeas—78

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Blair,	Foster,	Griffin,	Keck,	Price,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Groves, J.,	Murphy, Wm.	Nays—9

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. H. A. Shephard called up House Bill No. 713, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 713, a bill for "An Act relating to the conduct of hotel inns, and public lodging houses."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 80; nays, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Browne,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Burgett,	English,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Burns,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Tippit,
Bush,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Butts,	Flannigan,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Werdel,
Campbell,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Chipherfield,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Glade,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Corcoran,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	Wright,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf,

Yeas—80

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Brownback,	Kerrick,	Robinson,	Welborn,	York,
Hull,	Kirkpatrick,	Troyer,		Nays—8

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker, from the Committee on Drainage and Waterways, to which was referred House Bill No. 728, being a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the DesPlaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 22, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

At 12:00 o'clock Meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon the following Senators answered to their names: Messrs. Funk, Hay,

And there were 2 members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Abrahams,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Montelius,	Robinson,
Alschuler,	Galligan,	King,	Morris,	Scanlan,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Burgett,	Glade,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Groves, W. M.	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Stevenson,
Butts,	Hilton,	Link,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Perkins,	Wardell,
Curran,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Donahue,	Jewell,	McConnell,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
English,	Keck,	McNichols,	Richter,	
Erickson,				

And there were 50 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 52 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received 2 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Funk, Hay,

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	16 votes
George Edmund Foss received	2 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	7 votes
C. T. Irwin received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	8 votes
Joseph S. Geshkewich received	1 vote
Robert Egan received	1 vote
James F. Farrell received	2 votes
Emanuel M. Abrahams received	1 vote
John H. Montgomery received	3 votes
P. J. Sullivan received	3 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote
P. J. Donahue received	1 vote
Benjamin Burroughs received	1 vote
George E. Brennan received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Burgett,	Keck,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Robinson,
Flagg,	Kerrick,	Lyon,	Pierson,	Scanlan,
Hollenbeck,	King,	Montelius,	Richter,	Stevenson,
Jewell,				—16

Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Butts,	Maclean,	—2
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,	—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Bush,	Curran,	McNichols,	Smejkal,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Glade,			—7

Those voting for C. T. Irwin are: Mr. Price—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	O'Brien,	Shephard, H. A.	Whedian,
English,	Morris,	O'Neil,		—8

Those voting for Joseph S. Geshkewich are: Mr. Abrahams—1.

Those voting for Robert Egan are: Mr. Alschuler—1.

Those voting for James F. Farrell are: Messrs.

Browne,	Wilson, R. E.	—2
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Those voting for Emanuel M. Abrahams are: Mr. Geshkewich—1.

Those voting for John H. Montgomery are: Messrs.

Hilton,	Hruby,	Lantz,	—3
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Those voting for P. J. Sullivan are: Messrs.

Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,	Werdell,	—3
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Those voting for Arthur F. Evans are: Mr. McConnell—1.

Those voting for P. J. Donahue are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

Those voting for Benjamin Burroughs are: Mr. Link—1.

Those voting for George E. Brennan are: Mr. Galligan—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the ninety-first joint ballot as follows:

Total number of votes cast 53, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	18 votes
George Edmund Foss received	2 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	7 votes
C. T. Irwin received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	8 votes
Joseph S. Geshkewich received	1 vote
Robert Egan received	1 vote
James F. Farrell received	2 votes
Emanuel M. Abrahams received	1 vote
John H. Montgomery received	3 votes
P. J. Sullivan received	3 votes
Arthur F. Evans received	1 vote
P. J. Donahue received	1 vote
Benjamin Burroughs received	1* vote
George E. Brennan received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:20 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield called up House Bill No. 727, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 727, a bill for "An Act to repeal, set aside, cancel, determine and annul all of the rights, privileges, franchises and easements of 'The Chicago Dock and Canal Company,' its assigns, lessees, successors or grantees as conferred upon it by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled, 'An Act to incorporate a company for the improvement by canals and harbors of the east part of Kenzie's addition to the city of Chicago,' approved February 12, 1857,"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Beherns,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Blair,	English,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murray,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welhorn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	C'Toolc,	Werdell,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Whedian,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Church,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Link,	Riley,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Yeas—94

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe called up House Bill No. 670, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 670, a bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 85.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Keck,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beherns,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Blair,	Flannigen,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Welhorn,
Burns,	Glade,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Bush,	Grace,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Whedian,
Butts,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Groves, W. M.	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipherfield,	Hilton,	Logan,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.,
Crawford,	Hope,	Maclean,	Riley,	Wright,
Curran,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	York,
Dillon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shanahan,	Zipf,

Yeas—85

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hilton called up House Bill No. 639, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 639, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of insanitary, dangerous or deadly headgear or hats, and to regulate the exhibition thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

Pending roll call Mr. Hilton moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 639 be postponed until Wednesday, May 26, 1909.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that a House Bill of the following title has been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL NO. 539.

A bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor and to repeal an Act therein named."

The foregoing House Bill No. 539 was placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Foster moved to reconsider the vote by which the House concurred in the report of the Committee on Appropriations with reference to House Bill No. 488 on May 19th.

And the motion prevailed.

And the vote by which the report of the committee was adopted was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan moved that House Bill No. 488 be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Browne moved to lay the motion of Mr. Shanahan upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative, and the motion to re-refer was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Browne moved that the recommendation of the Committee on Appropriations be non-concurred in and that House Bill No. 488 be placed in the order of House Bills on First Reading.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

At the hour of 1:35 o'clock p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 3:00 o'clock p. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Abbey called up House Bill No. 347, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 347, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal institutions in the State of Illinois in the manufacture of and preparing road building and ballasting material, and to provide for securing quarry sites and erection of suitable stockades and barracks, and for the transfer and detention of prisoners within such stockades and barracks by the wardens of the State penal institutions, and to repeal Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 672, the same having been heretofore recalled to the order of second reading May 20th was again taken up.

Whereupon, Mr. Church offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 672 by striking out all of section 4, on page 2 of said bill after the words "exhibit at least one lighted lamp," where they appear in line 13 of the bill as printed and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "which shall be so situated as to throw a red light visible in the reverse direction. The identification number at the back of the vehicle provided for in section 3 shall be permanently attached to the vehicle so that it will not swing loosely and shall be so lighted as to be plainly visible. Upon each of the glass fronts of the two first mentioned lamps, showing white lights shall be displayed in such manner as to be plainly visible when such lamps are lighted the number of the certificate issued as aforesaid by the Secretary of State and in addition thereto the letters, "Ill." such figures to be in separate Arabic numerals not less than one inch in height.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 672 by striking out all after the word "therefor" in line 43 of section 9 of the printed bill and all of lines 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50 up to and including the word "years," and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

"And who shall within six months thereafter be convicted of a second violation of such section, may be fined in a sum not exceeding double the penalty herein provided for a first violation and in addition thereto may have his certificate or license issued by the Secretary of State revoked for a period not exceeding 60 days; and for a third or subsequent violation of such section within 6 months after the date of such second violation, the certificate of license may, in addition to the fine provided for a second offense be revoked for a period not exceeding 6 months.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 210, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 210, a bill for "An Act imposing new and additional duties upon the State Water Survey," and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 210 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 1, section 2, the words and figures "\$20,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$7,500."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Section 1, line 2, strike out the words "State Water Survey" and insert in lieu thereof "Trustees of the University of Illinois, authorized and directed by the Act of June 7, 1897, to make a chemical and biological survey of the waters of the State, hereinafter called the State Water Survey, are hereby

authorized and directed to provide an executive board of the State Water Survey, to fix the term of service and to appoint three members thereof from time to time, and also shall."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal called up House Bill No. 160, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 160, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 26, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Having heretofore been read at large a second time on April 7th was again taken up.

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal moved the adoption of amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 offered by him on April 16th.

The motion prevailed.

And the amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 were adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments having heretofore been printed,

The question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal called up House Bill No. 161, the same having heretofore been recalled to the order of second reading May 7th, was again taken up.

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 161, page 1, line 9, of printed bill after the word "Illinois" by inserting the following: "All fines, judgments and penalties paid, collected and received under the provisions of this Act shall be paid into the State treasury."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendment, the foregoing amendment number 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House No. 472, in the order of second reading, and,

House Bill No. 472, a bill for "An Act to appropriate five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 472, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out the words and figures "\$5,000" in the title of the bill and wherever they may occur throughout the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$2,500."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 711, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 711, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the services and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State, and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation, and extending the time for the report of said commission."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred House Bill No. 324, being a bill for "An Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred House Bill No. 13, being a bill for "An Act concerning the jurisdiction of circuit courts in cases instituted for the publication of any newspaper or magazine."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred House Bill No. 102, being a bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons, leaving property in this State, and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred House Bill No. 644, being a bill for "An Act in reference to proof of disputed handwritings."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Senate Bill No. 261, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create

a State Board of Pardons and to regulate the manner of applying for pardons and commutations,' approved June 5, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Senate Bill No. 433, being a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation, for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and authorizing the suspension of final judgment and the imposition of sentence upon persons found guilty of certain defined crimes and offenses and legalizing their ultimate discharge without punishment."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Senate Bill No. 260, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 6 and 9 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole, and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole,' approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippet introduced a bill, House Bill No. 737, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the labor of the convicts of the penitentiary of the State,' approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent was read at large a first time, and ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lane introduced a bill, House Bill No. 738, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act granting the right, power and authority to the Chicago Excavation and Recreation Pier Company (incorporated) and its successors, to construct, maintain and operate a recreation pier upon the submerged lands and in the waters of Lake Michigan extending easterly and perpendicular to the general trend of the shore line at 31st street, in the city of Chicago, with proper and necessary approaches."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up House Bill No. 381, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 381, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article 8, of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a

system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Education offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 381 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 381 by inserting the word "firemen" after the word "engineers" in line 23 of the printed bill.

And the amendment was lost.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 381, section 202, by adding in line sixteen of the printed bill after the word "purpose," the letter "s," so as to make it read "purposes."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 381, section 202, by adding after the colon marks in line eighteen of the printed bill the following: "Provided, that in cities, having a population exceeding one hundred thousand inhabitants, the board of education may establish and maintain vacation schools and play grounds under such rules as it shall prescribe."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 381, section 202, by striking out in the printed bill all of lines 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Logan called up House Bill No. 732, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 732, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages, under an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, Mr. Logan offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 732 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 732 by inserting in line 12 of the printed bill, after the word "aforesaid" the following: "and where said village has in all other respects, than as heretofore herein specified, complied with the requirements of the statutes of the State of Illinois, or other laws in force in said State, relative to the organization of cities and villages."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 732, by inserting in line 14 of the printed bill, after the word "and" the word "any."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education to which was referred House Bill No. 611, being a bill for "An Act to create county text book commissions in all counties having a population of less than 200,000, with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties and to regulate the price of such text books."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 611, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 611, a bill for "An Act to create county text book commissions in all counties having a population of less than 200,000 with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties and to regulate the price of such text books."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens introduced a bill, House Bill No. 739, a bill for "An Act concerning township high school districts."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent was read at large a first time, and ordered to a second reading without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wright called up Senate Bill No. 431, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 431, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State Reform School, and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Morris called up House Bill No. 690, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 690, a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the products of the labor of their members."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. White called up House Bill No. 428, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 428, a bill for "An Act to amend the penal code to punish employers and contractors of labor organizations and providing a penalty for violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter called up House Bill No. 688, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 688, a bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Fees and Salaries, offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 688 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend title of House Bill No. 688 as printed by adding to the title of said bill the following: "as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905; in force July 1, 1905."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 688, section 1 thereof by striking out the following appearing at the end of line 5 and at the beginning of line 6: "Amended May 17, 1905" and insert in lieu thereof the following: 'as amended by Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.'

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 688 by inserting the words "in full" between the words "received" and "for" appearing on line 7 of said bill as printed.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 734, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 734, a bill for "An Act to provide for an additional circuit judge in the third judicial district of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 313, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 313, a bill for "An Act to amend section 120 of an Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record, approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Hollenbeck offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 313 and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by inserting after the word "law" in line 13 of section 120 of the printed bill the following words "or chancery."

Mr. Browne moved to lay amendment number 1 upon the table.

Pending discussion, by unanimous consent, further consideration was postponed until Tuesday, May 25, 1909.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan called up House Bill No. 145, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 145, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property, and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Revenue offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 145, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 145, section 63, by inserting in line 9 of the printed bill after the word "notified" the words "in all counties of less than 200,000 population" and after the word "treasurer" in the same line the words "and in all counties of more than 200,000 population by the county clerk" and at the beginning of line 11 insert the words "or county clerk as the case may be."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up Senate Bill No. 266, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 266, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 731, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 731, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 56, 57, 58, 61, 63 and 64 of an Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago," approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held September 17, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster called up Senate Bill No. 187, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 187, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 16a."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Behrens offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 187, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of Senate Bill No. 187 in the House so as to read as follows: "A bill for an Act to amend section 23 of an Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and also to amend such Act by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 16a.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Behrens offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 1 of Senate Bill No. 187 in the House by adding in line 6 after the figures "16A" the following words "and that section 23 of said Act be amended."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Behrens offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Insert in said bill following line 11 of the printed bill the following:

Section 23. Said State Game Commissioner shall make an annual report to the Governor, which shall contain the reports of the game warden and deputy game wardens showing the number and kind of game, deer, wild fowl and birds seized and what disposition was made of them, and the amount of proceeds of sale; said report shall also contain a statement of all moneys received from all sources and a statement of all disbursements of every kind; it shall also contain a statement showing how much money has been received for hunter's licenses in each county; also a statement showing the amount of fines and penalties recovered in each county; it shall also contain a statement giving the name and address by counties of each deputy game warden and the amount of salary and expenses drawn by each. The State Game Commissioner shall have five thousand copies of such report printed, a copy of which shall be sent by him to each county clerk in the State, one to each member of the General Assembly and the remainder shall be for general distribution. The cost of printing said report shall be paid out of the State game protection fund.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Smejkal offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 187 by inserting a new section to be section B which shall read as follows: "All fees, fines, judgments and penalties collected, paid and received shall be paid into the State treasury."

Pending discussion, by unanimous consent, further consideration was postponed until Tuesday, May 25, 1909.

Mr. Flannigen moved to recall Senate Bill No. 332 to the order of second reading, for the purpose of amendment.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Flannigen moved to reconsider the vote by which House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 332 was adopted.

The motion prevailed, and the amendment No. 4 was deemed reconsidered.

Mr. Flannigen moved to reconsider the vote by which House Amendment No. 3 was adopted.

The motion prevailed and amendment No. 3 was deemed reconsidered.

Mr. Flannigen moved to reconsider the vote by which House Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

The motion prevailed and amendment No. 2 was deemed reconsidered.

Mr. Flannigen moved to reconsider the vote by which House Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

The motion prevailed and amendment No. 1 was deemed reconsidered.

Mr. Flannigen moved that House amendments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 to Senate Bill No. 332 lie upon the table.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

There being no further amendments the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up Senate Bill No. 40, in the order of second reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 40, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to declare unlawful the filing for record of certain deeds or conveyances of real estate when the same has been sold for taxes and no deed has been taken out within one year after the time for redemption expires; to make such filing for record a misdemeanor and to provide a penalty for such illegal filing for record.'"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Price called up Senate Bill No. 377, in the order of second reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 377, a bill for "An Act providing for the appointment of park commissioners under certain conditions and prescribing their duties."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, the special order on House Bill No. 615 set for this day was postponed until Tuesday, May 25, 1909.

At the hour of 6:00 o'clock p. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

SATURDAY, MAY 22, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Chipersfield, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Lawrence the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

At the hour of 10:05 o'clock a. m., Mr. Lawrence moved that the House do now take a recess until 11:55 o'clock a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 11:55 o'clock a. m. having arrived the House resumed its session.

Mr. Chipersfield, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the Chair.

At 12:00 o'clock Meridian, Mr. Chipersfield, Speaker *pro tem.* of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, directed that the roll of the Senate be called.

The roll of the Senate was then called.

No member of the Senate answered to his name.

Mr. Chipersfield, Speaker *pro tem.* of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon the following members answered to their names:

Chipersfield. Scanlan,

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And there were 2 members of the House of Representatives present.

Mr. Chipersfield, Speaker *pro tem.* of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D. 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the afore-said purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the result that no Senator voted.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Mr. Scanlan—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Mr. Chipersfield—1.

Mr. Chipperfield, Speaker *pro tem.* of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the ninety-second joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 2, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-Sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:05 o'clock p. m., Mr. Scanlan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock meridian.

And the motion prevailed.

The House resuming its session, at the hour of 12:10 o'clock p. m., Mr. Scanlan moved that the House do now adjourn until Monday, May 24, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

MONDAY, MAY 24, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. Howard.

The Journal of Saturday, May 22 was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Chipperfield, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading:

Senate Bill No. 61, a bill for "An Act to insure greater safety to the lives of the traveling public and limiting the hours of service of the employes of railroads in the State of Illinois and providing a penalty for a violation of this Act."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time, and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterways, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

Senate Bill No. 507, a bill for "An Act to provide for the commitment and detention of idiots, imbeciles and persons of feeble mind."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 502, a bill for "An Act to amend section nine (9) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 487, a bill for "An Act to amend section thirty-six (36) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the partition of real estate,' approved February 9, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved and in force June 3, 1889."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 357, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the suppression and prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Senate Bill No. 482, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 3, 5 and 40 of article III, section 8 of article VI and section 1 of article VIII (as heretofore amended) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 474, a bill for "An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Senate Bill No. 436, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to landlord and tenant,' approved May 1, 1873, in force July 1, 1873."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 411, a bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Acts approved May 13, 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Acts approved May 12, 13, 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and as amended by Act approved May 17, 18, 25, 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Senate Bill No. 362, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to mills and millers and dams for mills and other machinery and navigation,' approved March 2, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

Senate Bill No. 213, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article V of 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force December 31, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 358, a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Parks and Boulevards.

Senate Bill No. 352, a bill for "An Act in relation to the disposition of unclaimed deposits in banks and trust companies in this State."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 497, a bill for "An Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any mechanical establishment, or factory or laundry in order to safeguard the health of such employes, to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 444, a bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act amending an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 265, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 515, a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to purchase, construct or enlarge water works, to provide for the management thereof, and giving them authority to levy an annual tax for the creation of a fund for such purchase, construction or enlarging and limiting the grouping or extension of water works franchise."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 457, a bill for "An Act to amend section 26 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Organization.

Senate Bill No. 312, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-one (61) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved March 31, 1874, as amended by Acts approved respectively, May 20, 1879, June 14, 1887, June 26, 1895, and May 18, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 488, a bill for "An Act to amend section 76 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 9, 1901."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 273, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign fire insurance companies for the benefit of organized fire departments,' in force July 1, 1895, of which section 1 was amended by Act approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 106, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety of employes and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers engaged in moving traffic by railroad between points in the State of Illinois, to equip their cars with automatic couplers and continuous brakes and their locomotives with driving wheel brakes, and for other purposes,' approved May 12, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905, by adding thereto a new section."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 120, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, as amended by Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 172, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in this State and to punish the same, and prescribe a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto, and to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent unjust discriminations and extortions in the rates to be charged by the different railroads in this State for the transportation of freights on said roads,' approved April 7, A. D., 1871, approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, by adding thereto six new sections to be known as sections 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e and 8f."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 498, a bill for "An Act to tax gifts, legacies, inheritances, transfers, appointments and interests in certain cases and to provide for the collection of the same, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 503, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to establish terms of circuit court for Jefferson county.'"

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 514, a bill for "An Act providing for the establishment of a State Probation Commission."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 512, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 508, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois, and regulating the conditions and provisions of policies of life insurance companies, organized under the laws of this State, or doing business herein,' approved May 20, 1907 in force January 1, 1908."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 504, a bill for "An Act to amend section 14 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 414, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation of art commissions in cities and to define their powers,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on State Geological Survey.

Senate Bill No. 32, a bill for "An Act to amend section 25 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act or parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 421, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 32, 33 and 37 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897, and an Act approved June 22, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, respectively, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 477, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 29 and 30 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties,' approved February 21, 1908, in force July 1, 1908."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Primary Elections.

Senate Bill No. 136, a bill for "An Act in relation to the adulteration and deception in the manufacture and sale of spirits of turpentine, to provide for the enforcement thereof by the State Food Commissioner, and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Senate Bill No. 237, a bill for "An Act to regulate the civil service of counties."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a first time.

Mr. Lantz asked unanimous consent to have the bill advanced to a second reading without reference.

Objections being heard, Mr. Lantz moved to suspend the rules for that purpose.

The motion was lost and the House refused to suspend the rules.

Thereupon, the bill was referred to the Committee on State and Municipal Civil Service Reform.

Senate Bill No. 425, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and regulate cemeteries,' approved March 24, 1874, amended by an Act approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, amended by an Act approved June 14, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, amended by an Act approved and in force March 3, 1905, by adding thereto the following to be designated as section 2, section 3 and section 4, respectively."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to revise the laws relating to charities."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Charities.

Senate Bill 350, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification, and providing a penalty for violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading without reference.

Senate Bill No. 519, a bill for "An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up House Bill No. 728, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 728, a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the DesPlaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 10,

1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hutzler called up House Bill No. 483, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 483, a bill for "An Act to amend section 9, section 10 as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, section 12, section 13, as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, and section 29 as amended by the Act approved May 24, 1907 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Perkins called up House Bill No. 323, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 323, a bill for "An Act to prohibit trade discrimination on petroleum and the products refined and compounded therefrom."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erby called up House Bill No. 439, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 439, a bill for "An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Erby offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 439, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out in lines 7, 17, 23 and 31 in section 1 the words: "thirty" and figures "(30)" and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "Fifteen" and figures "(15)."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 410, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 410, a bill for "An Act to permit traffic agreements and consolidations between electric railway companies, whether organized under the general incorporation laws of the State of Illinois, or the general railroad Act of this State."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up House Bill No. 611, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 611, a bill for "An Act to create county text book commissions in all counties having a population of less than 200,000 with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties and to regulate the price of such text books."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Holaday offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 611, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 611 by inserting after the word "counties" in line 3 of the title of the printed bill, the following: "except in cities of over one thousand population."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 611 in section 1, line 10, of the printed bill, by inserting after the word "act" the following: "and provided that no person who is engaged in the manufacture, sale or distribution of school text books or school supplies of any kind, shall serve on the said commission."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 611 by adding to the printed bill another section, which shall be known as section 15 and which shall read as follows:

"Section 15. This Act shall not apply to the public schools in cities having a population of over one thousand as ascertained by the last federal census."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. J. Wilson called up House Bill No. 597, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 597, a bill for "An Act to amend section 44 of 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. F. J. Wilson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 597, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out all of line 18, page 2, after the period following the word "convicted," and all of lines 19 to 27, both inclusive, on page 2, and insert in the place of the words so stricken out the following words, to-wit:

"All actions and proceedings for the violation of or to prevent evasion of the provisions of this Act, either by property owners or by public officials charged with duties by this Act, shall be instituted and conducted by the State's Attorney of the proper county with the approval of the Attorney General, and all civil actions and proceedings against property owners or public officials with respect to any unlawful exemption, evasion of assessment, under-valuation or under-assessment of property shall be brought in the name of the proper county."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly directed that the roll of the Senate be called.

The roll of the Senate was then called.

No member of the Senate answered to his name.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names: Messrs.

Browne,	Donahue,	Ireland,	McLaughlin,	Richter,
Bush,	Erby,	Keck,	Morris,	Shanahan,
Butts,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Shaw,
Chiberfield,	Griffin,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
DeWolf,	Holaday,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wilson. F. J.
Dillon,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Perkins,	Mr. Speaker.

And there were thirty members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were thirty members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the result that no Senator voted.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	10 votes
George Edmund Foss received	2 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	3 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	2 votes
W. W. Morris received	6 votes
John G. Neumeister received	1 vote
Edward Carroll received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Erby,	Hutzler,	Keck,	Lyon,	Richter,
Holaday,	Ireland,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

Butts,	Mr. Speaker.
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Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.
 Bush, Chipfield, Shanahan, —3

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.
 Browne, Dillon, Donahue, —3

Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Messrs.
 DeWolf, Morris, —2

Those voting for W. W. Morris are: Messrs.
 Griffin, Murray, O'Neil, Shaw, Wilson, F. J.
 McLaughlin, —6

Those voting for John G. Neumeister are: Mr. Lantz—1.

Those voting for Edward Carroll are: Mr. O'Toole—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the ninety-third joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 30, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of	10 votes
George Edmund Foss received	2 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	3 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received	3 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	2 votes
W. W. Morris received	6 votes
John G. Neumeister received	1 vote
Edward Carroll received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:20 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn, until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

The House resuming its session.

Mr. Shanahan moved to recall House Bill No. 730, to second reading for the purpose of amendment,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out in line 115 the figures "\$2,600" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,700."

By striking out lines 534 and 535.

By striking out in line 234 of the printed bill the figures "\$2,400" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,500."

By striking out in line 235 the figures "4,800" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "5,000" and in the same line strike out the figures "1,200" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,400."

Amend the printed bill by inserting after the words "annum" in line 513 "for expenses of attorney \$500 per annum, for expenses of food standard commission, \$1,500 per annum."

Amend by inserting in line 434, of the printed bill, after the word "meetings," "salary of secretary, etc."

Amend by striking out the figures "1,500" in line 41 and inserting in lieu thereof "1,800."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend by inserting after line 25 of the printed bill the following:

"To the Governor, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of an Act entitled, 'An Act making an appropriation to the Governor, to be used in the investigation and examination of the books, records, reports and accounts of the Illinois Central Railroad Company,' approved March 19, 1907, in force March 19, 1907, so much of the said sum of one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars appropriated in and by said act, for the purposes in said act specified, as shall not be expended on or before the thirtieth day of September, A. D. 1909, is hereby re-appropriated from the State treasury of Illinois, for the purposes specified in said Act, the same to be expended and paid out in accordance with the provisions of said Act."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend by inserting after line 239 of the printed bill the following:

To the Superintendent of Public Instruction to enable him to complete and publish the work of the Educational Commission \$5,000.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend by inserting between lines 370 and 371 of the printed bill the following: To the East St. Louis office, for salary of stenographer \$720 per annum; for janitor \$600 per annum; for rent and general expenses \$1,600 per annum.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend by inserting after line 546 of the printed bill the following:

Sixty-ninth: To the Commission of Occupational Diseases, for printing, stationery, postage, telegraphing, stenographers, railroad fares and expenses of members of commission the sum of \$15,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend by inserting after paragraph sixty-nine the following:

Seventieth: To the Internal Improvement Commission: For removing dams near Carmi and New Haven and other obstructions in the Little Wabash River, and for survey of rivers and study of water supply and all other necessary expenses for the work of the commission the sum of \$30,000.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 were ordered printed.

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Lantz moved to recall House Bill No. 507 to second reading for the purpose of amendment,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Lantz offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 507 by adding after the word "date" in line 12 of section 7 of the printed bill the following: "The term life insurance company or association as used in this Act shall not be construed to embrace or apply to fraternal beneficiary societies."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

At the hour of 12:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Lantz moved that this House do now take a recess until 3:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 3:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 682, being a bill for "An Act to authorize the levy of an annual tax in cities, villages and incorporated towns, to pay benefits, assessed upon or to be paid by such city, village or incorporated town, for the making of local improvements and lawful expenses incident thereto."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 344, being a bill for "An Act to authorize cities and villages whose limits are coterminous with the limits of any township to levy for street purposes, a tax in addition to the tax of two per centum upon the aggregate valuation of all property within such city or village as now prescribed by law."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 681, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 76 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 700, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, and as amended by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield called up House Bill No. 726, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 726, a bill for "An Act to define personal property brokers and regulate their charges and business."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue called up House Bill No. 602, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 602, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation in counties having a population not more than two hundred thousand,' approved May 14, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 159, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the sale of the Kaskaskia Commons upon the Island of Kaskaskia in the county of Randolph, and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale, and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 736, being a bill for "An Act to create a State Board of Education and to define its powers and duties."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 403, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1, 2, 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to au-

thorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected, to keep abstract books to make abstract of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an Act therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House Bill No. 729, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 731.

"An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 56, 57, 58, 61, 63 and 64 of an Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago, approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held September 17, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 711.

"An Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the service and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24 to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State, and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation, and extending the time for the report of said commission."

HOUSE BILL No. 683.

"An Act to make an appropriation to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river."

HOUSE BILL No. 509.

"An Act to amend section (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same,' approved June 16, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

HOUSE BILL No. 95.

"An Act authorizing the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans Home located at Normal, Illinois, to sell lots two (2) and three (3) in block thirty-seven (37) in Cassidy's addition to the city of Joliet, Will county, Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 537. -

"An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of ~~mining engineering~~ in the college of engineering at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same."

HOUSE BILL No. 472.

"An Act to appropriate five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes."

HOUSE BILL No. 687.

"An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing ground hogs,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 645.

"An Act making appropriation to repair bridges over the Illinois and Michigan canal at points where highways existed prior to construction of said canal."

HOUSE BILL No. 236.

"An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' as amended and approved by Act approved December 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1908."

HOUSE BILL No. 650.

"An Act to provide for a record to be kept of all real property conveyances in the office of the county clerk of each county of less than 300,000 inhabitants for the purpose of taxation."

HOUSE BILL No. 686.

"An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,' in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 381.

"An Act to amend section 202, article 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 656.

"An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting."

HOUSE BILL No. 79.

"An Act to provide for an increase of the number of judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook, and to designate the date of their election."

HOUSE BILL No. 721.

"An Act to amend section ninety-one (91) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875."

HOUSE BILL No. 408.

"An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by Act approved and in force May 18, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 495.

"An Act to prohibit discrimination amongst insurants of the same class, or rebates of premiums for policies issued by insurance companies other than life."

HOUSE BILL No. 630.

"An Act to amend section six of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 709.

"An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

HOUSE BILL No. 668.

"An Act making an appropriation for the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7,500) dollars, for the construction and erection of a monument in the city of Jacksonville in honor of the memory of the late Richard Yates, Ex-Governor and Ex-United States Senator of the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 347.

"An Act authorizing and empowering employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal institutions in the State of Illinois in the manufacture of and preparing road building and ballasting material and to provide for securing quarry sites and erection of suitable stockades and barracks, and for the transfer and detention of prisoners within such stockades and barracks by the wardens of the State penal institutions, and to repeal Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith."

HOUSE BILL No. 39.

"An Act to amend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so as to include the complete administration of testate estates."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 731, 711, 683, 509, 95, 537, 472, 687, 645, 236, 650, 686, 381, 656, 39, 79, 721, 408, 495, 630, 709, 668 and 347, were placed in the order of House Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent Mr. Perkins called up Senate Bill No. 479, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 479, a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigan called up Senate Bill No. 305, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 305, a bill for "An Act to provide for judges of circuit courts and judges of the superior court of Cook county holding court in the several circuits of the State and Cook county by order of the Supreme Court or any judge thereof."

Having heretofore been read at large a second time on May 14th and further consideration having been postponed pending a motion to strike out the enacting clause, the same was again taken up.

Whereupon, Mr. Browne, by unanimous consent, withdrew his motion to strike out the enacting clause and there being no further amendments.

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan introduced a bill, House Bill No. 740, a bill for "An Act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes."

The bill was taken up, read by title, ordered printed and by unanimous consent was read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up Senate Bill No. 225, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 225, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent the introduction and spread in Illinois of the San Jose scale and other dangerous insects and contagious diseases of fruits, and repealing a certain Act therein named,' filed June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Lantz,	Price,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Richter,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Liggett,	Robinson,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Behrens,	English,	Hope,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Black,	Erby,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Hull,	Montelius,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Huston,	Morris,	Troyer,
Browne,	Flagg,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Murray,	Werdell,
Butts,	Forst,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Foster,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chiberfield,	Glade,	King,	Perkins,	Wright,
Church,	Gorman,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Griffin,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	—79

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue called up Senate Bill No. 195, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 195, a bill for "An Act to amend section 21 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved April 12, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 77.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	English,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Allison,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Huston,	Morris,	Terrill,
Beherns,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flags,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Butts,	Forst,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Foster,	King,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chaperfield,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Lewis,	Price,	
Curran,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Richter,	
Dillon,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Robinson,	

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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Governor, by James Whittaker, Secretary to the Governor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS, May 25, 1909.

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives:

✓ I return herewith, without my approval, House Bill No. 86, the same being a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois," for the reasons set forth in the opinion of the Attorney General, copy of which is hereto attached and made a part hereof.

Notwithstanding that the opinion of the Attorney General holds that the bill is unconstitutional only in so far as it vests the power of appointment in the Chiropodist Society of Illinois, I nevertheless veto the bill as a whole for the reason that it was manifestly not the intention of the General Assembly to confer upon the Governor the unqualified power of appointment of a State Board of Chiropodists but only under the limitations in the bill prescribed, and as the intention of the General Assembly cannot be completely carried out, for the reasons stated in the opinion of the Attorney General.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. DENEEN,
Governor.

[COPY.]

SPRINGFIELD, May 20, 1909.

*To His Excellency, Charles S. Deneen,
Governor of the State of Illinois,
Springfield, Illinois.*

SIR: You have transmitted to me House Bill No. 86, the same being a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois," and request an opinion as to its form and constitutionality.

In form the bill is unobjectionable.

The bill makes it unlawful for any person to practice chiropody in the State of Illinois without a license to be issued by a board of examiners known as the Illinois State Board of Chiropody.

The bill makes provision for the licensing of persons who have practiced chiropody for a stated time prior to the passage of the Act and makes provision for the examination of persons intending to practice chiropody.

The bill further contains administrative features usual to the creation of a board of this nature and provides certain penalties for the violation of the provisions of the Act.

The bill provides that the Illinois State Board of Chiropody consists of four members. As to the appointment of the members of the board, the bill provides:

"The members of said board shall be appointed by the Governor, recommended by the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois." (Section 2.)

As to filling vacancies in the membership of said board, the bill provides:

"In case of a vacancy occurring on said board, such vacancy shall be filled by the Governor, recommended by the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois." (Section 2.)

The plain and obvious meaning of these provisions is that the persons recommended by the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois shall be appointed members of the Illinois State Board of Chiropody. It is plainly the intent of these provisions that the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois shall determine who are proper persons to be appointed to membership on said Illinois State Board of Chiropody, and that the Governor shall appoint the persons so recommended. Should this bill become a law, and should the Governor appoint to membership on said Illinois State Board of Chiropody persons not recommended by the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois, the Governor might be justly charged with a violation of the law, and the persons appointed by him might be removed by a proceeding in the nature of *quo warranto*, assuming, of course, that the Act, in all its parts, is constitutional.

State v. Washburn, 167 Mo., 680.

But, in the view I take of the bill, it is, in some respects, without constitutional validity. The members of the Illinois State Board of Chiropody, should this bill become a law, would be officers of the State. It is elementary that the power to create an office and to designate its functions and to fill the office rests in the government or some governmental agency.

Dasher v. People, 183 Ill., 226;

Rouse v. Thompson, 228 Ill., 522;

State v. Washburn, 167 Mo., 680.

The power of appointment to office cannot be delegated to any private corporation, association or individual, and this, by reason of the provisions of section 22 of article IV of the Constitution of Illinois, which, in part, is as follows:

"The General Assembly shall not pass local or special laws in any of the following enumerated cases, that is to say, for * * * Granting to any corporation, association or individual any special or exclusive privilege, immunity or franchise whatever."

The delegation of the power of appointment to an office to a private corporation or association is a special Act conferring upon said private corporation or association a franchise, as was decided in the case of *Lasher v. People*, *supra*.

In the *Lasher* case, a board of inspectors to regulate the shipping, consignment and sale of produce, fruits, vegetables, and other property, was created, —the said board to be appointed from and by the membership of five private corporations and associations named in the Act.

The Court held that the Act was special, conferring upon said corporations named, a franchise in contravention of the constitutional provision above quoted.

Are the provisions of this bill, so far as they relate to the appointment of the members of the Illinois State Board of Chiropody distinguishable, in principle, from the Act condemned by the Court in the *Lasher* case, *supra*? In order to determine this question, it is necessary to consider, briefly, the essential attributes of the power of appointment to an office. The power of appointment to office is not a ministerial function. It is more than a mere formality. It implies more than the mere manual execution and delivery of a commission. The officer, or governmental agency, exercising the appointing power, is not, and cannot be made, a mere automaton.

The distinguishing characteristics, the essence, of an appointment, is the choice of a person to fill an office.

19 A. & Eng. Enc. L., p. 423 (1st Ed.);

Johnston v. Wilson, 2 N. H., 202;

Hoke v. Field, 10 Bush (Ky.) 144;

People v. Fitzsimmons, 68 N. Y., 514;

Taylor v. Kercheval, 82 Fed. Rep., 497.

The choice of a person to fill an office denotes the exercise of judgment and discretion on the part of the officer, or other governmental agency, making the appointment. The essential elements of an appointment to office are well described in the case of *People v. Mosher*, 61 N. Y., Supp., 452, as follows:—

“The power of appointment implies a discretion in the appointing power, as to whom he shall appoint, and embraces, not only perfect liberty as to the person to be appointed, but the duty of personally investigating the character and qualifications of the proposed appointee, as to his fitness to discharge the services required of him. * * * The power of appointment contemplates the exercise of judgment and discretion, in the appointing power as to whom he shall appoint, and responsibility for the person so selected; and to secure this it must be the independent, untrammelled act of the appointing officer * * * choice or selection means the power to determine between two or more. No choice or selection can be made when there is no alternative.”

Applying these principles to the bill under consideration, what is the result? In whom does the power of appointment rest? Who possesses all of the essential characteristics of the power of appointment—the Governor or the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois? Who exercises the power of selection and designates the person to fill the office?

Under the plain and unmistakable provisions of the bill, it is not the Governor—a governmental agent—but it is the Chiropodists Society of Illinois—whether a private corporate body or a voluntary association, I am not advised. The Chiropodists' Society of Illinois possesses all of the elements entering into an appointment. The right of selection, the formation of judgment, and the exercise of discretion, are all vested in the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois. Governor is made a ministerial officer to register the will of the Illinois Chiropodists' Society and to execute and deliver commissions to the persons chosen, selected and designated by said society as members of the Illinois State Board of Chiropody. He possesses under this bill none of the substantial elements of the power of appointment. All discretion, as to who shall be appointed, as to the fitness and qualifications of the appointee, is taken away from him. The power to choose, designate, and select,—the essential and characteristic attributes of the power of appointment—the membership of the Illinois State Board of Chiropody is absolutely vested in the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois.

The form of the bill does not, in so many words, vest the power of appointment in said society, but, in substance, it amounts to the power to appoint. The form in which it is expressed is immaterial: Courts regard the substance of legislation and not the form in which it is moulded. From what is here stated, I am led to the conclusion that there is no difference in principle between the act before the court in the Lasher case, *supra*, and the bill under consideration.

This view is reinforced by the holding of the Supreme Court of the State of Missouri, in the case of the State v. Washburn, 167 Mo., 680. In that case the court had before it a statute of the State of Missouri which required that one of the three election commissioners for a certain city “should be chosen from three eligible citizens named by the city central committee of the leading party politically opposed to that to which the other two commissioners belonged.”

The proceeding was in the nature of a *quo warranto* to test the right of the minority member to hold the office of election commissioner. It appeared that the Governor disregarded the recommendation of the city central committee and appointed a person election commissioner who was not named or recommended by the city central committee of the party politically opposed to that to which the other two members belonged. The court held that the appointment so made by the Governor was not illegal, and held that part of the act giving the city central committee the power to name and design-

nate three eligible citizens for membership on the board of election commissioners to be unconstitutional, as infringing a constitutional provision of the State of Missouri, which provides that

"The General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law granting to any corporation, association or individual, any special or exclusive right, privilege or immunity."

In discussing the Act, the court say:

"Although the power here attempted to be conferred is not literally the power of appointment, yet its effect is the same, it leads to the appointment, and if the Legislature has the authority to confer the power to nominate, in the manner indicated, it has the authority to confer the power to appoint without the circumlocution, which is merely formal. If the Governor may be compelled to select one of three, he may be limited in his preference to one of two, and, either in form or skillful practice, there might be no choice left to the Governor at all. We must consider the statute, therefore, as conferring on the partisan committee the power to name the officer, for such is the effect."

Under the holding of the Supreme Court of Illinois in the Lasher case, *supra*, and under the principles announced by the Supreme Court of the State of Missouri in the Washburn case, *supra*, I am constrained to the view that this bill, with respect to the appointment of the members of the Illinois State Board of Chiropractic, by the Chiropractic Society of Illinois, is void and ineffective, for the reason that it confers upon said society a special or exclusive franchise or privilege, in contravention of the section of the constitution hereinbefore quoted.

In my judgment, however, it does not follow that, because the provision relative to the recommendation by the Chiropractic Society of Illinois is invalid, the whole act must fall.

"It is a general rule, and one founded in good sense, that, if one part of a statute be unconstitutional, but it stands so independently by itself that it may be rejected, and yet leave that which remains so complete in itself as to be fully capable of execution, then the act should be construed the same as if the void part had never been inserted."

Myers v. People, 67 Ill., 503.

Quoting from Cooley on Constitutional Limitations, page 178, the court, in the case of People v. Knopf, 183 Ill., 410, say:

"The constitutional and unconstitutional provisions may even be contained in the same section and yet be perfectly distinct and separable, so that the first may stand though the last fall. * * If, when the unconstitutional portion is stricken out, that which remains is complete in itself and capable of being executed wholly independent of that which was rejected, it must be sustained."

In Lewis' Suth. Stat. Const., section 296, the rule is stated to be that

"The court is not warranted in declaring the whole statute void, unless all the provisions are connected in subject matter, depend on each other, were designed to operate for the same purpose, or are otherwise so dependent in meaning that it cannot be presumed that the Legislature would have passed one without the other."

I am of the opinion that the provision relative to the recommendation by the Chiropractic Society of Illinois is an independent provision, which may be stricken out without invalidating other portions of the bill.

The court in the Washburn case, *supra*, held that, although the provision relative to the naming of the minority member on the board of election commissioners was unconstitutional, yet such unconstitutional part did not affect the remaining valid portions of the act. Upon this point, the court say:

"The point is advanced that if the Act of 1899 is unconstitutional in the particular named, the whole Act is void and the incumbent has no title to the office. The power attempted to be conferred on the partisan committee is not an essential element in the whole act. Where the part of an act

that is unconstitutional does not enter into the life of the act itself, and is not essential to its being, it may be disregarded and the rest remain in force; that is this case."

I conclude, therefore, that this bill is unconstitutional in so far, and only in so far, as it vests the power of appointment in the Chiropodists' Society of Illinois.

House Bill No. 86 is herewith returned.

Very respectfully,

[Signed.] W. H. STEAD,

Attorney General.

The foregoing message was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Shanahan moved to recall House Bill No. 636 to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill, by inserting in line 2, of section 1 after the word "appropriated" the figures "\$15,248.31."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Chipfield offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 58.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from his field of labor the Honorable Guy C. Scott, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois, and

WHEREAS, It is the desire of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois to pay a proper tribute of respect to his worth and ability as a judge, to his honesty and integrity and to his excellence and standing as a citizen of the State of Illinois, and

WHEREAS, By his death the Supreme Court has been deprived of one of its most valuable members and justices who earnestly sought at all times to uphold the high traditions of that august tribunal, to faithfully and fearlessly administer the law, and in obedience to that high sense of duty he performed his labors therein with heroic devotion almost to the hour of his death, now therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, that we sincerely mourn and lament the death of this distinguished jurist and feel that thereby the State of Illinois has suffered a great loss and the Supreme Court been deprived of one of its most worthy members; that in the hour of their affliction we sincerely sympathize with his bereaved family and his afflicted friends and that we hereby record our testimonial to the deceased as a man, a jurist and a citizen, and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be directed to transmit a properly engrossed copy of this resolution to the family of the deceased and that the same be spread at large upon the records of this House, and that as an added mark of respect the House do now stand adjourned.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and in accordance therewith, at the hour of 6:00 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Venerable Frederick DeRosset.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. McNichols, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

The House proceeding upon the order of Introduction of Petitions, Mr. Bush presented a petition relating to the electric headlight bill, which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 136, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 136, a bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois, and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 101; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Price,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Link,	Reynolds,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Richardson,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Richter,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hope,	McGuire,	Rigney,
Blair,	English,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Bolin,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Robinson,
Brady,	Espy,	Ireland,	Mills,	Schumacher,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Browne,	Finney,	Kannally,	Morris,	Shaw,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Shephard, H. A.
Burns,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Shepherd, F. W.
Butts,	Fulton,	King,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Wardell,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.,
Church,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Yeas—101
Curran,	Groves, W. M.			

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Sollitt,

Nays—1

This bill, having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 156, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 156, a bill for "An Act to amend sections two and three of an Act entitled, 'An Act creating the office of Supervising Architect of the State of Illinois and defining his powers and duties,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 100; nays, 5.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	English,	Huston,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Allison,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Myers,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Espy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Foster,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Brady,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Browne,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	Price,	Wneelan,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	White,
Cermak,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Groves, J.,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	
Dillon,	Hope,	McGuire,		

Yeas—100

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Flagg,	Gray,	Kerrick,	Robinson,	Welborn,
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Nays—5

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Scanlan called up House Bill No. 585, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 585, a bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of article three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 123; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Scanlon,
Allison,	Daley,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardili,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Black,	English,	Hope,	Morris,	Stearns,
Blair,	Erby,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Espy,	Huston,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Myers,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Nelson,	Toi,
Browne,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Trover,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Bush,	Forst,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.,
Church,	Grace,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Gray,	Luke,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	

Yeas—123

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Erickson, Glade, Kowalski,

Nays—3

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 430, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 430, a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 107; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Mills,	Shaw,
Allison,	English,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Aischuler,	Erby,	Ireland,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Black,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lantz,	Parker,	Tippit,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Tor,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Poulton,	White,
Carter,	Gorman,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cermak,	Grace,	Luke,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Riley,	
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Robinson,	
Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—107

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Groves, J., Huston,

Nays—2

This bill, having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 719, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 719, a bill for "An Act to establish a mining investigating commission of the State of Illinois and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Allison,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Espy,	Hull,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Staymates,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Myers,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Finlev,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Terril,
Bush,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lane,	Parker,	Troyer,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Church,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	White,
Clark,	Gray,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Corcoran,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Macleane,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Robinson,	Yeas—114

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 711, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 711, a bill for "An Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the service and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State, and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation and extending the time for the report of said commission."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey.	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Abrahams.	Dillon.	Hope,	McConrell.	Shaw,
Adkins,	English,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Erby,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Huston,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Staymates,
Brady,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Burns,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Troyer,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lane,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield.	Grace,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.,
Church,	Gray,	Lederer,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Liggett,	Robinson,	
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon.	Scanlan,	
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Yeas—102

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 645, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 645, a bill for "An Act making appropriation to repair bridges over the Illinois and Michigan Canal at points where highways existed prior to construction of said canal."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tou,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Bush,	Forst,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.,
Chipherfield,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Glade,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lyon,	Richter,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	
Dillon,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Schumacher,	Yeas—113

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Shaw,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 537, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 537, a bill for "An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering in the College of Engineering at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 124.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Eardill,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shaw,
Beckmeyer,	English,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Erby,	Huston,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Bolin,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Bush,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Parker,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Ledeier,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gorman,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Clark,	Grace,	Logan,	Richardson,	York,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lyon,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Riley,	

Yeas—124

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chiperfield offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 30.

WHEREAS, Guy C. Scott, lately Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois, has departed this life, and

WHEREAS, The said Justice Guy C. Scott was receiving a salary of \$3,000 less per year than the other Justices of said Court, with the exception of Justice John P. Hand, and

WHEREAS, It is now desired to make provision for the payment of the salary due the late Justice Guy C. Scott, and which would have been due him to the time of the election of his successor, now therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, That the salary now due the said Justice Guy C. Scott shall be payable to the widow of the said Justice Guy C. Scott, and likewise, the salary that would have accrued to the said Justice Guy C. Scott until the time of the election and qualification of his successor, and that the Auditor of Public Accounts be and he is hereby instructed to draw his warrant or warrants for such amounts as are due and would have become due, until the time of the election of such successor.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 472, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 472, a bill for "An Act to appropriate five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue;	Hollenbeck,	Morris,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	Myers,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Hull,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	King,	O'Toole,	Ton,
Brownback,	Flags,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Trover,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burns,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Bush,	Foster,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Price,	White,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lyon,	Riley,	Wright,
Crawford,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Robinson,	York,
Curran,	Groves, J.,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Daley,	Groves, W. M.	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.	
DeWolf,	Hagan,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Yeas—113

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 439.

"An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

HOUSE BILL No. 730.

"An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly."

HOUSE BILL No. 210.

"An Act imposing new and additional duties upon the State Water Survey, and making an appropriation therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 619.

"An Act to prevent any person, partnership or corporation connected as owner, part owner, officer, director, stockholder, agent or employé with,

or financially interested in any brewery or distillery, from keeping or having any financial interest in a dram-shop, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of this Act; and also to provide that any citizen or tax-payer may enforce this Act by a bill in equity."

HOUSE BILL No. 407.

"An Act to amend section thirty-four of an Act entitled: 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1907, and all amendments thereto."

HOUSE BILL No. 732.

"An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages, under an Act entitled: 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

HOUSE BILL No. 636.

"An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts paid to the State Treasurer for license to fish under section 21 of An Act entitled: 'An Act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, defining the duties of the fish commissioners, fixing their compensation, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' passed by the General Assembly of 1907 and known as House Bill Number 834."

HOUSE BILL No. 161.

"An Act to amend 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act to be known as Section 5a."

HOUSE BILL No. 160.

"An Act to amend sections 7 and 11 of an Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois,' approved May 28, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by Act in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 688.

"An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled: 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 734.

"An Act to provide for an additional circuit judge in the third judicial district of the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 36.

"An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled: 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877, so as to allow persons other than members to be appointed treasurer."

HOUSE BILL No. 611.

"An Act to create county text book commissions in all counties having a population of less than 200,000 with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties, except in cities over 1,000 population, and to regulate the price of such text books."

HOUSE BILL No. 617.

"An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled: 'An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to

give effect to article thirteen of the 'Constitution of this State,' approved April 25, 1871, in force July 1, 1871, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 439, 730, 210, 619, 407, 732, 636, 161, 160, 688, 734, 36, 611 and 617, were placed in the order of House Bills on Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 95, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 95, a bill for "An Act authorizing the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home located at Normal, Illinois, to sell lots two (2) and three (3) in block thirty-seven (37) in Cassady's addition to the city of Joliet, Will county, Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 124.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hagan,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Murray,	Stevenson,
ApMedoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hull,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Peckemeyer,	English,	Huston,	Nelson,	Tipplt,
Black,	Erby,	Hutzler,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Blair,	Erickson,	Ireland,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Espy,	Jewell,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Keck,	Parker,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Fahv,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	White,
Burns,	Flags,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Foster,	Lane,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Riley,	York,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Church,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gray,	McCollum,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	
Crawford,	Groves, J.,	McGuire,	Shaw,	
Curran,				

Yeas—124

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Hurburn,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Olson,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jones,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Potter,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Rainey,
Breidt,	Dunlap,	Hearn,	Lish,	Schmitt,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lundberg,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Tossev,
Burton,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	McElvain,	Womack,

And there were fifty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Eckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Black,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Browne,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Werdell,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Piereson,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Lyons,	Riley,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,				

And there were 151 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 201 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	32 votes
George Edmund Foss received	1 vote
Edward D. Shurtleff received	2 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
William Lorimer received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	12 votes
W. B. Wright received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jones,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Juul,	Olson,
Baker,	Downing,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Dunlap,	Helm,	Lish,	Potter,
Billings,	Ettelson,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	Schmitt,
Brown,	Funk,	Hurburgh,	McCormick,	Stewart,
Clark,	Gardner,			

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Mr. Breidt—1.

Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Ball,	Cruikshank,
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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Curtis—1.

Those voting for William Lorimer are: Mr. McElvain—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Broderick,	Glackin,	Isley,	Manny,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Rainey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Hearn,			

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Those voting for W. B. Wright are: Mr. Holstlaw—1.

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received	56 votes
George Edmund Foss received	6 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	17 votes
William B. McKinley received	1 vote
Frank O. Lowden received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	1 vote
Theodore Brentano received	1 vote
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Michael Walsh received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	28 votes
W. B. Wright received	5 votes
Edward Kelly received	11 votes
Michael Collins received	16 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	1 vote
William Deitrick received	1 vote

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Fulton,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Gray,	King,	Perkins,	Ton,
Brady,	Hagan,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Hamilton,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hope,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dudgeon,	Hull,	Lyon,	Robinson,	York,
Durfee,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Scanlan,	
Erby,	Ireland,			

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Those voting for George Edmund Foss are: Messrs.

ApMadoc,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Stearns,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,				—6

Those voting for William E. Mason are: Messrs.

Erickson,	Kleeman,			—2
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Those voting for Edward D. Shurtleff are: Messrs.

Beck,	Curran,	Lane,	Parker,	Smejkal,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Chlperfield,	Glade,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Kittleman,			

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Those voting for William B. McKinley are: Mr. Brownback—1.

Those voting for Frank O. Lowden are: Messrs.

Butts,	Gillespie,		Nays—2
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Those voting for Lawrence Y. Sherman are: Mr. Black—1.

Those voting for Theodore Brentano are: Mr. Price—1.

Those voting for Richard Yates are: Mr. Sollitt—1.

Those voting for Michael Walsh are: Mr. Kowalski—1.

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Blair,	Daley,	Finley,	Link,	Richardson,
Bolin,	Dillon,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Scott,
Bruscoe,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Myers,	Shaw,
Burns,	English,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Staymates,
Clark,	Espy,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Tippit.
Corcoran,	Etherton,			—27

Those voting for W. B. Wright are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Beckemeyer,	Browne,	McCollum,	Wilson, R. E.,
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Those voting for Edward Kelley are: Messrs.

Aischuter,	Forst,	Hilton,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shephard, H. A.	Werdell,
Fahy,				—11

Those voting for Michael Collins are: Messrs.

Galligan,	Kannally,	McLaughlin,	Naylor,	Riley,
Gorman,	McConnell,	Morris,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Griffin,	McGuire,	Murphy, E. J.	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Hruby,				—16

Those voting for Lee O'Neil Browne are: Mr. DeWolf are—1.

Those voting for William Deitrick are: Mr. Foster—1.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the ninety-fourth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 200, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly	88 votes
George Edmund Foss received	7 votes
William E. Mason received	2 votes
Edward D. Shurtleff received	19 votes
William B. McKinley received	2 votes
Frank O. Lowden received	2 votes
Lawrence Y. Sherman received	1 vote
William Lorimer received	1 vote
Theodore Brentano received	1 vote
Richard Yates received	1 vote
Michael Walsh received	1 vote
Lawrence B. Stringer received	40 votes
W. B. Wright received	6 votes
Edward Kelly received	11 votes
Michael Collins received	16 votes
Lee O'Neil Browne received	1 vote.
William Deitrick received	1 vote

And it appearing from the vote aforesaid that no candidate had received a majority of the votes of the members of the Forty-sixth General Assembly convened in Joint Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the said Joint Assembly, announced that there was no election of a representative from the State of Illinois as Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years, from the 4th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Pending further proceedings at the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now rise and adjourn until the next legislative day at 12:00 o'clock, meridian,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resuming its session.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 683, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 683, a bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 99; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.,	Staymates,
Black,	Finley,	Keck,	Murray,	Stearns,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Browne,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Tippitt,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Werdeil,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Pierson,	White,
Corcoran,	Grace,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Crawford,	Griffin,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.,
DeWolf,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Riley,	York,
Dillon,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker.
Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,	Yeas—99

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Kirkpatrick,

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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 210, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 210, a bill for "An Act imposing new and additional duties upon the State Water Survey and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto, having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Adkins,	English,	Hull,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Allison,	Erby,	Huston,	McNichols,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Scott,
Pardill,	Espy,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Keck,	Morris,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shepherd, F. W.
Browne,	Finley,	Kittleman,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Myers,	Stearns,
Bush,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Campbell,	Foster,	Lane,	Nelson,	Ton,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Werdeil,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Church,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Pervier,	White,
Clark,	Grav,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Crawford,	Hagan,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Curran,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Reynolds,	York,
Daley,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Richter,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Rigney,	Yeas—111
Dillon,	Hollenbeck,			

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kowalski called up House Bill No. 566, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 566, a bill for "An Act requiring that boots and shoes made in certain parts, of substitutes for leather, and boots and shoes made by 'convict or prison labor,' to be stamped, and providing a penalty for failure to so stamp."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Crawford,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Curran,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Hope,	Morris,	Solliitt,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stearns,
Beck,	Durfee,	Kannally,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Erby,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Elack,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	White,
Brady,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Forst,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wright,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Riley,	York,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Glade,	Link,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Church,	Gorman,	Logan,	Shanahan,	
Clark,	Griffin,	Luke,		

Yeas—102

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At the hour of 1:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Glade moved that this House do now take a recess until 3:30 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 3:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 38.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Kenesaw Mountain, Georgia..

SENATE BILL No. 370.

A bill for an Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, "An Act relating to nurses and providing for their registration," approved May 2, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

SENATE BILL No. 374.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to establish Appellate Courts," approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877.

SENATE BILL No. 426.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act providing for the protection and safety of persons in and about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts and other structures, and to provide for the enforcement thereof," approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907; by amending the title of said Act and sections (2), three (3), five (5), six (6) and seven (7) of said Act, and by adding a new section to said Act to be known as section seven b (7-b).

SENATE BILL No. 446.

A bill for an Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named," approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.

SENATE BILL No. 463.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes," approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

SENATE BILL No. 523.

A bill for an Act for the sale to American Smelting and Refining Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands.

SENATE BILL No. 525.

A bill for an Act to provide for the manner of filling vacancies other than that of Governor of the State, in any of the elective State offices of the State of Illinois.

Passed Senate May 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 524.

A bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages, under an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Passed by the Senate May 25, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 38, 370, 374, 426, 446, 463, 523, 524 and 525, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. York called up House Bill No. 721, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 721, a bill for "An Act to amend section ninety-one (91) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved

March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 93.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hutzier,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Beck,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sullivan,
Black,	Erickson,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Blair,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Etherton,	King,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	Forst,	Lantz,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Carter,	Glade,	Liggett,	Rigney,	York,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Link,	Riley,	Zinger,
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Groves, J.,	McCollum,	Scott,	
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Yeas—93

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Keck, from the Committee on County and Township Organization, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 457, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 26 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lane called up House Bill No. 633, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 633, a bill for "An Act making it unlawful to make or keep any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offense, without their consent."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Glade,	Logan,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F.W.,
Allison,	Crawford,	Gray,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Aischuler,	Curran,	Griffin,	McNichols,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Daley,	Hagan,	Morris,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Behrens,	Erby,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.,	Werdell,
Black,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Bolin,	Fahy,	King,	Navlor,	Wilson, F. J.
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Finley,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wilson, R. E.,
Bush,	Forst,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wright,
Butts,	Foster,	Lane,	Price,	York,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Carter,	Galligan,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Link,	Riley,	Yeas—79

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 588, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 588, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 100; nays, 12.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hull,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Espy,	Huston,	Murray,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Navlor,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Ton.
Burgett,	Forst,	King,	Parker,	Trover,
Burns,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wheeler,
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipherfield,	Gorman,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Lyon,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Macleam,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker,
DeWolf,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	
Dillon,				Yeas—100

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Blair,	Gillespie,	Ireland,	Wilson, R. E.
Beck,	Erby,	Griffin,		
Black,	Fieldstack,	Hagan,	Riley,	Nays—12

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up House Bill No. 381, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 381, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 134.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Scott,
Aischuler,	Durfee,	Hope,	Mills,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F.W.,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murray,	Stearns,
Flack,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burns,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Werdell,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Church,	Gray,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Clark,	Griffin,	Link,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Logan,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Riley,	Yeas—134

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hollenbeck, from the Committee on Farm Drainage, to which was referred House Bill No. 245, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the organization of drainage districts for the purpose of constructing, repairing and protecting drains, ditches and levees for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and providing means therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chiperfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 512, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson called up House Bill No. 92, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 92, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to reconvey.'"

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hope,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Allison,	English,	Hruby,	Morris,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shepherd, F. W.,
Beck,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Myers,	Stearns,
Bolin,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Flannigan,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Forst,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fulton,	King,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	
DeWolf,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	

Yeas—113

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. O'Toole called up House Bill No. 458, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 458, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 121.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Allison,	English,	Hope,	Mills,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Huston,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.,
Blair,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Butts,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gray,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.,	Luke,	Richter,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Rigney,	York,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zinger,
Daley,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Dillon,				

Yeas—121

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McMackin called up House Bill No. 142, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 142, a bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Rigney,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Gray,	Lewis,	Robinson,
Adkins.	Curran,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Scantan,
Allison,	Daley,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Scott,
Eardill,	Durfee,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Erby,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.,
Back,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Espy,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Brady,	Etherton,	Hull,	Morris,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.,	Ton,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Finley,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Webborn,
Burns,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Bush,	Forst,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Foster,	King,	O'Neil,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.,
Carter,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Wright,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Price,	York,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Church,	Glade,	Lantz,	Richter,	Zipf,

Yeas—110

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush, from the Committee on Railroads, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 172, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates to be charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in this State and to punish the same, and prescribe a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto, and to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent unjust discriminations and extortions in the rates to be charged by the different railroads in this State for the transportation of freights on said roads,' approved April 7, A. D., 1871, approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, by adding thereto six new sections to be known as sections 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e and 8f."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 230, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 230, a bill for "An Act to prevent fire insurance companies entering into or maintaining pools, trusts, conspiracies or agreements to control rates of insurance and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 118; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Gorman,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Gray,	McGuire,	Scott,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Groves, W. M.,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Curran,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoe,	Daley,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.,
Bardill,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Murray,	Tippit,
Elack,	Erby,	Hull,	Myers,	Ton,
Blair,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Boim,	Espy,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.,
Bush,	Forst,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wright,
Butts,	Foster,	Lantz,	Price,	York,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Carter,	Galligan,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Luke,	Riley,	
Church,	Glade,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Yeas—118

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Alschuler, Griffin,

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This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 707, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 65 of 'An Act concerning local improvement,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 9, 1901."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 316, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections two (2), three (3), four (4), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12) and sixteen (16) of 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows, minor children, and dependent parents of deceased firemen, to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes con-

nected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 315, being a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law, to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign insurance companies, for the benefit of organized fire departments,' in force July 1, 1895, as amended April 24, 1901, as amended May 12, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 419, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 390, being a bill for "An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 359, being a bill for "An Act concerning sinking funds."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 242, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities of 100,000 population and under to construct outlet sewers, reservoirs pumping works and machinery, and maintain and keep in repair the same, the cost thereof to be defrayed by special assessment, or special taxation, and if the assessment is paid in installments, to issue bonds to anticipate the deferred installments,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 413, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 413, a bill for "An Act to require foreign fire and casualty insurance companies to deposit a bond or securities with the insurance commissioner to protect contracts in this State."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 108.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Church,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Clark,	Gillespie,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Glade,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Crawford,	Gorman,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Gray,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Griffin,	Myers,	Stearns,
Bardill,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Beck,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Hull,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Jewell,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Elack,	Erby,	Kannally,	Parker,	Welborn,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Keck,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Etherton,	Kleeman,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kowalski,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.,
Bush,	Flagg,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wright,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Campbell,	Forst,	Link,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Carter,	Foster,	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cernak,	Fulton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Chiperfield,	Galligan,	McCollum,		Yeas—108

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippit called up House Bill No. 650, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 650, a bill for "An Act to provide for a record to be kept of all real property conveyances in the office of the county clerk of each county of less than 300,000 inhabitants for the purpose of taxation."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81; nays, 18.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Carter,	Glade,	Lyón,	Richter,
Abrahams,	Cermak,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Riley,
Allison,	Crawford,	Grace,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Groves, J.,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Eardill,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Donaghe,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Ireland,	Murray,	Staymates,
Black,	Ericksen,	Kannally,	Myers,	Stearns,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kowaiski,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Brady,	Finley,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lederer,	Price,	White,
Burns,	Galligan,	Liegett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Richardson,	York,
Campbell,				Yeas—81

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Durfee,	Gray,	Kerrick,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Espy,	Hull,	Kirkpatrick,	Zinger,
Butts,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Zipf,
Clark,	Flagg,	Keck,		Nays—18

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Troyer, from the Committee on Parks and Boulevards, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 358, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Curran called up House Bill No. 539, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 539, a bill for "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensation therefor and to repeal an Act therein named."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Pending roll call, Mr. Curran moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 539 be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

At the hour of 6:25 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Smejkal moved that this House do now take a recess until 8:00 o'clock, p. m.

The motion prevailed.

The hour of 8:00 o'clock a. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 314.

A bill for "An Act to create a traveling tuberculosis exhibit commission, to define its powers and duties, and to make an appropriation therefor;"

SENATE BILL No. 428.

A bill for "An Act to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying for additional improvements for and in connection with the construction of the Seventh Infantry Illinois National Guard Armory, situated in the City of Chicago, State of Illinois;"

SENATE BILL No. 57.

A bill for "An Act creating the office of state fire marshal, prescribing his duties and providing for his compensation and for the maintenance of his office;"

SENATE BILL No. 452.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended and in force May 13, 1903;"

SENATE BILL No. 466.

A bill for "An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting;"

SENATE BILL No. 494.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Passed by the Senate May 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 314, 428, 57, 452, 466 and 494, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 37.

A bill for "An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies, corporations and associations, and their subordinate lodges, by officers thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 474.

A bill for an Act to legalize certain elections held under "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

Passed by the Senate May 25, 1909, by a two-thirds vote.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 632.

A bill for "An Act to prevent the detention, by debt or otherwise, of female persons in houses of prostitution or other places where prostitution is practiced or allowed, and providing for the punishment thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 631.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to pandering; to define and prohibit the same; to provide for the punishment thereof, for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor, and providing what shall be a defense," approved June 1, 1908, in force July 1, 1908, and also the title of said Act.

HOUSE BILL No. 434.

A bill for an Act to amend section 17 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the County of Cook," approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, as amended by an Act approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

HOUSE BILL No. 232.

A bill for an Act "To regulate the pursuit of the business, art and avocation of a barber, and to insure the better qualifications of persons following such business in the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 162.

A bill for an Act to amend section 12 of "An Act relating to employment offices and agencies," approved and in force May 11, 1903.

HOUSE BILL No. 66.

A bill for an Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

HOUSE BILL No. 320.

A bill for an Act to provide for the safety of railway employes engaged in the repairing of railway engines, cars and rolling stock equipment.

Passed Senate May 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL No. 607.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amendments to House Bill No. 607, adopted by the Senate May, 1909.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

In the title after the words "approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885" strike out all thereafter to and including, "In force July 1, 1897," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "As amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section 1 of the enacting clause on line 5 thereof after the words, "in force July 1, 1885" strike out all thereafter to and including the words, "in force July 1, 1897" in line 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "As amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In section 1 in line 12 after the word "Clerk" insert the following words, "and the assistant chief clerk."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

In section 1, line 19, after the words, "salary of" strike out all thereafter to and including the words, "per annum" on line 21 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars per annum and such chief clerk shall receive a salary of not less than one thousand five hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars, nor more than two thousand four hundred (\$2,400.00) dollars per annum, and also in counties of the second class there may be employed one assistant chief clerk who shall receive a salary of not less than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars nor more than one thousand five hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars per annum."

It shall be the duty of the Board of Election Commissioners in counties of the second class to fix the salary of the chief clerk and assistant chief clerk at the time of appointment of said clerks, not to exceed the amounts herein mentioned."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

In section 1, line 25, after the words, "salary of" strike out all thereafter to and including the word, "dollars" in line 28 and insert in lieu thereof the following) "Three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars."

Passed by the Senate, with amendments May 25, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendments to House Bill No. 607, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 654, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 654, a bill for "An Act authorizing the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the building laws of the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 89.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Scanlan,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Schumacher,
Bardill,	English,	Hope,	Morris,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hruby,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Erickson,	Hull,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Finley,	Ireland,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Burns,	Flagg,	Jewell,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kannally,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Keck,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kerrick,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wright,
Church,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Robinson,	Yeas—89

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 428, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 428, a bill for "An Act to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying for additional improvements for and in connection with the construction of the Seventh Infantry, Illinois National Guard Armory, situated in the city of Chicago, State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 314, in the order of first reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 314, a bill for "An Act to create a traveling tuberculosis exhibition commission, to define its powers and duties, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Allison called up House Bill No. 577, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 577, a bill for "An Act to create one additional term of the circuit court in and for the county of Grundy and to fix the time for holding the same and changing the terms of court in and for said county."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Griffin,	Link,	Richardson,
Adkins,	Daley,	Groves, J.,	Luke,	Richter,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Rigney,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Riley,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Holladay,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Black,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Espy,	Hull,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Brady,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Murray,	Ton,
Browne,	Finley,	Jewell,	Myers,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Butts,	Forst,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Werdel,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.,
Church,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wright,
Clark,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	York,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Lederer,	Price,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Gray,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Zipf,

Yeas—120

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burns called up House Bill No. 604, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 604, a bill for "An Act in relation to certain old mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancellation thereof on the record, as incumbrances against real estate."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 101; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Allison,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Bardill,	English,	Hruby,	McGuire,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Blair,	Erickson,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Brady,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Browne,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Werdel,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Church,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.,	Logan,	Richardson,	York,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Luke,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Riley,	
DeWolf,				

Yeas—101

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Rigney,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 531, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 531, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act in relation to fencing and operating railroads,' approved March 31, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 108.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Gray,	McConnell,	Riley,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
Allison,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.,	Stearns,
Elack,	English,	Jewell,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Erby,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Browne,	Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Finley,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Price,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Link,	Reynolds,	York,
Church,	Glade,	Luke,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Richter,	
Corcoran,	Grace,	Maclean,	Rigney,	

Yeas—108

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 722, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 722, a bill for "An Act to allow children of twelve years of age or over to take part and be employed in dramatic or theatrical performances or rehearsals for the same, to regulate the same and to provide for the punishment for violation of this Act."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Pending roll call, Mr. Lederer moved to postpone further consideration,

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 237, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 237, a bill for 'An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants or more, to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor.'

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Scott,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	English,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Stearns,
Blair,	Erby,	Ireland,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Bush,	Forst,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wardell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	White,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Link,	Richter,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Logan,	Rigney,	York,
Clark,	Gray,	Luke,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Zipf.
Corcoran,	Groves, J.,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Yeas—109

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Kerrick,

Parker,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up House Bill No. 48, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 48, a bill for "An Act to amend section one (1) of article one (1) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 80; nays, 28.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Allison,	Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.,	Murphy, E. J.,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Hope,	Murray,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	English,	Huston,	Naylor,	Tipplt,
Bolin,	Espy,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Wardell,
Burns,	Finley,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Forst,	Lederer,	Price,	White,
Butts,	Foster,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Luke,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Scott,	Zinger,
Church,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker,

Yeas—80

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.
Eardill,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Carter,	Grace,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.,
Erby,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Pierson,	
Flagg,	Hull,	Liegett,	Scanlan,	Nays—28

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act and having failed to receive the vote of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared lost.

The bill was then deemed reconsidered and was again put on its passage with the emergency clause stricken out.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass without the emergency clause?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79; nays, 19.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	Morris,	Shaw,
Allison,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	Murphy,	E. J., Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Groves, J.,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Myers,	Tippit,
Black,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Blair,	English,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Wardell,
Bolin,	Espy,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	Scanlan,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Keck,	Parker,	White,
Browne,	Etherton,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Fahy,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Bush,	Finley,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Butts,	Forst,	Luke,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Foster,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zipf,
Church,	Galligan,	McGuire,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,	Geshkewich,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,	Yeas—79

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Erby,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Jewell,	Maclean,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Nays—19

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Lantz moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 48 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Beckemeyer moved to lay the motion of Mr. Lantz upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 262, being a bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 262, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 262, a bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippit called up House Bill No. 737, in the order of second reading: and,

House Bill No. 737, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the labor of the convicts of the penitentiary of the State,' approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Tippit offered the following amendments to House Bill No. 737, and moved its adoption:

Amend House Bill No. 737 by striking out the title of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry,' approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

And the amendment was adopted:

Amend House Bill No. 737 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

That section 11 of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry," approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1 1903, as amended May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 11. The labor of convicts in penitentiaries and reformatories in this State after the necessary labor for the manufacture of all needed supplies for said institutions shall be primarily devoted to the State and the public institutions and buildings thereof, and the manufacture of supplies for the State and public institutions thereof, and secondly to the school and road districts of the State and the public institutions thereof; *but provided*, that if the demands of the State, the State institutions and the school and road districts thereof, as herein provided shall not be sufficient to furnish employment to all the prisoners of the penal and reformatory institutions of the State, then the Board of Prison Industries may and are hereby authorized to dispose of the surplus products of such labor to the best advantage of the State: *But provided further*, that not more than forty per cent (40%) of said prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions shall be employed in the manufacture of products of industries heretofore established which may be disposed of other than to the State, State institutions, and school and road districts of this State: *And provided further*, that the said Board of Prison Industries under the direction of the Governor is hereby authorized to employ not more than forty per cent (40%) of said prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions for the improvement of the channels of the Okaw, Cache, Little Wabash and Big Muddy rivers.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 355, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 517, being a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the State educational institutions herein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 521, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the expenses of a commission appointed by the Governor of this State under and by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 of the Forty-fifth General Assembly, adopted by the Senate May 11, 1907, and concurred in by the House of Representatives, November 27, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 490, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 337, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 197, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmer's Institute and county farmers' institutes."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 521, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 521, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the expenses of a commission appointed by the Governor of this State, under and by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 of the Forty-fifth General Assembly, adopted by the Senate, May 11, 1907, and concurred in by the House of Representatives, November 27, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 517, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 517, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the State educational institutions herein named.

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 355, in the order of second reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 355, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Riley called up Senate Bill No. 401, in the order of second reading: and,

Senate Bill No. 401, a bill for "An Act in reference to proof of disputed handwritings."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 56, in the order of second reading: and,

Senate Bill No. 56, a bill for "An Act making appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses for returning fugitives from justice."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 345, in the order of second reading: and,

Senate Bill No. 345, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to provide for deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 488, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 488, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum, and other

biological products for free distribution to the live stock producers of the State of Illinois, and making appropriation therefor."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 197, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 197, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmer's Institute and county farmer's institutes."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 197, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out in line 8, section 3 of the printed bill, the words and figures "\$6,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$3,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out in line 6, section 4, of the printed bill, the words and figures "\$6,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$5,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 490, in the order of second reading: and,

Senate Bill No. 490, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 490, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out in section 1, lines 2 and 3, of the printed bill the words and figures "\$40,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$50,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed and engrossed

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Clark called up House Bill No. 371, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 371, a bill for "An Act to enable courts of law, to grant relief against fraud."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 501, being a bill for

"An Act making appropriations for the State educational institutions herein named."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted, and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hutzler called up House Bill No. 483, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 483, a bill for "An Act to amend section 9, section 10, as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, section 12, section 13, as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, and section 29, as amended by the Act approved May 24, 1907, of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Revenue offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 483, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 483 by striking out the word "duplicate" where it appears in line 6 of section 12 and in line 3 of section 13 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "triplicate" in each place.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up House Bill No. 681, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 681, a bill for "An Act to amend section 76 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up House Bill No. 682, in the order of first reading; and,

House Bill No. 682, a bill for "An Act to authorize the levy of an annual tax in cities, villages and incorporated towns, to pay benefits, assessed upon or to be paid by such city, village or incorporated town, for the making of local improvements and lawful expenses incident thereto."

Was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Mills called up Senate Bill No. 415, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 313, a bill for "An Act to amend section 120 of an Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record," approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Being a special order for this day and having heretofore been read at large a second time on May 21, was again taken up.

And the pending question being the motion of Mr. Browne to lay amendment No. 1 upon the table, it was decided in the affirmative,

And amendment No. 1 was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Hollenbeck offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 313 in House by striking out all of section 129 of the printed bill following the word "cause" in line 12 of the printed bill and in lieu thereof insert the following: "provided, however, that where the Appellate Court reverses the judgment of the lower court wholly or in part upon finding of facts, it shall be the duty of the Appellate Court to remand said cause to said lower court for a new trial.

Whereupon, Mr. Browne moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And amendment No. 2 was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments,

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 619, a bill for "An Act to prevent any person, partnership or corporation connected as owner, part owner, officer, director, stockholder, agent or employé with, or financially interested in any brewery or distillery from keeping or having any financial interest in a dram shop, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of this Act, and also to provide that any citizen or tax payer may enforce this Act by a bill in equity."

Being a special order for this day the same was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 42; nays, 62.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Carter,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Rigney,
ApMadoc,	Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hull,	McCollum,	Stevenson,
Beherns,	Espy,	Huston,	Mills,	Terrill,
Blair,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Ton,
Bolin,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Burgett,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wright,
Campbell,	Groves, W. M.,	Hagan,		

Yeas—42

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Shanahan,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Shaw,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Smejkal,
Burns,	Forst,	Lane,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Trover,
Cermak,	Glade,	Link,	Parker,	Walsh,
Clark,	Gorman,	Luke,	Poulton,	Verdell,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Richter,	White,
DeWolf,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Dillon,	Holaday,	Morris,	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.,
Dudgeon,	Hruby,			Nays—62

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

Mr. English asked unanimous consent to call up Senate Bill No. 351, in the order of second reading,

Unanimous consent being refused, Mr. English moved to suspend the rules for that purpose,

And the motion prevailed.

And Senate Bill No. 351, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Whereupon, Mr. Smejkal moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. English moved to lay that motion on the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments,

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. ApMadoc asked unanimous consent to call up Senate Bill No. 348, in the order of second reading,

Unanimous consent being refused, Mr. ApMadoc moved to suspend the rules for that purpose,

And the motion prevailed.

And Senate Bill No. 348, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act to be known as section 3c."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Church moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. ApMadoc moved to lay that motion upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent; Mr. Behrens called up Senate Bill No. 96, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 96, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools."

Having heretofore been read at large a second time on May 19th, and further consideration postponed, was again taken up.

Whereupon, Mr. Poulton offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend Senate Bill Number 96 in the House by striking out all of section 89, of page 39, of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 89. Any school district having a population of two thousand (2000) inhabitants or more may, in the manner herein provided for establishing and maintaining a township high school, establish and maintain a high school for the benefit of the inhabitants of such school district, and elect a board of education therefor with the same powers conferred on township high school boards of education. The territory of such district when so organized for high school purposes shall constitute a high school district for high school purposes distinct and separate from the common school district having the same boundaries, and the high school board of education of such high school district shall have the same power to levy taxes and establish and maintain high schools as township high school boards of education organized under this Act possess, and such taxes shall be in addition to the taxes authorized to be levied by section 189 of this Act. All school districts which have heretofore organized under this section, elected a high school board of education, and are maintaining a high school shall be regarded as high school districts distinct and separate from the common school district having the same boundaries shall have the same power of taxation as township high school boards of education organized under this Act.

A township or part of a township in which there is no township high school may be annexed to an adjacent high school district organized under this section in the same manner as near as may be as is provided in sections 94, 95 and 96 of this Act for the annexation of territory to a township in which a high school has been established.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Murray offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 by striking out the words "in municipalities having less than 100,000 inhabitants" in line 10 and line 11 of section 189 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "provided, that."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 to 14, both inclusive, were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 740, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 740, a bill for "An Act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, the special order on House Bill No. 615, and Senate Bill No. 187 set for this day was postponed until tomorrow.

At the hour of 11:59 p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK. A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Venerable Frederick DeRosset

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when on motion of Mr. Kleeman, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 239, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 239, a bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants or more, to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, truant, subnormal, convalescent and incipient invalid children and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 101; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hope,	Morris,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hull,	Murray,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erby,	Huston,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Black,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Ireland,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Ton,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Trover,
Butts,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Price,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.,
Carter,	Foster,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chipherfield,	Fulton,	Link,	Rigney,	Wardell,
Church,	Galligan,	Luke,	Robinson,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Gshkewich,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	White,
Cliffe,	Gillespie,	McCollum,	Scott,	York,
Corcoran,	Glade,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,	Yeas—101
DeWolf,	Grace,			

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Kerrick,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask thier concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne, from the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 502, being a bill for 'An Act to amend section nine (9) of an Act entitled,

'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.'

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up House Bill No. 23, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 23, a bill for "An Act to provide for the vaccination of children, the vaccination and re-vaccination of all inhabitants of towns or cities, the vaccination of the inmates of almshouses, reform or industrial schools, hospitals, prisons, jails or houses of correction or any institution which is supported or aided by the State and for the exclusion of unvaccinated children from the public schools."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 22; nays, 67.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Erby,	Hull,	Lederer,	Parker,
Behrens,	Gillespie,	Kannally,	Liggett,	Price,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lane,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Curran,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Dudgeon,	Griffin,			Yeas—22

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Erickson,	Huston,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Tipplit,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Butts,	Foster,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Link,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Chipherfield,	Geshkewich,	Lyon,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Corcoran,	Grace,	McCollum,	Reynolds,	Wheelan,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.,	McMackin,	Robinson,	White,
Dillon,	Hagan,	Mills,	Shaw,	Wilson, H. W.,
Durree,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.	York,
English,	Holaday,			Nays—67

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Abbey called up House Bill No. 347, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 347, a bill for "An Act authorizing and empowering employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal institutions in the State of Illinois in the manufacture of and preparing road building and ballasting material, and to provide for securing quarry sites and erection of suitable stockades and barracks, and for the transfer and detention of prisoners within such stockades and barracks by the wardens of the State penal institutions, and to repeal Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bohn,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Brady,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Burgett,	Forst,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Burns,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wardell,
Carter,	Glade,	Leggett,	Reynolds,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Chipherfield,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.,
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.,	McCullum,	Robinson,	Wright,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Crawford,				Yeas—106

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Flannigen,	Parker,	Riley,	White,	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 520.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the acquisition of land for the relocation of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, and for the building of a new Illinois State Penitentiary, and a new Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, at or near the city of Joliet."

SENATE BILL No. 438.

A bill for an Act to protect the health of domestic animals in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor.

Passed by the Senate May 26th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 520 and 438 were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 520, in the order of first reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 520, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the acquisition of land for the relocation of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals and for the building of a new Illinois State Penitentiary and a new Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals at or near the city of Joliet."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By unanimous consent, Mr. ApMadoc called up House Bill No. 478, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 478, a bill for "An Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 92; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erby,	Hull,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Terrill,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Morris,	Tipitt,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.,	Ton,
Burgett,	Forst,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.,	Twyer,
Burns,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Liggelt,	Reynolds,	York,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Logan,	Eigney,	Zinger,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	
Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	
Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	

Yeas—92

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Huston, Myers,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cliffe called up House Bill No. 56, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 56, a bill for "An Act in relation to unclaimed money in the county treasury and for the appointment of administrators or executors in relation thereto."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 96; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Erby,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Richter,
Allison,	Erickson,	Hull,	McCollum,	Rigney,
Alschuler,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Eardill,	Finley,	Jewell,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Foster,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Stearns,
Blair,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Tipitt,
Butts,	Glade,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	O'Neil,	Walsk,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Parker,	Werdell,
Curran,	Hamilton,	Link,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
DeWolf,	Hilton,	Logan,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.,
Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	Luke,	Poulton,	Zinger,
English,	Hope,	Lyon,	Reynolds,	Zipf,

Yeas—96

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Clark,

Shaw,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Rigney called up House Bill No. 363, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 363, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to the probate of wills,' approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 98.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erickson,	Huston,	Morris,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Finley,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Stearns,
Beck,	Foster,	King,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Terrill,
Butts,	Gillespte,	Lane,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Ton,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Grace,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Walsh,
Clark,	Gray,	Luke,	Price,	Welborn,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Iyon,	Reynolds,	Werdel,
Crawford,	Hagan,	McCoilum,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Daley,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.,
Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.,
Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Riley,	Zipf,
English,	Hope,	Mills,	Scanlan,	
Erbly,	Hruby,	Montellus,	Schumacher,	

Yeas—98

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland called up House Bill No. 39, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 39, a bill for "An Act to amend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so as to include the complete administration of testate estates."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 88.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Adkins,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hope,	Morris,	Terrill,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Ton,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Myers,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Bush,	Finley,	Keck,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Carter,	Flag,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	White,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Price,	York,
Crawford,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Zinger,
Curran,	Grace,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Daley,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	
DeWolf,	Groves, J.,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Dillon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Yeas—87

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At 12:00 o'clock, meridian, the Senate, preceded by the President of the Senate, was announced by the Speaker of the House and took the seats assigned them in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate.

Whereupon, the following Senators answered to their names:

Andrus,	Clark,	Gibson,	Humphrey,	McElvain,
Bailey,	Cruikshank,	Glackin,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Baker,	Curtis,	Gorman,	Isley,	Manny,
Ball,	Dailey,	Hall,	Jendus,	Olson,
Barr,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Femberton,
Billings,	Downing,	Hay,	Juul,	Potter,
Breidt,	Duniap,	Hearn,	Landee,	Rainey,
Broderick,	Ettelson,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Funk,	Henson,	Lundberg,	Tossey,
Burton,	Gardner,	Holstlaw,	McCormick,	Womack,

And there were fifty members of the Senate present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then directed the Clerk of the House to call the roll of the members of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, the following members answered to their names:

Abbey,	Daley,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Staymates,
Beck,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Brady,	Finley,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Browne,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdeil,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Pierzon,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Glade,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Church,	Gray,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Clark,	Griffin,	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Crawford,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	
Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scott,	

And there were 152 members of the House of Representatives present.

And there were 202 members of the Senate and House of Representatives present.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly, then announced that the roll of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives composing the Joint Assembly, would again be called for the purpose of receiving the vote of each member, *viva voce*, for choosing a Senator in the Congress of the United States from March 4th, A. D., 1909, and thereupon directed the Secretary of the Senate to call the roll of the Senate for the aforesaid purpose.

The roll of the Senate was then called with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	24 votes
William Lorimer received.....	19 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	7 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Andrus,	Dalley,	Hall,	Hurburgh,	McKenzie,
Bailey,	Dellenback,	Hamilton,	Jones,	Clson,
Baker,	Dunlap,	Hay,	Landee,	Pemberton,
Barr,	Funk,	Helm,	Lish,	Stewart,
Brown,	Gardner,	Humphrey,	Lundberg,	—24

Those voting for William Lorimer are: Messrs.

Ball,	Clark,	Ettelson,	Holstlaw,	McElvain,
Billings,	Cruikshank,	Gorman,	Jandus,	Potter,
Preidt,	Curtis,	Hearn,	Juul,	Rainey,
Broderick,	Downing,	Henson,	McCormick,	—19

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Burton,	Glackin,	Manny,	Tossey,	Womack,
Gibson,	Isley,			—7

The roll of the House of Representatives was then called for the same purpose with the following result:

Albert J. Hopkins received.....	46 votes
William Lorimer received	89 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	17 votes

Those voting for Albert J. Hopkins are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Grace,	Ireland,	Mills,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Gray,	Jewell,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Hagan,	Keck,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Hamilton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Terrill,
Campbell,	Holaday,	King,	Pervier,	Ton,
Carter,	Hollenbeck,	Kirkpatrick,	Reynolds,	Welborn,
Cliffe,	Hope,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.,
Erby,	Hull,	Liggett,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.,
Flage,	Hutzler,	Lyon,	Robinson,	Wright,
Fulton,				—46

Those voting for William Lorimer are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Glade,	McConnell,	Smejkal,
Allison,	Corcoran,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Staymates,
ApMadoc,	Curran,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Beck,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Kannally,	Morris,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Kittleman,	Murphy, E. J.,	Troyer,
Black,	Durree,	Kleman,	Murray,	Walsh,
Blair,	Erickson,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Espy,	Lane,	O'Neill,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fany,	Lantz,	Parker,	White,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.,
Bush,	Forst,	Link,	Price,	York,
Butts,	Foster,	Logar,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Luke,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Gilleskewich,	Maclean,	Shanahan,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Gillespie,	McCollum,	Shephard, H. A.	—89

Those voting for Lawrence B. Stringer are: Messrs.

Bolin,	English,	Groves, W. M.,	Myers,	Richardson,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Huston,	Naylor,	Scott,
Daley,	Finley,	Murphy, Wm.,	O'Toole,	Shaw,
Donathue,	Groves, J.,			—17

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, as presiding officer, announced the result of this, the ninety-fifth joint ballot, as follows:

Total number of votes cast 202, of which—

Albert J. Hopkins received a total of the Joint Assembly of the	
Forty-sixth General Assembly of.....	70 votes
William Lorimer received.....	108 votes
Lawrence B. Stringer received.....	24 votes

The Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer of the Joint Assembly of the Forty-sixth General Assembly then announced that a quorum of all the members elected to both houses were present and voting, and that William Lorimer having received a majority of all the votes cast by the Joint Assembly, and a constitutional majority, was therefore declared duly elected United States Senator to represent the State of Illinois in the Congress of the United States, for the term of six years, beginning on the fourth day of March, A. D., 1909.

Mr. ApMadoc offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That a committee of five (5) be appointed on the part of the House, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, and three on the part of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, to notify the Honorable William Lorimer of his election as United States Senator from the State of Illinois for the term of six (6) years beginning March 4th, 1909.

And the resolution was adopted.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives appointed as such committee on the part of the House, Messrs. ApMadoc, Church, Browne, Lawrence and Tippit.

The President of the Senate appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Ball, Downing and Hearn.

The committee thereupon retired and presented the Honorable William Lorimer, Senator-elect, who addressed the Joint Assembly, as follows:

"Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the General Assembly: I am unable to find language with which to express my gratitude for the great honor conferred upon me by this Assembly today. Receiving the votes of the two great parties of the country is of course a new precedent in the history of this great commonwealth. Every Democrat that voted for me today knew that he was voting for a Republican. Every Republican that voted for me today knew that he was voting for a man who believed in the principles of his great party. Today things are different to what they were a few years ago. Such a condition as exists in this hall could not have obtained twenty years ago, but the parties have been growing in their great principles closer and closer together every day until now we are separated by just a few great principles and that which has continued the chasm between the two great parties, that which made it possible for us to enter into the contest in the last campaign was the tariff issue. Personally, all my life I have been a protectionist. All my life I have been for what is known as a "high protective tariff," but in our last Republican national convention, our party, the Republican party, declared for a lower tariff or a tariff revision downward. And gentlemen, whether that is the view I have held in the past twenty-five years that I have been voting the Republican ticket or not, the party obligations call upon all of its representatives to carry out our pledge, and let me say to you, before this contest opened the Republicans were prepared to carry out their pledge. The bill was reported to the House and passed by the lower branch of Congress recently that I believe meets with the views of the great mass of all of the people of this country. I do not know, my friends, whether or not that legislation will yield revenue enough to conduct the affairs of this great country or not, but I do know that the party to which I belong will keep the faith and pass a bill along the lines passed by the House of Representatives, and so, my friends, with a condition of that kind it has seemed easy for Democrats to step across the line and vote for a Republican, and let me say to you, my Democratic friends, that the day will never come when I will fail to appreciate the great honor that you have helped to confer upon me and while we may differ as to a few of the great principles that separate the two great parties, there are still many things of government upon which we can agree. There are still many things to be done in Washington where the party line will not be drawn and I am confident that when my term of office expires that, except as to those few principles that separate us, my service in the Upper Branch of the Congress of the United States will be satisfactory to you, and to my Republican friends let me say that because of the great confidence bestowed upon me by the gentlemen on the other side of the House, because of the large vote I received from them today, I would have you know that I am today, as I was yesterday, a Republican standing for the principles of the great party to which you and I belong, but upon one subject, at least, my friends, we can all be united.

"The last General Assembly submitted to the people a proposition that makes it possible to put through a project that will bring to the State in which we live the greatest possible industrial development. The last time I was elected to Congress, I made the campaign for no purpose alone on earth except to promote the great project of a waterway from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico. I had hoped that probably I might have one more term in Congress after the one I am now serving expires. I had hoped for that additional term in order that I might have the time to urge upon the Congress of the country this great and much needed development of the Mississippi Valley, but you gentlemen here today have brushed aside all the need of a re-election to Congress. You have made it unnecessary for another campaign and another re-election. You have given me a service of six years

in the high branch of the Congress of the United States and let me say to you today that, with your aid, at some time during the life of this General Assembly you and I, during my service in the Senate will live to see the day when the great project of a waterway from the Lakes to the Gulf will be on its way to final development and completion. I do not wish longer to take the time of the members of this Assembly, and wish to part with you with just these few words:

"The gentlemen who voted for me today I shall never forget while I live, but I know from my association with the members of the House and Senate during the past four months that I have the most kindly feeling and respect of the gentlemen that did not vote for me and, might I say to you in conclusion, my friends, that it makes no difference to me whether you voted for me or not, I ask you and I invite you to call upon me for any service that can be rendered in the interest of the great commonwealth which we all love so well."

Mr. Lorimer having concluded his address, Mr. Hull moved that the Speaker appoint a committee of three (3) to wait upon ex-Senator Albert J. Hopkins and invite him to address the Assembly.

Whereupon, the Speaker appointed as such committee: Messrs. Hull, Perkins and Adkins.

The committee thereupon retired and presented Mr. Hopkins who addressed the Assembly as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Forty-sixth General Assembly: I desire to return to you my thanks for the courteous treatment that I have received during the long months of the deadlock which has just been terminated by the election of Mr. Lorimer to the Senate of the United States. In looking over that period and going back to the primary itself, I feel no regrets as respects the manner in which the campaign has been conducted and personally I have no regrets as to the result.

"Under the law that was placed upon the statute books of this State by the General Assembly which preceded you, if I desired to become a candidate to succeed myself in the Senate of the United States, I was required, with the others, to file my petition with the Secretary of State and to make a canvass of the State and receive the endorsement of the people at the primary election. Under that statute, I with several others, made a canvass of this State and received nearly 50,000 majority against my nearest competitor and 82,000 majority in round numbers against Senator Mason. I had supposed, as many others, that the primary law, was to determine the result of the senatorial canvass. When I came here in January, I found a different condition existed. I found many of the members of this General Assembly felt that they should be guided and controlled by the vote in their respective districts and others believed, as I believed, that the general results of the entire State was to determine this question.

"I have no criticisms to make as respects the attitude taken by these gentlemen who believed the primary vote of the district should control. I recognize you as all honorable men, as high-minded legislators who determined to carry out the wishes of your constituency and do the best you can for the interests of your State. In the months that have followed in this deadlock I have received the support from the loyal Republicans of this State that I shall never forget during my life. I appreciate that support more than I can express in language to you today, and more than I can ever recompense you for. I would rather have the loyal support of men that have stood by me during these long months and the principles of the primary law than any office, I care not how exalted that office may be. I had rather stand for the principles of the Republican party as expressed at the polls than to have any office, whatever that office may be. Gentlemen, I speak all my conviction upon that subject.

"Now, gentlemen of the General Assembly, for myself, I go into private life with more pleasure than regret. I have had the honor of holding this great

office for six years. You know, who are familiar with records of that great legislative body, the manner in which I have discharged my duties as a representative of this great State. I appeal to that record with pleasure and with pardonable pride. My record there is one that I can transfer to my children as a heritage that they can be proud of. In all of the contests that went on in that great legislative body during that period, I not only had the confidence and support of my colleagues in the Senate, but I stood loyally by the administration of one the greatest presidents that has ever honored this great republic, Theodore Roosevelt.

"Now, gentlemen, it is not my purpose to take up your time with a speech. I desire to say to you I have nothing but good wishes for my successful competitor. I regret that he was able to be elected by Democratic votes, because I can say to you, Democrats and Republicans alike, that this country is a country that is and should be governed by political parties. This State in all of its wonderful development has been governed by party organization. The Republican party has made a record in this great State second to none in the history of the republic itself, and the Republican party up to this time has never failed to be united in the support of its candidate. If the principles of that party had prevailed, if that loyal spirit had been manifest, there were Republicans enough to have elected me, but as I have said to you, I will bow to the will of the General Assembly. I take no exceptions to the views of the gentlemen who differ from me and if the Republicans have joined with the Democratic party today in electing Mr. Lorimer my successor, I say God-speed him and give him every success in the Senate of the United States.

"I was pleased to listen to his remarks when he said he would go there as a Republican, but a State that can give to the national ticket 176,000 majority, ought to be represented in that great body by a Republican in that great legislative body. Now, members of the General Assembly, in closing I want to thank you again and the loyal Republicans who have stood by me. It is honor enough for me to know that those men have believed in me as a man and a senator and in the record that I have made in the United States, to go down to defeat and stand by that defeat. It is a record that their constituents will honor and a record that makes a bright page in the history, not only of each individual member, but of the senator whom they voted for."

The purpose for which this Joint Assembly convened, having been accomplished, at the hour of 3:07 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that the Joint Assembly do now adjourn, *sine die*.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, the Honorable, the Senate, withdrew.

The House resumed its session and at the hour of 3:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 7:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 7:00 o'clock, p. m., having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up House Bill No. 701, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 701, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved May 21, 1889, and in force May 21, 1889, as heretofore amended."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd. F. W.
Alschuler,	Erby,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stearns,
Beck,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Myers,	Terrill,
Black,	Finley,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Ton,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Eurns,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Verdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheeler,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lanz,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.,
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Griffin,	Link,	Reynolds,	York,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Logan,	Richter,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
DeWolf,	Holaday,			Yeas—111

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hamilton, from the Committee on State Geological Survey, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 414, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 6 of 'An Act to provide for the creation of art commissions in cities and to define their powers,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 286.

A bill for "An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other states and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith."

SENATE BILL No. 486.

A bill for an Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled "An Act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903.

SENATE BILL No. 489.

A bill for an Act to authorize the levy of an annual tax in cities, villages and incorporated towns, to pay benefits, assessed upon or to be paid by such city, village or incorporated town, for the making of local improvements and lawful expenses incident thereto.

SENATE BILL No. 435.

A bill for an Act to provide for the better protection and safety of employes in foundries where castings of any metallic nature are manufactured.

SENATE BILL No. 167.

A bill for an Act to amend sections one (1), and three (3), of an Act entitled "An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals," approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; said section one (1), as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

SENATE BILL No. 528.

A bill for an Act to amend section four (4), of article XII of chapter twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing," approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed Senate May 26th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 476.

A bill for "An Act requiring cities and villages and incorporated towns to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness, to the voters of any such city or village or incorporated town."

Passed by the Senate May 26, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 435, 486, 167, 489, 528, 286 and 476, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up House Bill No. 611, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 611, a bill for "An Act to create county text book commissions in all counties having a population of less than 200,000 with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties," except in cities of over 1,000 population, and to regulate the price of such text books."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 97; nays, 10.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shephard, F. W.
Allison,	English,	Hope,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hull,	Morris,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stearns,
Black,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Murray,	Terrell,
Briscoe,	Finley,	Jewell,	Myers,	Tippitt,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Keck,	Naylor,	Ton,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	King,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Campbell,	German,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.,
Chipefield,	Gray,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.,
Church,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.,	Logan,	Riley,	York,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lyons,	Shaw,	Zinger,
Dillon,	Hilton,			

Yeas—97

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams.
Brady,

Cermak,
Fahy,

Glade,
Hagan.

McLaughlin,
McNichols,

Sullivan,
Walsh,

Nays—10

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 360.

A bill for "An Act to create a State Board of Education and to define its powers and duties."

SENATE BILL No. 394.

A bill for an Act to amend section 202, article 8 of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907.

SENATE BILL No. 493.

A bill for an Act to provide for the certification of teachers.

Passed by the Senate May 26, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 493, 360 and 394, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 740.

"An Act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes."

HOUSE BILL No. 737.

"An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled: 'An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry,' approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 672.

"An Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled: 'An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same, and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 483.

"An Act to amend section 9, section 10 as amended by the Act approved May 18, 1905, section 12, section 13, as amended by the Act approved May

18, 1905, and section 29 as amended by the Act approved May 24, 1907, of an Act entitled: 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 740, 737, 672 and 483 were placed in the order of House Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House amendments to Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 96.

A bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools."

SENATE BILL No. 490.

A bill for "An Act making appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois."

SENATE BILL No. 197.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes."

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 96, 490 and 197 were placed in the order of Senate Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack called up House Bill No. 374, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 374, a bill for "An Act to prohibit persons holding offices requiring them to value or assess property for taxation from engaging in other business or occupation."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83; nays, 10.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Holaday,	McColium,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shephard. H. A.
Allison,	Dillon,	Hope,	Mills,	Stevenson.
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	English,	Hull,	Morris,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.,	Walsh,
Browne,	Forst,	Jewell,	Murray,	Wheeler,
Burns,	Poster,	Kannally,	Myers,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	Keck,	Naylor,	Wilson, G. H.,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wilson, H. W.,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wright,
Cerniak,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Price,	York,
Chipherfield,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Liggett,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	Link,		88—yeas

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bardill,	Erby,	Finley,	King,	McLaughlin,
Brady,	Espy,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Welborn,
				Nays—10

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 330.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

SENATE BILL No. 331.

A bill for an Act concerning limitations of interests in property.

SENATE BILL No. 511.

A bill for an Act to amend section 133 of "An Act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices," approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

Passed by the Senate May 26, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 330, 331 and 511, were read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 181.

A bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns in the State of Illinois, having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants.

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment, I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend House Bill No. 181 in the Senate by adding the following after line 31, page 2, of said printed bill "Provided, however, there shall not be collected in any city, village or incorporated town in any year more than \$2,500, and should it be necessary to reduce the collections as above provided, the reduction shall be made from the amount collected from dram-shop licenses."

Passed by the Senate, as amended, May 25th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendment to House Bill No. 181, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Logan called up House Bill No. 732, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 732, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages, under an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	English,	Huston,	Montellus,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.,	Terrill,
Blair,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tipitt,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Ton,
Frownback,	Foster,	King,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Bush,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Grace,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Campbell,	Gray,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.,
Carter,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Reynolds,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chiperfield,	Groves, W. M.,	Link,	Rigney,	Wright,
Church,	Hagan,	Logan,	Riley,	Zipf,
Clark,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	
Cliffe,		Maclean,	Schurnacher,	

Yeas—114

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Wheelan called up House Bill No. 528, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 528, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the deposit of reserve and the registration of policies and annuity bonds by life insurance companies of this State,' approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Church,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Clark,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Tipitt,
Beck,	English,	Ireland,	Morris,	Troyer,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.,	Walsh,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Werdell,
Bolin,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Forst,	Lane,	O'Brien,	White,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wilson, G. H.,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Wilson, H. W.,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.,
Carter,	Gorman,	Link,	Pervier,	Wright,
Cermak,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	

Yeas—79

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Kirkpatrick, Rigney, Terrill,

Nays—3

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter called up House Bill No. 688, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 688, a bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 90; nays, 18.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Church,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Clark,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Shaw,
Allison,	Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMaDoc,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Durree,	Hope,	McNichols,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Hruby,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hull,	Morris,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.,	Tippit,
Brady,	Finley,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Ireland,	Myers,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Foster,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Browne,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wilson, G. H.,
Butts,	Glade,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.,
Carter,	Grace,	Lantz,	Price,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	York,
Chiperfield,	Hagan,	Link,	Schumacher,	Zipf,

Yeas—90

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Riley,	Walsh,
Behrens,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Shepherd, H. A.	Welborn,
Dudgeon,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Sullivan,	White,
Fahy,	Groves, J.,	Murphy, E. J.,		

Yeas—18

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippit called up House Bill No. 737, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 737, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry,' approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scott,
Adkins,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Allison,	Erby,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Espy,	Huston,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stearns,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Sullivan.
Blair,	Finley,	Jewell,	Morris,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.,	Ton,
Burgett,	Forst,	King,	Myers,	Troyer,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Wheeler,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wilson, H. W.,
Cernak,	Glade,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Lederer,	Price,	York,
Clark,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Link,	Richter,	
Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Riley,	

Yeas—113

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 656, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 656, a bill for "An Act to provide in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Pending roll call, Mr. Lederer moved that further consideration be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Burgett called up House Bill No. 186, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 186, a bill for "An Act to provide for the dissolution of towns, cities and villages organized under the laws of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 98.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durree,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, E. J.,	Sollitt,
Adkins,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Brady,	Flags,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Foster,	King,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Price,	Werdell,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Reynolds,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	White,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.,
Church,	Groves, J.,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Wright,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Scott,	York,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hilton,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.,	
Dillon,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.	Yeas—98

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Etherton called up House Bill No. 36, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 36, a bill for "An Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877, so as to allow persons other than members to be appointed treasurer."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 89.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Mills,	Scott,
Adkins,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Espy,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stearns,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Flags,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Burns,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wheelan,
Church,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	White,
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.,	McCollum,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.,
Crawford,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Riley,	York,
Dillon,	Hamilton,	McNichols,	Schumacher,	Yeas—89

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 731, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 731, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 56, 57, 58, 61, 63 and 64 of an Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago," approved May 18, 1905 in force July 1 1905, submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held September 17, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 80; nays, 5.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Riley,
Adkins,	Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Cliffe,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Corcoran,	Hagan,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Crawford,	Hilton,	Mills,	Stearns,
Beckmeyer,	Curran,	Holaday,	Montellus,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Morris,	Ton,
Blair,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Brady,	Durfee,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.,	Walsh,
Browne,	English,	Keck,	Murray,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Erickson,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.,
Bush,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Reynolds,	York,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Richter,	Yeas—80
Cermak,				

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Espy,	Kirkpatrick,	McLaughlin.	O'Brien,	Price,
				Nays—5

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erby called up House Bill No. 439, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 439, a bill for "An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 78; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Durfee,	Hope,	Morris,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Tippit,
Blair,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Myers,	Ton,
Brady,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Browne,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lane,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Price,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lewis,	Schumacher,	York,
Church,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Shanahan,	Zipf
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McNichols,		Yeas—78.

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Curran,	Shepherd, H. A.	Sullivan,	Nays—3
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 326, being a bill for "An Act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 520, being a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the acquiring of land for the relocation of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals and for the building of a new Illinois State Penitentiary and a new Illinois Asylum for the Insane Criminals at or near the city of Joliet."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 40, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article V of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 1 of article V of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved March 30, 1887, by adding thereto a new paragraph to be known as paragraph number ninety-seven."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 27, being a bill for "An Act to appropriate one thousand dollars for purchase of portrait of Patrick Henry."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 27, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 27, a bill for "An Act to appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for purchase of portrait of Patrick Henry."

Was taken up, read at large a second time, and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 326, in the order of second reading,

And Senate Bill No. 326, a bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Beck asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 671, in the order of third reading.

Unanimous consent being refused, Mr. Beck moved to suspend the rules for that purpose,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 671, a bill for "An Act to prohibit certain classes of medical advertising and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

Was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?"

Pending roll call Mr. Beck moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 671 be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 488, in the order of second reading; and,

House Bill No. 488, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum, and other biological products for free distribution to the live stock producers of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor."

Whereupon, Mr. Price moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Browne moved to lay that motion upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to strike out the enacting clause was ordered to lie upon the table.

Thereupon, Mr. Shanahan offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 488 by striking out in line 5, of section 4, the figures "\$20,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,000."

In line 7 strike out the figures "6,000" and insert the figures "\$4,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 501, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 501, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State educational institutions herein named."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 501, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out in section 1, lines 40 and 41, of the printed bill.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out in section 1, line 5, the figures "\$83,426.75" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$80,926.75."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Cliffe offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 501 by adding after line 17 the following:

"17a. For training school building, \$75,000;" and by striking out the figures "\$20,812.75" in line 18 and inserting therefor the figures "\$95,812.75."

Mr. Shanahan moved to lay the foregoing amendment upon the table, And the motion to table was lost.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the amendment, it was decided in the affirmative,

And amendment No. 3 was adopted.

Mr. Shanahan moved the previous question.

And the question being, "Shall the main question be now put?" it was decided in the affirmative.

The foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 337, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 337, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 337 in the House by striking out in section 1 all of lines 4 and 5 of the printed bill.

Mr. Adkins moved to lay the foregoing amendment upon the table.

And on that motion a division of the House was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 33; nays, 7.

And the amendment No. 1 was ordered to lie upon the table.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out in line 9, section 1, of the printed bill the words and figures "\$3,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$2,000."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend by striking out in section 1, lines 19 and 20.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend by inserting between lines 20 and 21 of the printed bill "for maintenance, repairs and care of the Illinois State Fair Grounds and buildings thereon, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) per annum for the years 1909 and 1910."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend by inserting in line 3, section 1, of the printed bill, after the word "sums" the following: "which sums shall be used by the said Board for the purposes specified and no other."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 2, 3, 4 and 5 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 312, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 312, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-one (61) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved March 31, 1874, as amended by Acts approved respectively, May 20, 1879, June 14, 1887, June 26, 1895, and May 18, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 523, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 523, a bill for "An Act for the sale to American Smelting and Refining Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up House Bill No. 410, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 410, a bill for "An Act to permit traffic agreements and consolidations between electric railway companies, whether organized under the general incorporation laws of the State of Illinois, or the general railroad Act of this State."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Bush offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of House Bill No. 410 by striking out the words "and consolidations."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 410 by striking out in line 4, in section 1 of the printed bill, the words: "and to consolidate with each other."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up House Bill No. 733, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 733, a bill for "An Act relating to pimping, defining and prohibiting the same, and providing for the punishment thereof and for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 24, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 24, a bill for "An Act to compel the publication by common carriers of passengers of the time of the arrival and departure of their trains and other conveyances in the various cities and villages of this State."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Lantz asked unanimous consent to call up House Bill No. 728, in the order of second reading.

Objections being heard, Mr. Lantz moved to suspend the rules for that purpose,

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 728, a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers,' approved May 29, 1889; in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

And the question being, "Shall the bill be engrossed for a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Shanahan moved that all House Bills upon the calendar on first and second readings and all bills in committees except the Enrolling and Engrossing Committee be ordered to lie upon the table.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 15, being a bill for "An Act to prohibit the organization, or formation of secret fraternities and secret societies or permitting membership therein in any public high school, district, primary or graded school of this State, empowering and making it the duty of school trustees, directors or boards of education to adopt rules and regulations relating thereto, and to enforce the same and making it an offense to solicit pupils to join them and prescribing the penalty therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens, from the Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 272, being a bill for "An Act in relation to the adoption, use and price of public school text books in the free public schools of this State."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Senate Bill No. 330, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Senate Bill No. 331, a bill for "An Act concerning limitations of interests in property."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent, Senate Bill No. 327, a bill for "An Act to create a board of trustees of the Department of Electricity pension fund, to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled members of said department and the widows and minor children of deceased members of said department, to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the Department of Electricity, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid Department of Electricity."

Was recalled from the order of second reading and re-referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By unanimous consent, House Bills numbered 715 and 716, were recalled from the order of second reading and re-referred to the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce.

By unanimous consent, the special orders on House Joint Resolution No. 27, House Bill No. 639, and Senate Bill No. 187, set for this day were postponed until tomorrow.

At the hour of 11:59 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Church moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Zinger, the further reading of the same was dispensed with, and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield called up Senate Bill No. 525, in the order of first reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 525, a bill for "An Act to provide for the manner of filling vacancies, other than that of Governor of the State, in any of the elective State offices of the State of Illinois."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 593.

A bill for "An Act to enable park commissioners to issue bonds to raise funds for the acquisition and improvement of additional small parks and pleasure grounds, and to provide a tax for the payment of the same.

HOUSE BILL No. 667.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 and section 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department," approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act entitled "An Act to amend sections three, (3), seven (7), eight (8) and ten (10) of an Act entitled, "An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith in cities, villages or incorporated towns whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department," approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887," approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act entitled, "An Act to amend sections one (1), two, (2), three (3), four (4), six (6), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11) and sixteen (16), and the title of 'An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of

the fire department and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds fifty thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department,' approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1889, in force July 1, 1889," as amended by an Act approved June 1st, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

Passed by the Senate May 26th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Curran, from the Committee on Labor and Industrial Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 497, being a bill for "An Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any mechanical establishment, or factory or laundry in order to safeguard the health of such employés, to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 265, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with recommendations that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 498, being a bill for "An Act to tax gifts, legacies, inheritances, transfers, appointments, and interests in certain cases and to provide for the collection of the same, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 352, being a bill for "An Act in relation to the disposition of unclaimed deposits in banks and trust companies in this State."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 519, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 514, being a bill for "An Act for the establishment of a State Probation Commission."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 436, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act to revise the law in relation to landlord and tenant," approved May 1, 1873, in force July 1, 1873."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal, from the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 362, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to mills and millers and dams for mills and other machinery and navigation,' approved March 2, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 636, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 636, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts paid to the State Treasurer for license to fish under section 21 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, defining the duties of the fish commissioners fixing their compensation, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' passed by the General Assembly of 1907, and known as House Bill No. 834."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Groves, W.	M. Lyon,	Shaw,
Allison,	Daley,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	English,	Hope,	Mills,	Staymates,
Black,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Myers,	Ton,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lane,	Price,	Wright,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Richardson,	York,
Chipfield,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Rieney,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gray,	Lederer,	Scanlan,	
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Link,	Schumacher,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 407, being a bill for "An Act to regulate the manufacture, handling and storage of dangerous explosives."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Glade, from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 136, being a bill for "An Act in relation to the adulteration and deception in the manufacture and sale of spirits of turpentine, to provide for the enforcement thereof by the State Food Commissioner, and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 273, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign fire insurance companies for the benefit of organized fire departments,' in force July 1, 1895, of which section 1 was amended by Act approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Erickson, from the Committee on Municipal Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 226, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation, and disbursement of a house of correction employes pension fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 730, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 730, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 119; nays, 5.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbe	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Durree,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scott,
Allison,	English,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Espy,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Ton,
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipherfield,	Grace,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wright,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Yeas—119

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Briscoe,	McNichols,	Murphy, E. J.	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
				Nays—5

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 456.

A bill for "An Act to create a bureau of labor statistics and statistical details of manufacturing industries and commerce of the State, and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Passed by the Senate May 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill numbered 456 was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 740, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 740, a bill for "An Act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 105.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey.	Erby,	Huston,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams.	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Smejkal,
Adkins,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murray,	Staymates,
ApMadoc,	Fahy,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Bardill,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Beck,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Beckemeyer,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Behrens,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Black,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Brady,	Glade,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Weiborn,
Bush,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Price,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Grace,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Wright,
Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Scott,	York,
Dillon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shaw,	Zipf,
English,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—105

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd called up House Bill No. 686, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 686, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,' in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	English,	Huston,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Black,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Blair,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Bolln,	Foster,	Lane,	Pervier,	Weiborn,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Price,	Werdell,
Browne,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richter,	White,
Burns,	Grace,	Link,	Riley,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Gray,	Logan,	Robinson,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shaw,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,			

Yeas—102

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. W. Shepherd called up House Bill No. 687, in the ordered of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 687, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing ground hogs,' approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murray,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Ton,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	King,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bush,	Foster,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Gray,	Link,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Wright,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Daley,				

Yeas—106

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up House Bill No. 462, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 462, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved May 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 86; nays, 14.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Mills,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	Morris,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hamilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Holaday,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Black,	Erby,	Hull,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Browne,	Espy,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Bush,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Ton,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Foster,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Carter,	Fulton,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Maclean,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Riley,	York,
Cliffe,	Gray,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Daley,				

Yeas—86

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Groves, J.	Kannally,	Montelius.	Shephard, H. A.
Flagg,	Hollenbeck,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Grace,	Huston,	McCollum,	Myers,	Nays—14

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stearns called up House Bill No. 426, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 426, a bill for "An Act granting the right of eminent domain to electric light and distributing companies."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Pending a roll call, Mr. Stearns moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 426 be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Black called up House Bill No. 133, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 133, a bill for "An Act to amend section (5) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide reports of the same,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Pending roll call Mr. Black moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 133 be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

At the hour of 1:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 2:45 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 2:45 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL NO. 188.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 23 of 'An Act in relation to courts of record in cities,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.

Together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

Amend the title by adding the following words and figures after the figures, "1901;" "As amended by Act approved May 8, 1907," in force July 1, 1907."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section 1, in line 3, after the words and figures "July 1, 1901," by inserting the words and figures "as amended by Act approved May 8, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 17.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein,' approved June 23rd, 1883, in force July 1st, 1883, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section sixteen of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 3rd, 1889, in force July 1st, 1889.'"

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend section 1, line 30, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five" also in same line strike out the figures "15,000" and insert the figures "25,000."

Passed by the Senate, with amendment, May 27th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 166.

A bill for "An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same.

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend House Bill No. 166, in the Senate by striking out of section 1 of said bill, all after the enacting clause in section 1, to and including the word "service" in line 3 of said section, of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That any person being the owner or keeper of any stallion or jack for public service, who shall misrepresent the pedigree or breeding of any such stallion or jack."

Passed by the Senate, with amendment, May 27th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 422.

A bill for "An Act to amend section two of an act entitled, "An act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation." approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887.

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend section 2 of the printed bill, line 17, by striking out the word "twelve," and in lieu thereof insert the word "ten."

Passed by the Senate, with amendment, May 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 104.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries,' and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877.

Together with the following Senate amendments thereto. In the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title, line one, by inserting after the word "amend" the words and figures "section 41;" in line three thereof and strike out the figures "22" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "29;" and in line three thereof after the words and figures: "July 1, 1872," insert the following words and figures: "Title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874. In force July 1, 1874."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section one, line four, by inserting after the words and figures "July 1, 1872," the words and figures "Title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 394.

A bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois, and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith.

Together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments, I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend section 4, article 3, to read as follows:

Sec. 4. The Commander-in-Chief shall also appoint the following staff officers, who shall be chiefs of their respective staff departments:

a. The Adjutant General, with rank of Brigadier General, who shall be ex-officio Chief of Staff, Inspector General, Quartermaster General, Commissary General, Paymaster General and Chief of Ordnance of the State forces.

b. A Surgeon General, with rank of Colonel.

c. A Judge Advocate, with rank of Colonel.

Amend section 3, article 6, to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The Adjutant General and his assistants shall be men of military training and experience, and each shall hold office during the pleasure of the Commander-in-Chief.

Amend section 2, article 12, to read as follows:

Sec. 2. Commissioned officers of the National Guard or Naval Reserve shall be retired from active service and placed upon the retired list on reaching the age of sixty-four years. Every officer retired on account of reaching the age of sixty-four years shall be retired with the rank next higher than that held by him on the active list at the time of his retirement.

Amend section 2, article 17, to read as follows:

Sec. 2. No uniforms, arms, equipment or other articles of public property may be loaned or issued to any one, except as provided by law and regulations, nor removed from the armory of any command to which they have been issued, or other authorized place of storage, except for use in active or other service authorized by the Commander-in-Chief, or except upon written authority of the Commanding Officer of any regiment, unassigned battalion, or the Commanding officer of the Naval Reserve.

Amend section 4, article 17, to read as follows:

Sec. 4. The Commander-in-Chief shall require that a bond in a suitable amount, payable to the People of the State of Illinois, shall be given by an approved surety company for any officer accountable for public property, for its proper care and use, as provided herein or by regulations, and for its return upon demand of competent authority in good order and condition, fair wear and tear and unavoidable loss excepted, subject to the recommendation of a surveying officer; approved by the Commander-in-Chief. The charges and expense of all bonds provided for in this Act shall be paid by the State.

Amend section 10, article 21, to read as follows:

Sec. 10. All proceedings of courts-martial shall be forwarded to and receive approval of the officer ordering the same before sentence shall go into effect; and such officer may remit, mitigate or commute such sentence. No sentence of dismissal of an officer, or which includes a fine of more than \$100, or imprisonment for more than thirty days, shall take effect without the approval of the Commander-in-Chief.

Passed by the Senate with amendments, May 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing messages reporting Senate amendments to House Bills numbered 188, 17, 166, 422, 104 and 394, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Foster called up House Bill No. 489, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 489, a bill for "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing hawks."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94; nays, 6.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.,	McConnell.	Scott,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Shaw.
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	English,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Blair,	Erby,	Hollenbeck.	Murphy, Wm.	Tippt,
Eclin,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Murray,	Froyer,
Brady,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Foster,	Lane,	Price,	York,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Richter.	Zinf
Church,	Glade,	Liggett,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Yeas—94

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Ireland,	Jewell,	Kirkpatrick,	Terrill,
Huston,				Nays—6

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Liggett, from the Committee to visit Penal and Reformatory Institutions submitted the following report:

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 27, 1909.

Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and Gentlemen of the House of Representatives:

Your Committee appointed to visit the Penal and Reformatory Institutions, respectfully report as follows:

We have made a thorough examination of all the Penal and Reformatory Institutions of the State, devoting the time to a careful and systematic inspection.

CHESTER.

At Chester, where we find the prison in the best condition, the work on farm and quarry is in full operation and Warden Smith and his assistants deserve credit for the way in which they are running the work in the way of improvements on the farm, making good farm land out of that which was rough and hilly and drawing the hill tops down and making acres of good farm land.

Your committee recommend that this institution be given a liberal appropriation for the work is showing up well for the money already expended.

The health in this institution is good, there being about eight in the hospital, and but one in close confinement, out of a total of about 1,100.

ST. CHARLES.

At the St. Charles School for boys, we find the lads cheerful and apparently happy. They are engaged in numerous occupations the chief of which is the dairy, which is something for them to be very proud of. They are in need of more buildings and land. Your committee would recommend the building of an administration building first, and after that the purchase of the land required.

JOLIET.

At Joliet we were conducted around by Warden Murphy. The work in this institution is being carried on on a large scale as they have so many different industries and all appear to be in good shape.

Some repairs are badly needed, but as a new prison is forthcoming, it would be unnecessary to go to this expense.

GENEVA.

At this institution, which is a school for girls, we found Mrs. Amigh in charge and there is no institution in the state that is more worthy of your consideration than this school, for it is certainly a grand and noble work, and the Matron has the work well in hand. If the State has to curtail its expenses, we would advise you not to stint this institution, and to let it be the last to have its appropriation cut.

PONTIAC.

Your committee, after investigation, find this is the hardest proposition in the State to contend with. It has the worst criminals to care for in the very poorest equipped buildings of all our State institutions. Outside of the new

cell house, or the one last built, the buildings are all in need of repair and the one occupied by the printing machinery, should be vacated at once for fear of accident.

Dr. Mallory conducted your committee around the different buildings and shops, and he is certainly, to use a slang expression, "On to his job." He is very much handicapped, however, by the much needed repairs. This institution also needs more land, and your committee recommend that they be allowed to purchase that for which they have an option.

Your committee further recommend that steps be taken at once to replace the board fence with a more secure wall, and while we do not lose sight of the fact that this is a reform school, yet to save a wholesale delivery at this institution, perhaps, this should be looked after with care.

Take all the institutions, we find that they are as to cleanliness, discipline and the general welfare about equal to any in the world of the same kind and covering the same territory.

As to treatment of the inmates of the various institutions visited, at the hands of those in charge, their administration was praised rather than complained of.

In conclusion, your committee were much pleased with the general conditions of all the institutions visited; with the care and attention given the patients; the careful manner in which they were clothed and fed; the quality of food and the general excellent standing of the institutions, which has been in operation for the last four years, and which we believe has been fully maintained.

FRANCIS J. LIGGETT,
Chairman.

The foregoing report was received, as presented, and ordered incorporated in the Journal.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

HOUSE BILL No. 410.

"An Act to permit traffic agreements and consolidations between electric railway companies, whether organized under the general incorporation laws of the State of Illinois, or the general railroad act of this State."

HOUSE BILL No. 488.

"An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum, and other biological products for free distribution to the live stock producers of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 728.

"An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Des Plaines and Illinois rivers' approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

HOUSE BILL No. 597.

"An Act to amend section 44 of 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

HOUSE BILL No. 690.

"An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the products of the labor of their members."

HOUSE BILL No. 24.

"An Act to compel the publication by common carriers of passengers, of the time of the arrival and departure of their trains and other conveyances in the various cities and villages of this State."

The foregoing House Bills numbered 410, 488, 738, 24, 597 and 690 were placed in the order of House Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House amendments to Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 337.

"An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs."

SENATE BILL No. 501.

"An Act making appropriations for the State educational institutions herein named."

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 337 and 501 were placed in the order of Senate Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Morris called up House Bill No. 690, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 690, a bill for "An Act to protect labor unions in their methods of distinguishing, designating and making known the products of the labor of their members."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Huston,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Flair,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Brady,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Grace,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gray,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Luke,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Groves, W. M.	McConnell,	Rigney,	Wright,
Clark,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Riley,	York,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,				

Yeas—111

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up House Bill No. 672, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 672, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same, and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Erickson,	Kleeman,	Montelius,	Stearns.
Adkins,	Fahy,	Kowalski,	Morris,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Fieldstack.	Lane,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Iantz,	Myers,	Tippit,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Nelson,	Ton.
Browne,	Foster,	Lederer,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gorman,	Logan,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gray,	Luke,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Rigney,	York,
Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Riley,	Zinger,
Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,	Mr. Speaker
English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.	Yeas—81
Erby.	Kirkpatrick.			

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Huston,

Poulton,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 32, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 25 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal called up House Bill No. 407, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 407, a bill for "An Act to amend section thirty-four of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, and all amendments thereto."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Pending roll call, Mr. Smejkal moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 407 be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal called up House Bill No. 408, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 408, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by Act approved and in force May 18, 1905."

Having been engrossed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time.

Pending roll call, Mr. Smejkal moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 408 be postponed,

And the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ton called up House Bill No. 183, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 183, a bill for "An Act to abolish capital punishment in the State of Illinois."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 80; nays, 43.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Poulton,
Allison,	Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Price,
ApMaDoc,	Crawford,	Hamilton.	McGuire,	Rigney.
Behrens,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Black,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shaw.
Blair,	Donahue,	Hope,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Morris,	Sollitt
Briscoe,	Durfee,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Browne,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murray,	Ton
Burns,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Navlor,	Werdell.
Bush,	Foster,	King,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	White,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Chapfield,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Griffin,	Luke,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.

Yeas—80

Those voting in the negative are Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fieldstack,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Staymates,
Alschuler,	Finley,	Hull,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Beck,	Fulton,	Keck,	Pierson,	Trover.
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lane,	Scott,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Shanahan,	Wright,
English,	Gray,	Liggett,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf,
Espy,	Hagan,	Link,		

Nays—43

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL No. 516.

A bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act granting the right, power and authority to The Chicago Exposition and Recreation Pier Company (Incorporated) and its successors, to construct, maintain and operate a recreation pier upon the

submerged lands and in the waters of Lake Michigan, extending easterly and perpendicular to the general trend of the shore line at Thirty-first street, in the City of Chicago, with the proper and necessary approaches."

Passed by the Senate May 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing Senate Bill numbered 516 was read by title, ordered printed and to a first reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up House Bill No. 488, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 488, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum, and other biological products for free distribution to the live stock producers of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 81; nays, 25.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Campbell,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Murray,
Abrahams,	Cermak,	Geshkewich,	King,	Myers,
Allison,	Church,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,
Alschuler,	Clark,	Glade,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,
ApMadoc,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Perkins,
Beckemeyer,	Crawford,	Gray,	Lane,	Pervier,
Behrens,	Curran,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Poulton,
Black,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Price,
Blair,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Scanlan,
Bolin,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Luke,	Staymates,
Brady,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	McColum,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Ton,
Browne,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Erby,	Hruby,	Morris,	White,
Burns,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Wilson, R. E.
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Wright,
Butts,				Yeas—81

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Erickson,	Jewell,	McConnell,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Espy,	Keck,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Etherton,	Lawrence,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Carter,	Flagg,	Lewis,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Daley,	Hull,	Maclean,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
				Nays—25

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. J. Wilson called up House Bill No. 597, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 597, a bill for "An Act to amend section 44 of 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 41; nays, 5.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Myers,
Browne,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Naylor,
Butts,	Donahue,	Griffin,	McConnell,	O'Neill,
Campbell,	Durfee,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	O'Toole,
Carter,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Cermak,	Fahy,	Huston,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Cliffe,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Wheelan,
Crawford,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Wilson. F. J.
Curran,				Yeas—41

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Chiperfield,	Church,	Hull,	Keck,	Poulton,
				Nays—5

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up House Bill No. 24, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, House Bill No. 24, a bill for "An Act to compel the publication by common carriers of passengers of the time of the arrival and departure of their trains and other conveyances in the various cities and villages of this State."

Having been engrossed and all amendments thereto having been printed, was taken up and read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Gray,	Lane,	Richter,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Griffin,	Lantz,	Rigney,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	Lederer,	Schumacher.
Beck,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Scott,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Liggett,	Shaw,
Bolin,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	Link,	Shephard, H. A.
Briscoe,	Erby,	Hope,	Lyon,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Sullivan.
Browne,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	McCollum,	Troyer,
Bush,	Feldstack,	Ireland,	McConnell,	Walsh,
Butts,	Flagg,	Jewell,	McGuire,	Wardell,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Kannally,	McLaughlin,	White,
Carter,	Foster,	Keck,	Montellius,	Wilson, F. J.,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	King,	Myers,	Wright,
Church,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	Navlor,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gorman,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Yeas—94

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Espy,	Galligan,	Murphy, Wm.	O'Neill,	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Church moved that all House Bills on the calendar in the order of third reading and in the Enrolling and Engrossing Committee undischarged be ordered to lie upon the table.

The motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

At the hour of 6:15 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Glade moved that this House do now take a recess until 8:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 8:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 42.

WHEREAS, The Bloomington, Pontiac & Joliet Electric Railway Company is building and constructing a line of interurban electric railroad from Joliet, Illinois, to Bloomington, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Said railroad, as surveyed and located, passes through a portion of the lands of the Illinois State Reformatory, at Pontiac, in Livingston County; and

WHEREAS, It is desired on the part of the Board of Managers of the said Illinois State Reformatory that the said railway company change its route so as not to intersect the lands of the said Illinois State Reformatory; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary in order to provide for such change that said railway obtain a franchise or license from the City Council of the City of Pontiac, Livingston county, to permit said railway to operate along the highway adjoining the lands of said Illinois State Reformatory, on the north and westerly sides thereof; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary in order to operate on said highway that the Board of Managers of the said Illinois State Reformatory join with other property owners in a petition to the City Council of the said City of Pontiac authorizing the construction, operation and maintenance of said railway on said highway; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the Board of Managers of the said Illinois State Reformatory be and the same are hereby authorized to join in a petition with other property owners to the City Council of the City of Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois, asking the said City Council of the said City of Pontiac to grant unto the Bloomington, Pontiac & Joliet Electric Railway Company a franchise for the purpose of building, constructing, maintaining and operating a double or single track electric railway upon the highway adjoining the property of the said Illinois State Reformatory on the north, known as Lincoln Street, and on the highway immediately adjoining the property of the said Illinois State Reformatory on the west, from Lincoln Street south to the corporate limits of the said City of Pontiac, upon such terms and conditions as the said Board of Managers may deem just and equitable.

Adopted by the Senate May 27th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 43.

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein—First, That a commission be and is hereby established, to be known as the Railroad Investigation Commission of the State of Illinois, consisting of four general operating officers of railroads, nominated by the General Managers' Association, and four railroad employes in actual service of railroads, nominated by the respective organizations of railroad employes, and appointed two each by the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House

of Representatives, respectively, together with one lawyer not identified or affiliated with the interests of either the railroad companies or employes' organizations or dependent upon the patronage or good will of either, nor holding political office, who shall be selected by the other members of said commission.

Each member of said commission shall have equal authority, power and voting strength in considering and acting upon any matters which may be brought to the attention of the Commission, and on which the Commission may act; and the said commission shall have power and authority to investigate the physical condition of all railroads in the State of Illinois, their methods of operation and management, with respect to the safety of employes, as well as service to the public and the needs and requirements for future railroad development and improvement, and also the relation of the public and the municipalities of the State to railroad operation and railroad business.

Second—Said commission shall meet at the State Capitol Building in Springfield, on the Third Tuesday after notice of their appointment, and shall immediately elect a Chairman and Secretary from among their number, one of whom shall be a general operating officer of a railroad, and the other a railroad employe.

Six members of the commission shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a fewer number than a quorum may adjourn the meeting of the commission from time to time.

Meetings of the said commission, other than called meetings, as provided for herein, may be held at such times and places within the State of Illinois, as may be fixed by the said commission.

A meeting of the said commission shall be held upon the written request of any three members of the said commission, signed by them and delivered to the Secretary, who shall, upon receipt of such request, notify each member of said commission by mail of such meeting so to be held, and the time and place and purpose thereof. And no such meeting shall be held less than ten days after the mailing of notice of the said meeting to the members of said commission by the Secretary.

Such called meetings shall either be held in Springfield or Chicago.

Third—Said commission shall report to the Governor and to the General Assembly at its next regular session, submitting, so far as they have unanimously agreed, a proposed revision of railroad laws of the State, together with such other recommendations as to the commission shall seem fit and proper, relating to railroads in this State.

And where there is not unanimous agreement upon any recommendation there may be submitted in like manner separate reports embodying the recommendations of any one or more members of the said commission, which said reports shall each set forth in detail the recommendation of the commissioner or commissioners signing said report, and shall embody his or their respective reasons for such recommendation and his or their objections to the reports of other members of the commission.

Adopted by the Senate May 27th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 43?" it was decided in the affirmative, and the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of bills of the following titles

HOUSE BILL No. 21.

A bill for "An Act to provide for moral and humane education in the public schools and to prohibit certain practices inimical thereto.

HOUSE BILL No. 579.

A bill for an Act to allow a per diem fee to clerks of the Circuit, County and Probate Courts in counties of the first and second class and to repeal certain Acts therein named.

HOUSE BILL No. 642.

A bill for an Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, "An Act to amend an Act concerning Circuit Courts, and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, and as amended by an Act of the General Assembly approved June 11, 1897, and in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act of the General Assembly approved April 7, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

HOUSE BILL No. 616.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act relating to corporations engaged in furnishing suretyship on bonds and their agents; to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon and to prevent discrimination therein, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purpose specified in this Act.

HOUSE BILL No. 657.

A bill for an Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 666.

A bill for an Act to amend Sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14 of an Act entitled, "An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois." Approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith. Filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 712.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act to establish terms of Circuit Court for Jefferson County."

HOUSE BILL No. 411.

A bill for an Act restricting the erection of structures for advertising purposes near parks and boulevards, and providing a penalty therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 581.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 97 of an Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.

HOUSE BILL No. 555.

A bill for an Act to amend section two (2), twenty-three (23), and twenty-four (24), of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers," approved March 23, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; as amended by an Act approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 176.

A bill for An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named." Approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

HOUSE BILL No. 57.

A bill for an Act to repeal an Act entitled, "An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management of or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois." (Approved on May 23rd, 1907.)

Passed by the Senate, May 27th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 719.

A bill for "An Act to establish the mining investigating commission of the State of Illinois, and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor.

Together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment, I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend the original bill by striking out in line 2 in section 5, after the word "commission" the words "appointed upon nomination" and insert in lieu thereof the words "who are coal mine owners and coal miners."

Passed by the Senate, with amendment, May 27, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendment to House Bill numbered 719 was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

The House, proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on First Reading:

Senate Bill No. 524, a bill for "An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages, under an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 466, a bill for "An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 463, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Charities.

By unanimous consnt, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 520, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 520, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the acquisition of land for the relocation of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, and for the building of a new Illinois State Penitentiary and a new Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, at or near the city of Joliet."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 370, a bill for "An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to nurses and providing for their registration,' approved May 2, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 374, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 426, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act providing for the protection and safety of persons in and about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts and other structures, and to provide for the enforcement thereof,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by amending the title of said Act and sections two (2), three (3), five (5), six (6) and seven (7) of said Act, and by adding a new section to said Act to be known as section seven b (7b)."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 286, a bill for "An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other states and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 511, a bill for "An Act to amend section 133 of 'An Act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices,' approved April 3, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 38, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Kenesaw Mountain, Georgia."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 435, a bill for "An Act to provide for the better protection and safety of employes in foundries where castings of any metallic nature are manufactured."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Senate Bill No. 528, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of article XII of chapter twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing,' approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 486, a bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 438, a bill for "An Act to protect the health of domestic animals in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Senate Bill No. 394, a bill for "An Act to amend section 202, article 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 360, a bill for "An Act to create a State Board of Education and to define its powers and duties."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 167, a bill for "An Act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved May 25, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, said section one (1) as amended by Act approved June 30, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 446, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 452, a bill for "An Act to amend section 12 of 'An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same

in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended and in force May 13, 1903."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice.

Senate Bill No. 57, a bill for "An Act creating the office of State Fire Marshal, prescribing his duties and providing for his compensation and for the maintenance of his office."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 494, a bill for "An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 493, a bill for "An Act to provide for the certification of teachers."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 489, a bill for "An Act to authorize the levy of an annual tax in cities, villages and incorporated towns, to pay benefits assessed upon or to be paid by such city, village or incorporated town, for the making of local improvements and lawful expenses incident thereto."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 476, a bill for "An Act requiring cities and villages and incorporated towns to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness to the voters of any such city or village or incorporated town."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Senate Bill No. 456, a bill for "An Act to create a bureau of labor statistics and statistical details of manufacturing industries and commerce of the State, and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 516, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act granting the right, power and authority to the Chicago Exposition and Recreation Pier Company (Incorporated) and its successors, to construct, maintain and operate a recreation pier upon the submerged lands and in the waters of Lake Michigan, extending easterly and perpendicular to the general trend of the shore line at Thirty-first street, in the city of Chicago, with proper and necessary approaches."

Having been printed, was taken up, read at large a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Chipfield moved to recall Senate Bill No. 11 to the order of second reading for the purpose of amendment.

And the motion prevailed.

Whereupon, Mr. Chipfield offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 11 by striking out of the title the figures "120" and by striking out in line 2 the figures "120" and by striking out in said bill the Section appearing as "No. 120."

And the amendment was adopted.

The foregoing amendment number 1 was ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman called up Senate Bill No. 385, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 385, a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Kleeman offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section three (3) line 25, by striking out the word "within" and inserting the word "without."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Kleeman offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section ten (10), line three (3) by striking out the word "each" and inserting "such" so as to read "such female" instead of "each female."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lederer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 in the House, by striking out all of section 6.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lederer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 in the House by striking out all of section 7 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 7. No employe of any factory, mercantile establishment, mill or workshop, shall operate or tamper with any machine or appliance with which such employe is not familiar and which is in no way connected with the regular and reasonably necessary duties of his employment, unless it be by and with the direct or reasonably implied command, request, or direction of the master or representative or agent."

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lederer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 by renumbering 7 to make it read section 6 and all sections thereafter so as to make them read numerically.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sollit offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 in House by adding the word "sand" in line 3 after the word "and."

And the amendment was adopted.

The foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Senate Bill No. 357 was recalled from the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying and ordered to a second reading, without reference.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bolin called up Senate Bill No. 502, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 502, a bill for "An Act to amend section nine (9) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up Senate Bill No. 22, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 22, a bill for "An Act to amend section 13 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Murray called up Senate Bill No. 358, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 358, a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up Senate Bill No. 242, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 242, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities of 100,000 population and under to construct outlet sewers, reservoirs, pumping works and machinery, and maintain and keep in repair the same, the cost thereof to be defrayed by special assessment or special taxation,

and if the assessment is paid in installments, 'to issue bonds to anticipate the deferred installments,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendments to House Bill No. 12, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act to regulate the granting of relief to indigent war veterans and their families, in force May 25, 1907."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 1, line 3, by striking out "May 25th" and inserting "July 1st."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In the title strike out the words and figures "In force May 25, 1907" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "And to repeal a certain Act therein named, approved May 25th, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section number 10 and section number 11, respectively.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In section one, strike out all after the word "families," in line three, to and including the words "sections ten and eleven" on line four, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "And to repeal a certain act therein named, approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as section No. 10 and section No. 11 respectively.

Mr. Fulton moved that the House concur with the Senate in their amendments to House Bill No. 12, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 108.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hamilton.	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shephard, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hope,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Black,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Hutzler.	Murray,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Fieldstack.	Jewell,	Myers,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Keck,	Naylor,	Ton,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Foster,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pierson,	White,
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Price,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Church,	Grav,	Luke,	Risney,	
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	

Yeas—108

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 12.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendment to House Bill No. 17, a bill for "An Act to amend section 16 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organiza-

tion, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section sixteen of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889."

Which amendment is as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 1, line 30, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five" also in same line strike out the figures "15,000" and insert the figures "25,000."

Mr. Price moved that the House concur with the Senate in their amendment to House Bill No. 17, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 107.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Black,	Flagg,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Erownback,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Myers,	Tippt,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Grace,	Link,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Gray,	Logan,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Luke,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Zipf
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,			

Yeas—107

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 17.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Sneaker laid before the House Senate amendment to House Bill No. 181, a bill for "An Act to provide for setting apart, formation, and and disbursement of police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns in the State of Illinois, having a population of not less than 20,000 and not more than 50,000 inhabitants."

Which amendment is as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 181, in the Senate, by adding the following after line 31, page 2 of said printed bill, "Provided, however, that there shall not be collected in any city, village or incorporated town in any year more than \$2,500, and should it be necessary to reduce the collections as above provided, the reduction shall be made from the amount collected from dram shop licenses."

Mr. Price moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 181, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 103; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dillon,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Durfee,	King,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Black,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Stearns.
Brady,	Etherton,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lederer,	Parker,	Ton,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Butts,	Glade,	Link,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Logan,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Carter,	Gray,	Luke,	Price,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Richter,	White,
Chipherfield,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Hamilton.	McGuire,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Schumacher,	Zipf
Daley,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shanahan,	Yeas—103
DeWolf,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shaw,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Lyon.

Nays—1

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 181.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendments to House Bill No. 188, a bill for "An Act to amend section 23 of 'An Act in relation to courts of record in cities,' approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title by adding the following words and figures after the figures "1901." "As amended by Act approved May 8, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section one, in line 3, after the words and figures "July 1, 1901" by inserting the words and figures "As amended by Act approved May 9, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendments to House Bill No. 188.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 100; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shaw,
Allison,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius.	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hull,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Stearns.
Behrens,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Black,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brady,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Ton,
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Burns,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Bush,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Butts,	Grace,	Logan,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gray,	Luke,	Price,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Daley,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.,
DeWolf,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wright,
Dillon,	Hamilton.	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Donahue,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Schumacher,	Zipf

Yeas—100

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Kerrick,

Nays—1

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 188.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 205, a bill for "An Act to provide for a commission to inquire into the subject of taxation for State and local purposes, and the expediency of revising and amending the laws relating thereto, and making an appropriation therefor."

Which amendment is as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out of section 4, line 1 of the printed bill the words "twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 205, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Richter,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Riley,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hamilton.	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Bardili,	Erby,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shephard, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Huston,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Bush,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Eutts,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Werdel,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lawrence.	Parker,	Wheelan,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.,
Clark,	Grace,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Link,	Poulton,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Luke,	Price,	

Yeas—109

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 205.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Sneaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 719, a bill for "An Act to establish a Minin^o Investigating Commission of the State of Illinois and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor."

Which amendment is as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the original bill by striking out in line 2 in section 5, after the word "commission" the words "appointed upon nomination" and insert in lieu thereof the words "who are coal mine owners and coal miners."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendment to House Bill No. 719.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 98.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford.	Gray,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Curran,	Groves, J.	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hamilton.	Montellus.	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	English,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Erby,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Terrili,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fahy,	King,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fel'stack.	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Bush,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Price,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Foster,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Fulton,	Link,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Church,	Geshkewich,	Maclean,	Schumacher.	Zipf,
Clark,	Glade,	McColum,	Scott,	
Cliffe,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Shanahan,	Yeas—98

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 719.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 155, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1877, and Act amendatory thereto,' approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 155 in Senate by striking out all in the title of the printed bill after the words: "A bill" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"For an Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish Appellate Courts,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 155 by striking out all after the enacting clause in section one (1) of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish Appellate Courts,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, be amended so as to read as follows:"

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendments to House Bill No. 155.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 111.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Erby,	Hull,	Montellius,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Erickson,	Huston,	Morris,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Browne,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Tippit,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Butts,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Werdel,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wheeler,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pervier,	White,
Church,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Grace,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Gray,	Luke,	Price,	Zipf,
Curran,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker,
Cliffe,				Yeas—111

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 155.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 406, a bill for "An Act to amend section 245 and 248a of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the construction and maintenance of gravel, rock, macadam or other hard roads,' approved June 18, 1883, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Which amendment is as follows:

Title—Amend by striking out the figures "245" and inserting the figure "1" in lieu thereof. Also by striking out the figures and letter 248A" and inserting the figure and letter "4a" in lieu thereof. Amend by inserting, following the word "force," in the third line of Title, the words and figures: "July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force."

Sec. 1, line 2—Amend by striking out the figures "245" and inserting the figure "1" in lieu thereof. Also by striking out the figures and letter "248a" and inserting the figure and letter "4a" in lieu thereof.

Line 7—Amend by striking out the figures "245" and inserting the figure "1" in lieu thereof.

Line 7—Amend by striking out the word "fifty" and inserting the words "twenty-five per cent of the" in lieu thereof.

Lines 8 and 9—Amend by striking out the following: "(or where there are less than one hundred such freeholders, a majority of them)."

Page 2, line 20—Amend by adding the following words: "If in any such petition a special election shall be requested for such purpose, it shall be called in the manner provided for calling special elections in Sec. 4a of this Act."

Sec. 4a, line 21—Amend by striking out the figures and letter "248a" and inserting the figure and letter "4a" in lieu thereof.

Line 24—Amend by striking out after the word "Acts" the words: "or concurrently with the election for such special tax."

Line 26—Amend by striking out the word "their" and inserting the word "other" in lieu thereof.

Line 33—Amend by striking out the words "one hundred" and inserting the words "twenty-five per cent" in lieu thereof.

Lines 34 and 35—Amend by striking out "(or where there may be less than two hundred such freeholders, then a majority of them.)"

Lines 80, 81—Amend by striking out the following: "(added by Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.)"

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendment to House Bill No. 406.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 109.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hamilton.	McGuire,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Donahue.	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F.W.
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montelius.	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Blair,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Brady,	Etherton,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Finley,	King,	Naylor,	Ton,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bush,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Luke,	Richter,	

Yeas—109

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 406.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 422, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize the judges of the circuit courts to appoint shorthand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation,' approved May 31, 1887, in force July 1, 1887."

Which amendment is as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 2 of the printed bill, line 17, by striking out the word "twelve" and in lieu thereof insert the word "ten."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendment to House Bill No. 422.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 97; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hamilton.	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shaw,
Allison,	Espy,	Huston,	Montelius.	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Etherton,	Hutzler.	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Bush,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Campbell,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Walsh,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Liggett,	Pierson,	White,
Crawford,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Curran,	Grace,	Maclean,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Gray,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Dillon,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Donahue.	Hagan,			

Yeas—97

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Beck,	Behrens,	Kerrick,	Kirkpatrick,	Nays—4
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And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 422.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 104, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 22, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 17, 1877."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title, line 1, by inserting after the word "Amend" the word and figures "section 41;" in line three thereof strike out the figures "22" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "29;" and in line three thereof after the words and figures "July 1, 1872" insert the following words and figures: "Title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874. In force July 1, 1874."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section one, line four, by inserting after the words and figures "July 1, 1872" the words and figures "Title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874. In force July 1, 1874."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendment to House Bill No. 104.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 86.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Riley,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Espy,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F.W.
Black,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Finley,	King,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Ton,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Welborn,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Cernak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pervier,	White,
Church,	Grace,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Gray,	Lyon,	Price,	Wright,
Crawford,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Zipf,	
DeWolf,				

Yeas—86

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 104.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 166, a bill for "An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 166 in the Senate by striking out of section 1 of said bill, all after the enacting clause in section 1, to and including the word "service" in line 3 of said section, of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That any person being the owner or keeper of any stallion or jack kept for public service, who shall misrepresent the pedigree or breeding of any such stallion or jack."

Mr. Behrens moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 166, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 90.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Grace,	Lyon,	Price,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Gray,	Maclean,	Richter.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McColum,	Riley,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hamilton.	McCornell,	Scanlan,
Beck,	English,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Erby,	Holaday,	McMackin.	Shepherd, H. A.
Black,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Briscoe,	Espy,	Hull,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Terrill,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Myers,	Ton,
Bush,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Butts,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Lane,	C'Toole,	White,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Glade	Lewis,	Pierson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Poulton,	
Crawford,				Yeas—90

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 166.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 607, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

In the title after the words "approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885" strike out all thereafter to and including, "In force July 1, 1897," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "As amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section 1 of the enacting clause on line 5 thereof after the words, "In force July 1, 1885," strike out all thereafter to and including the words "in force July 1, 1897" in line 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "As amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895; as amended by an Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In section 1 in line 12 after the word "clerk" insert the following words, "and the assistant chief clerk."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

In section 1, line 19, after the words "salary of" strike out all thereafter to and including the words "per annum" on line 21 and insert in lieu thereof the following: One thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars per annum and such chief clerk shall receive a salary of not less than one thousand five hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars, nor more than two thousand four hundred (\$2,400.00) dollars per annum, and also in counties of the second class there may be employed one assistant chief clerk who shall receive a salary of not less than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars nor more than one thousand five hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Election Commissioners in counties of the second class to fix the salary of the chief clerk and assistant chief clerk at the time of appointment of said clerks, not to exceed the amounts herein mentioned."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

In section 1, line 25, after the words "salary of" strike out all thereafter to and including the word "dollars" in line 28, and insert in lieu thereof the following "three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars.

Mr. Flannigen moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 607, and on that motion,

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 90.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Gray,	McCollum,	Riley,
Adkins,	Curran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hull,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Browne,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Liggett,	Price,	Zipf,
Church,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Richter,	
Cliffe,				Yeas—90

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 607.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 394, a bill for "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend section 4, article 3, to read as follows:

Sec. 4. The Commander-in-Chief shall also appoint the following staff officers, who shall be chiefs of their respective staff departments:

a. The Adjutant General, with rank of Brigadier General, who shall be *ex-officio* Chief of Staff, Inspector General, Quartermaster General, Commissary General, Paymaster General and Chief of Ordnance of the State forces.

b. A Surgeon General, with rank of Colonel.

c. A Judge Advocate, with rank of Colonel.

Amend section 3, article 6, to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The Adjutant General and his assistants shall be men of military training and experience and each shall hold office during the pleasure of the Commander-in-Chief.

Amend section 2, article 12, to read as follows:

Sec. 2. Commissioned officers of the National Guard or Naval Reserve shall be retired from active service and placed upon the retired list on reaching the age of sixty-four years. Every officer retired on account of reaching the age of sixty-four years shall be retired with the rank next higher than that held by him on the active list at the time of his retirement.

Amend section 2, article 17, to read as follows:

Sec. 2. No uniforms, arms, equipment or other articles of public property may be loaned or issued to any one, except as provided by law and regulations, nor removed from the armory of any command to which they have been issued, or other authorized place of storage, except for use in active or other service authorized by the Commander-in-Chief, or except upon written authority of the Commanding Officer of any regiment, unassigned battalion or the Commanding Officer of the Naval Reserve.

Amend section 4, article 17, to read as follows:

Sec. 4. The Commander-in-Chief shall require that a bond in a suitable amount, payable to the people of the State of Illinois, shall be given by an approved surety company for any officer accountable for public property, for its proper care and use as proved herein or by regulations, and for its return upon demand of competent authority in good order and condition, fair wear and tear and unavoidable loss excepted, subject to the recommendation of a surveying officer, approved by the Commander-in-Chief. The charges and expense of all bonds provided for in this Act shall be paid by the State.

Amend section 10, article 21, to read as follows:

Sec. 10. All proceedings of courts-martial shall be forwarded to and receive approval of the officer ordering the same before sentence shall go into effect; and such officer may remit, mitigate or commute such sentence. No sentence of dismissal of an officer, or which includes a fine of more than \$100, or imprisonment for more than thirty days, shall take effect without the approval of the Commander-in-Chief.

Mr. Erby moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 394.

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 87.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Denahue,	Hamilton.	McCollum.	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Holaday.	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Black,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Murray,	Stearns,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Chinerfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Gray,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Mr. Sneaker.
DeWolf,	Hagan,			Yeas—87

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 394.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House amendments to Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 11.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof."

SENATE BILL No. 385.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety, and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 11 and 385 were placed in the order of Senate Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butts called up Senate Bill No. 419, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 419, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up Senate Bill No. 106, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 106, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety of employes and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers engaged in moving traffic by railroad between points in the State of Illinois, to equip their cars with automatic couplers and continuous brakes and their locomotives with driving wheel brakes, and for other purposes,' approved May 12, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905, by adding thereto a new section."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up Senate Bill No. 350, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 350, a bill for "An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution and to provide for its purification, and providing a penalty for violation thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Holaday offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 350 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section 1 by striking out the word "common" in line 3 of the printed bill and in lieu thereof insert the word "city" and before the word "village" in said line three insert the words "Board of" and after the word "village" in said line three insert the words "trustees or board of health of any village." In lines 4 and 5 strike out the words "supervisors of any county or the trustees of any," and in lieu thereof insert the words "health of any." In line 12 of section 1 before the word "State" insert "executive board of the chemical and biological survey of the waters of the State established by the trustees of the University of Illinois, according to an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, entitled, 'An Act to establish a chemical survey of waters of the State of Illinois,' and hereinafter called. In line 13 after the word "said" insert the words

"State water," and in line 22 strike out the word "board" and in lieu thereof insert "State water survey," and in line 24 before the word "survey" insert "State water," and in line 26 after the word "said" insert the words "State water."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In line 13, of section 2, before the word "survey's" insert "State water."

In line 5, of section 3, before the word "are" insert "or of inadequate or inappropriate apparatus" and in line 9, of section 3, before the word "survey" insert the words "State water" and in said line 9 strike out the words "issue an order, to," and in lieu thereof insert "notify" and before the word "municipality" in said line 9, insert the word "offending," and in line 13 of section 3 before the word "survey" where it appears in said line insert the words "State Water" and in said line 13 before the word "survey" where it last appears in said line insert the words "State water."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

In line 1 of section 4, strike out the word "order" and in lieu thereof insert the word "finding," and in lines 11, 12 and 13 insert the words "State water" before "survey" where it appears in each of said lines. In line 25, before the word "survey" insert the words "State water."

AMENDMENT No 4.

In lines 2, 3 and 4 of section 5, insert the words "State water" before the word "survey" where it appears in each of said lines.

There being no further amendments,

The foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippit called up Senate Bill No. 77, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 77, a bill for "An Act to give the circuit courts of this State and Superior Court of Cook county, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts, in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts, and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof, and to repeal an Act therein named."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 77, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of Senate Bill No. 77 by striking out the last four words thereof and by placing in lieu thereof the words: "all acts in conflict herewith."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 77 by striking out section 3 thereof and by inserting in lieu thereof the following, to be known as section 3.

"Section 3. Appeals may be taken from the final orders, judgments, and decrees from either of the county or circuit courts to the Supreme Court."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 77 by striking out section 4 thereof and by inserting the following as section 4:

"Section 4. All Acts or parts of Acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 77 by adding the following to be known as section 5.
"Section 5. Whereas, An emergency exists, therefore this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

And the amendment was adopted.

The foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading? it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak called up Senate Bill No. 359, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 359, a bill for "An Act concerning sinking funds."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, Mr. Cermak offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 359, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 359 in the House by inserting after section 2 of said bill the following, as section 3 of said bill.

Section 3. Whereas, An emergency exists this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

There being no further amendments,

The foregoing amendment number 1 was ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield called up Senate Bill No. 498, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 498, a bill for "An Act to tax gifts, legacies, inheritances, transfers, appointments and interests in certain cases and to provide for the collection of the same, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lewis called up Senate Bill No. 457, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 457, a bill for "An Act to amend section 26 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up Senate Bill No. 393, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 393, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Nelson called up Senate Bill No. 390, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 390, a bill for "An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Nelson called up Senate Bill No. 389, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 389, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures, and to repeal a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal called up Senate Bill No. 364, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 364, a bill for "An Act relating to private employment agencies and to repeal parts of a certain Act relating thereto."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson called up Senate Bill No. 99, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 99, a bill for "An Act in regard to the administration of estates of persons presumed to be dead, by reason of seven years or longer absence from their former domicile in this State."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Judicial Department and Practice offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 99, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate bill No. 99 in House as follows:

Insert after the word "estates" in first line of the title of said bill the words "and in relation to the probate of wills of."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments,

The foregoing amendment number 1 was ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up Senate Bill No. 402, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 402, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' approved June 2, 1877, as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section two (2) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish appellate courts,' in force July 1, 1879, and Acts amendatory thereof, approved April 22, 1899."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up Senate Bill No. 15, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 15, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the organization or formation of secret fraternities and secret societies or permitting membership therein in any public high school, district, primary or graded school of this State, empowering and making it the duty of the school trustees, directors, or boards of education to adopt rules and regulations relating thereto, and to enforce the same and making it an offense to solicit pupils to join them, and prescribing the penalty therefor."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Abbey called up Senate Bill No. 172, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 172, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in this State and to punish the same, and prescribe a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto, and to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent unjust discrimination and extortions in the rates to be charged by the different railroads in this State for the transportation of freights on said roads,' approved April 7, A. D., 1871, approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, by adding thereto six new sections to be known as sections 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e and 8f."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak called up Senate Bill No. 226, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 226, a bill for "An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a house of correction employes' pension fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up Senate Bill No. 24, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 24, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74, 75 and 77 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and as amended in regard to said section 75, by an Act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull called up Senate Bill No. 512, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 512, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up Senate Bill No. 173, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 173, a bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons, and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

Having heretofore been read at large a second time on May 18 the same was again taken up.

And the question being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull called up Senate Bill No. 414, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 414, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation of art commissions in cities and to define their powers,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Troyer called up Senate Bill No. 265, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 265, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland, from the Committee on Public Charities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to revise the laws relating to charities."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto and recommended that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland called up Senate Bill No. 448, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to revise the laws relating to charities."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, the Committee on Public Charities offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 448 by striking out the title of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for "An Act to regulate the State Charitable Institutions and to repeal certain Acts."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 448 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

When used in this chapter, the term "poor person" means a person who is unable to maintain himself and having no one legally liable and able to maintain him; the term an "indigent person" means one who has not sufficient property to support himself while insane, and the members of his family lawfully dependent upon him for support; the term "institution" means any hospital, asylum, building, buildings, house or retreat authorized by law to have the care, treatment or custody of the insane; the term "commission" means the State Commission of Control; the term "patient" means an insane person committed to an institution according to the provisions of this chapter.

Sec. 2. *Appointment, Qualifications, Terms of Office and Salaries of Commissioners.*—There shall be a State Commission of Control, consisting of five (5) commissioners, all of whom shall be citizens of this State, all of whom shall devote their entire time to the duties of their office. Two of them shall be reputable physicians, graduates of an incorporated medical college of at least ten years' experience in the actual practice of their profession, who have had five years' actual experience in the care and treatment of the insane, and who have had experience in the management of institutions for the insane. One of such commissioners shall be a reputable attorney and counselor-at-law of the courts of this State, of not less than ten years' standing. The other two commissioners shall be reputable citizens. The president of the commission shall receive an annual salary of seven thousand five hundred dollars, and twelve hundred dollars in lieu of his traveling and incidental expenses, payable monthly. Each of the other commissioners shall receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars, and twelve hundred dollars in lieu of his traveling and incidental expenses payable monthly. The commissioners, when appointed, shall determine by lot the length of their respective terms, one of them retiring at the end of each year, and the member having the shortest term to serve shall be the president of said commission; and thereafter one commissioner shall be appointed each year for the regular term of five (5) years. A commissioner may be removed by the Governor for cause, stated in writing, after an opportunity has been given him to be heard thereon. The full term of office of a commissioner shall be five (5) years. Where the term of office of a commissioner other than the president expires at a time other than the last day of September, the term of office of his successor is abridged so as to expire on the last day of September preceding the time when such term would otherwise expire, and the term of office of each such commissioner thereafter appointed shall begin on the first day of October. The commissioners shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate; but not more than three members of the said commission shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party.

Sec. 3. *Office and Clerical Force of Commission; Medical Inspector.*—The commission shall be provided by the proper authorities with a suitably furnished office in the State capitol, where it shall hold stated meetings at least once in three months. It may hold other meetings, at such office or elsewhere, as it may deem necessary. It may employ a secretary, a stenographer and such other employés as may be necessary. The salaries and reasonable expenses of the commission and of the necessary clerical assistants shall be paid by the Treasurer of the State on the warrant of the Auditor, out of any moneys appropriated for the support of the insane.

The State Commission of Control may also appoint a medical inspector, who shall be a well educated physician, a graduate of an incorporated medical college, and who shall have had actual experience in an institution for the care and treatment of the insane. Such inspector shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the commission, subject to the approval in writing of the Governor, not to exceed five thousand dollars, and all his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred by him in the performance of his

duties, which shall be audited and paid in the same manner as the other expenses of the commission. He shall subject to the direction of the commission, visit and inspect the several State hospitals and other institutions for the insane which are subject to the supervision, visitation and inspection of the commission. He shall, subject to the direction of the commission, make an examination, so far as circumstances may permit, of the patients confined in such hospitals and institutions, especially those admitted thereto since his preceding visit, giving such as may request it suitable opportunity to converse with him apart from the officers and attendants. He shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed and directed by the commission.

Sec. 4. *Official Seal and Execution of Papers.*—The commission shall have an official seal. Every process, order or other paper issued or executed by the commission, may, by the direction of the commission, be attested, under its seal, by its secretary or by any member of the commission, and when so attested shall be deemed to be duly executed by the commission.

Sec. 5. *General Powers.*—The commission is charged with the execution of the laws relating to the custody, care and treatment of the insane, including feeble-minded persons and epileptics as such and idiots and the inmates of the other State charitable institutions in this State. They shall examine all institutions, public and private, and those authorized by law to receive and care for the insane, and inquire into their methods of government and the management of all such persons therein. They shall examine into the condition of all buildings, grounds and other property connected with any such institution, and into all matters relating to its management. For such purpose each commissioner shall have free access to the grounds, buildings and all books and papers relating to any such institution. All persons connected with any such institution shall give such information, and afford such facilities for any such examination or inquiry as the commissioners may require. The commission may, by order, appoint a competent person to examine the books, papers and accounts, and also into the general condition and management of any institution to the extent deemed necessary and specified in the order.

Sec. 6. *General Powers as to State Hospitals.*—The commission shall, subject to the powers hereinafter granted to boards of managers:

1. Have the general oversight of the State hospitals, and the control of all the property thereof, and shall see that the purposes of such hospitals are carried into effect by the boards of managers according to law.

2. Accept and hold in behalf of the State, if for the public interest, a grant, gift, devise or bequest of money or property, to the State of Illinois to the Commission of Control, or to any State hospital or the managers thereof, heretofore or hereafter made in trust for the maintenance or support of an insane person or persons in a State hospital or hospitals, or for any other legitimate purpose connected with any such hospital or hospitals. The commission shall cause each said gift, grant, devise or bequest to be kept as a distinct fund, and shall invest the same in the manner provided by the laws of this State as the same now exist, or shall hereafter be enacted, relating to securities in which the deposits in savings banks may be invested. But the commission may, in its discretion, deposit in a proper trust company or savings bank, during the continuance of the trust, any fund so left in trust for the life of a single person, and shall adopt rules and regulations governing the deposit, transfer or withdrawal of such fund. The commission shall, on the expiration of any trust as provided in any instrument creating the same, dispose of the fund thereby created in the manner provided in such instrument. The commission shall include in its annual report a statement showing what funds are so held by it and the condition thereof.

Sec. 7. *Official Visits.*—The commission, or a majority thereof, shall visit every such State hospital jointly or by a majority of the commission, and every such private institution by one member of the commission at least twice in each calendar year. Such visits shall be made on such days and at such hours of the day or night, and for such length of time, as the visit-

ing commissioner may choose. But each commissioner may make such other visits as he or the commission may deem necessary. Each visit shall include, to the fullest extent deemed necessary, an inspection of every part of each institution, and all the out-houses, places, buildings and grounds belonging thereto or used in connection therewith. The commissioners shall, from time to time, make an examination of all the records and methods of administration, the general and special dietary, the stores and methods of supply, and, as far as circumstances may permit, of every patient confined therein, especially those admitted since the preceding visit, giving such as may require it suitable opportunity to converse with the commissioners apart from the officers and attendants. They shall, as far as they deem necessary, examine the officers, attendants and other employés, and make such inquiries as will determine their fitness for their respective duties. At the next regular or special meeting of the commission, after any such visit, the visiting commissioners shall report the result thereof, with such recommendations for the better management or improvement of any institutions as they may deem necessary. But such recommendations shall not be contrary to the doctrines of the particular school of medicine adopted by such institutions. The commissioners shall, at least once each year, at a time to be appointed by the commission, meet the managers of such institutions, or as many of the number as practicable, in conference, and consider in detail all questions of management and improvement of the institution, and they, or one or more of them, with the managers, shall inspect the institution, or such parts thereof as they may deem necessary, and shall also send to the managers, in writing, if approved by a majority of the commissioners, such recommendations in regard to the management and improvement of the institution as they may deem necessary or desirable.

Sec. 7a. *Visitation and Inspection of Certain Institutions.*—Any member of the commission or the medical inspector may visit any sanitarium or other institution, wherein sick or infirm persons are received, cared for or treated, for compensation or hire, for the purpose of ascertaining whether insane persons are confined therein without authority, and contrary to the provisions of law. All persons having charge of, and connected with any such sanitarium or institution shall permit any member of the commission and the medical inspector to have free access to any portion thereof, and shall give such information and afford such facilities for inspection or inquiry as the member of the commission or the medical inspector making such visit and inspection may require.

Sec. 8. *Regulations and Forms.*—The commission shall make such regulations in regard to the correspondence of the insane in custody as in its judgment will promote their interests, and it shall be the duty of the proper authorities of each institution to comply with and enforce such rules and regulations. All such insane shall be allowed to correspond, without restriction, with the county judge and district attorney of the county from which they were committed. The books of record and blank forms for the official use of the hospitals shall be uniform, and shall be approved by the commission.

Sec. 9. *Annual Report.*—The commission shall, annually, report to the Legislature its acts and proceedings for the year ending September thirtieth last preceding, with such facts in regard to the management of the institutions for the insane as it may deem necessary for the information of the Legislature, including estimates of the amounts required for the use of the State hospitals and the reasons therefor; and also the annual reports made to the commission by the board of managers of each State hospital and other State, public or private institutions. The commission shall determine from time to time the capacity of each of the State hospitals and shall incorporate a statement of such capacity in its annual report to the Legislature.

Sec. 10. *State Hospital Districts; How Defined.*—The State Commission of Control shall divide the State into as many State hospital districts as there are State hospitals. No county shall be divided in such classification, unless the same contains over one hundred thousand population. Whenever the commission shall deem it necessary to more conveniently care for the

insane in the various hospitals, it may change the limits of such hospital districts. When a new State hospital shall be established, it shall again divide the State into hospital districts. Before any change or re-establishment of hospital districts shall be made, the board of managers of each hospital to be affected thereby shall be notified by the commission that they may be heard in regard thereto, at a time and place to be specified in said notice. Such hospital districts shall be so defined that the number of patients in each district shall be in proportion as nearly as practicable, to the accommodations which are or may be provided by the State hospital or hospitals within such district.

Sec. 11. *Change of Hospital Districts and Reassignment of Patients.*—When a change or re-establishment of State hospital districts shall be made, or a new State hospital district created, the commission shall make a report thereof, designating the counties included within each district affected thereby, and file the same with the Secretary of State, and send a copy to the managers and superintendent of each State hospital affected by such change, and to each judge of a court of record, each county superintendent of the poor, and each county clerk in the State, affected by such change, to be filed in his office.

Sec. 12. *Record of Patients.*—The commission shall keep in its office, and accessible only to the commissioners, their secretary and clerk, except by the consent of the commission or one of its members, or an order of a court of record, a record showing:

1. The name, residence, sex, age, nativity, occupation, civil condition and date of commitment of every patient in custody in the several institutions for the care and treatment of insane persons in the State, and the name and residence of the person making the petition for commitment, and of the persons signing such medical certificate, and of the judge making the order of commitment.

2. The name of the institution where each patient is confined, the date of admission, and whether brought from home or another institution; and if from another institution, the name of such institution, by whom brought, and the patient's condition.

3. The date of the discharge of each patient from such institution since the first day of October, A. D. nineteen hundred and eight, whether recovered, improved or unimproved, and to whose care committed.

4. If transferred, for what cause, and to what institution; and if dead, the date and cause of death.

Sec. 13. *Institution to Furnish Information to Commission.*—The authorities of the several institutions for the insane shall furnish to the commission the facts mentioned in the last preceding section, and such other obtainable facts relating thereto as the commission may, from time to time, in the just and reasonable discharge of its duties, require of them, with the opinion of the superintendent thereon, if requested. The superintendent or person in charge of such institution, whether public or private, must, within ten days after the admission of an insane person thereto, cause a true copy of the medical certificate and order on which such person shall have been received to be made and forwarded to the office of the commission; and when a patient shall be discharged, transferred or shall die therein, such superintendent or person in charge shall, within three days thereafter, send the information to the office of the commission, in accordance with the forms prescribed by it.

Sec. 14. *Commission to Provide for the Prospective Wants of the Insane.*—The commission shall provide sufficient accommodations for the prospective wants of the insane of the State. To prevent overcrowding in the State hospitals, it shall recommend to the Legislature the establishment of other State hospitals, in such parts of the State as in its judgment will best meet the requirements of such insane. It shall also furnish to the Legislature, in each year, an estimate of the probable number of patients who will become inmates of the respective State hospitals during the year beginning October first next ensuing, and the cost of all the additional buildings and equipments, if any, which will be required to carry out the provisions of this

chapter relating to the care, custody and treatment of the insane of the State. No money shall be expended for the erection of additional buildings or for unusual repairs or improvements of State hospitals, except upon plans and specifications to be approved by the commission and the Governor. The cost of such buildings as are to be occupied by patients, erected on the grounds of existing State hospitals, including the necessary equipment for heating, lighting, ventilating, fixtures and furniture, shall, in no case, exceed the proportion of five hundred dollars per capita for the patients to be accommodated therein; except that for buildings specially designed and equipped for the active medical and general care and treatment of insane patients, of the acute and curable class, the cost shall not exceed the proportion of one thousand dollars per capita for the patients to be accommodated therein. No municipality of the State shall have the power to modify or change plans or specifications for the erection, repair or improvement of State hospital buildings or the plumbing or sewerage connected therewith. The commission may secure a blanket policy of insurance covering any or all the buildings, property or fixtures of the State hospitals.

Sec. 15. *Director of Pathological Institute.*—The commission shall, after a special civil service examination therefor, appoint a director of the pathological institute, who shall perform, under the direction of the commission, such duties relating to pathological research as may be required for all of the State hospitals for the insane. His office and laboratory shall be in the city of Chicago. He shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the commission, subject to the approval of the Governor. The State hospitals shall cooperate with the pathological institute in such manner as the commission may from time to time direct.

Sec. 16. *State Hospitals for the Insane.*—There shall continue to be the following hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane of the State, which are hereby declared to be corporations:

1. The Illinois Northern Hospital for Insane, at Elgin, in Kane county.
2. The Illinois Eastern Hospital for Insane, at Kankakee, in Kankakee county.
3. The Illinois Western Hospital for Insane, at Watertown, in Rock Island county.
4. The Illinois Central Hospital for Insane, at Jacksonville, in Morgan county.
5. The Illinois Southern Hospital for Insane, at Anna, in Williamson county.
6. The Illinois General Hospital for the Insane, at Bartonville, in Peoria county.
7. The Asylum for Insane Criminals, at Menard, in Randolph county.

Sec. 17. *Managers of State Hospitals and Their Terms of Office.*—Each State hospital shall be under the control and management of a board of managers, subject to the statutory powers of the commission. On or after the first of October, nineteen hundred and nine, the Governor shall appoint a board consisting of seven (7) members, not more than four (4) of whom shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party. He shall so arrange their terms of office of one, two, three, four, five, six and seven years that a term shall expire on the thirtieth day of September in each year, beginning with the year nineteen hundred and ten. After the expiration of such terms, managers shall be appointed for terms of seven years. If a vacancy occur otherwise than by expiration of term, the appointment of manager to fill such vacancy shall be for the unexpired term of the manager whose office became vacant.

Sec. 18. *Appointment and Removal of Managers.*—The members of the boards of managers shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, as often as a vacancy shall occur by expiration of term, or otherwise; and they may severally continue in office until their successors are appointed and have qualified; and they shall be subject to removal by the Governor after having been notified in writing of the reasons for the proposed removal, and having been given an opportunity to be heard. All managers shall reside in the hospital district in which the

hospital is situated for which they are respectively appointed. No person shall be eligible to the office of manager who is either an elective State officer or a member of the Legislature, and if any such manager shall become a member of the Legislature or an elective State officer, his office as manager shall thereupon be vacant. If any manager fails for a period of six months to attend the regular meetings of the board of which he is a member, the secretary of the board shall notify the Governor of such absence, with any explanation thereof which may be submitted by such manager, and unless the Governor shall, within thirty days thereafter, notify the secretary that he has excused such manager for such absence, the office of such manager shall thereupon be deemed to be vacant; and if any manager fails for one year to attend such regular meetings, his office shall become vacant. When any such vacancy shall occur, the board, by resolution, shall so declare, and a certified copy of such resolution shall forthwith be transmitted by the board to the commission and to the Governor. In the month of January of each year the secretary of the board of managers shall transmit to the Governor a statement showing the record of attendance of each manager at meetings of the board, the number and dates of visits to the hospital, with a statement of any other work for the hospital performed by such manager, which such manager may request to have transmitted to the Governor. The manager whose term is first to expire shall act as president of the board of managers of each institution.

Sec. 19. *General Powers and Duties of Board of Managers.*—Subject to the statutory powers of the commission, boards of managers shall have the general direction and control of all the property and internal affairs of the institutions for which they are respectively appointed, except as otherwise provided by law. A committee consisting of one member of each board of managers, or other representative designated by such board, shall establish by-laws, rules and regulations governing the appointment and duties of officers and employes of all the State hospitals, and for the internal government, discipline and management of the same, subject to the approval of the commission. Such by-laws, rules and regulations shall be uniform for all the State hospitals, and shall not be inconsistent with the provisions of this Act nor with the provisions of the civil service law and the rules and regulations established thereunder. The managers shall not receive any compensation for their services, but shall receive actual and necessary traveling and other expenses, to be paid after audit as other current expenditures of the hospital. Each board shall, in October of each year, elect from among its members a secretary. The superintendent shall personally submit, at each monthly meeting of the board of managers, a report showing changes in population, health of patients, officers and employes; accidents, suicides, unusual sickness, infectious diseases; important occurrences relating to the welfare of the patients and to the management and discipline of the employes, and such other matters as the board may specify. Each board shall:

1. Take care of the general interests of the hospital and see that its design is carried into effect, according to law, and the by-laws, rules and regulations made as above provided.

2. Maintain an effective inspection of the hospital, for which purpose the board, or a majority of its members, shall visit and inspect the hospital at least once each month. Each board shall make a written report to the commission and to the Governor within ten days after each inspection, such report to be signed by each member making the inspection. Such report shall state in detail the condition of the hospital and of its inmates, and such other matters pertaining to the management and affairs thereof as in the opinion of the board should be brought to the attention of the commission or the Governor, and may contain recommendations as to needed improvements in the hospital or in its management.

3. Keep in a book provided for that purpose a fair and full record of their doings, which shall be open at all times to the inspection of the Gover-

nor of the State, the commissioners of control, or any person appointed by the Governor, the commission of control, or either House of the Legislature, to examine the same.

4. Hold regular meetings at least once each month, and cause to be type written within ten days after such meeting, the minutes and proceedings of such meeting, and cause a copy thereof to be sent forthwith to each member of such board, to the commission and to the Governor.

5. Enter in a book, kept at the hospital for that purpose, the date of each visit of each manager.

6. Make to the commission, in October of each year, a detailed report of the results of their visits and inspection, with suitable suggestions and such other matters as may be required of them by the commission, for the year ending on the thirtieth day of September preceding the date of such report. Such report shall be prepared by a committee of the board, subject to the approval of the board.

7. Investigate, hear and determine the truth of all charges made against the superintendent or other officer or employé of a hospital, issue subpoenas and take and hear testimony in respect to such charges. A witness attending before such board shall be entitled to the same fees as a witness attending before a court of record or a judge thereof, which shall be paid as other hospital charges. The resident officers shall admit such managers into every part of the hospital and its buildings, and exhibit to them, on demand, all the books, papers, accounts and writings belonging to the hospital, or pertaining to its business, management, discipline or government, and furnish copies, abstracts and reports whenever required by them.

Sec. 20. *Officers.*—The Commission of Control shall appoint, subject to the approval of the board of managers for each hospital, as often as a vacancy shall occur therein, a superintendent. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of superintendent of any State hospital, the Commission of Control, with the approval of the board of managers of such hospital, may transfer to such position the superintendent of any other State hospital, and subject to the consent of the board of managers of such other State hospital. The superintendent shall be a well educated physician and a graduate of an incorporated medical college, of at least five years' actual experience in an institution for the care and treatment of the insane. Each superintendent shall be the treasurer of the State hospital for which he is appointed, unless the commission shall designate a person to act as treasurer as hereinafter provided, and before entering upon his duties as such treasurer shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking to the people, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by the State Auditor, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. The superintendent may be removed by a vote of a majority of the board of managers, for cause stated in writing, and after an opportunity has been given him to be heard thereon, and such action, when approved by the commission, shall be final. Pending the investigation of any charges against a superintendent, and the decision thereon, the board of managers may suspend such superintendent. The commission may prefer charges of misconduct or incompetency against any superintendent to the board of managers of the hospital of which he is superintendent, and the board shall thereupon investigate the truth of such charges. On the first day of October, nineteen hundred and eight, the office of treasurer in each of the State hospitals shall be abolished, and their powers and duties may be conferred upon the superintendent, or the commission may designate a person in its office to act as treasurer for all the hospitals, who shall have the powers and perform the duties of treasurer as to such hospital, as prescribed in this chapter, and shall perform such other duties as the commission may impose. The person so designated, before entering upon the performance of his duties as such treasurer, shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by him, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. A superintendent in office on the first day of October, nineteen

hundred and nine, shall be continued in office until removed pursuant to law, notwithstanding the change hereby made in the manner of his appointment.

Sec. 21. *General Powers and Duties of Superintendent.*—The superintendent of each hospital shall be its chief executive officer, and in his absence or sickness, the first assistant physician or other officer designated by the superintendent shall perform the duties, exercise the powers, and be subject to the responsibilities of the superintendent. Subject to the by-laws and regulations established by the commission and the managers under the provisions of this Act, the superintendent shall have general superintendence of the buildings, grounds and farm, together with their furniture, fixtures and stock, and the direction and control of all persons therein, and subject to such by-laws and regulations shall:

1. Personally maintain an effective supervision and inspection of all parts of the hospital and generally direct the care and treatment of the patients. To this end the superintendent shall personally examine the condition of each patient within five days after his admission to the hospital, and shall regularly visit all of the wards or apartments for patients at such times as the rules and regulations of the hospital shall prescribe.

2. Appoint such resident officers, including a woman physician and such employes as he may think proper and necessary for the economical and efficient performance of the business of the hospital and prescribe their duties, and for cause stated in writing, after an opportunity to be heard, discharge any of such employes in his discretion, but an appointment of a steward by such superintendent shall be approved by the commission before taking effect, and such steward shall not be removed without the consent in writing of the commission. The number of such resident officers and employes shall be determined, from time to time, by the commission. The commission may, with the approval of the Governor, abolish the office of any of such resident officers or employes. The superintendent may remove any resident officer for cause stated in writing, after an opportunity to be heard, and such action shall be final. Upon any such removal he shall make a record thereof, with the reasons therefor, under the appropriate head in one of the books of the hospital.

The superintendent, assistant physicians, including the woman physician, steward, and matron, shall constantly reside in the hospital, or on the premises, except as provided in this Act, and shall be designated the resident officers of the hospital. The assistant physicians, including the woman physician, shall be graduates of an incorporated medical college, and shall possess such other qualifications as may be required by law.

3. Transmit, by mail, to the Commission of Control, and to the president of the board of managers, within five days after any such discharge, information of such discharge, and of the cause thereof. The commission shall preserve the name of such officer or employe, with the facts relating to his discharge, in a book provided for that purpose.

4. Designate hospital attendants or employes to act as special policemen, whose duty it shall be, under the orders of the superintendent, to arrest and return to the hospital insane persons who may escape therefrom, and to preserve peace and good order in such hospital and to fully protect the grounds, buildings and patients. Such attendants and employes acting as policemen shall possess all the powers of peace officers on the grounds and premises of such hospital and to the extent of one hundred yards beyond such grounds. The designation of such attendants and employes as special policemen, in pursuance hereof, shall not be deemed to supersede, on the grounds and premises of such hospital, the authority of peace officers of the jurisdiction within which such hospital is located.

5. Give such orders and instructions as he may deem best calculated to insure good conduct, fidelity and economy in every department of labor and expense.

6. Maintain salutary discipline among all who are employed in the institution and enforce strict compliance with his instructions and uniform obedience to all rules and regulations of the hospital.

7. Establish and supervise a training school for attendants and nurses, under rules and regulations of the hospital.

8. The superintendent shall hold at least two meetings weekly with the medical staff, at which the condition of patients, especially those recently admitted, shall be considered, and matters of medical service generally shall be given attention. The superintendent shall cause a complete clinical record to be made of each patient, to be kept in such form and to comprise such matters [as] the commission may direct.

9. Cause full and fair accounts and records of the entire business and operations of the hospital to be kept regularly, from day to day, in books provided for that purpose.

10. See that all such accounts and records are fully made up to the last day of September in each year, and that the principal facts and results, with his report thereon, be presented to the board of managers within thirty days thereafter, who shall incorporate it in their report to the commission. The commission may prescribe the form of and the subjects to be embraced in such reports. Such superintendent shall make other reports at such times, and in such manner and in respect to such matters as the board of managers or the commission may direct.

11. Keep a book, in which he shall cause to be entered at the time of reception of any patient, his name, residence and occupation, and the date of such reception, by whom brought and by what authority and on whose petition committed, and an abstract of all orders, warrants, requests, petitions, certificates and other papers accompanying such person.

Sec. 22. *Purchasing Steward for State Institutions.*—The office of purchasing steward for the several State hospitals for the insane and State charitable institutions is hereby established. The purchasing steward for such hospitals and other said State institutions shall be appointed by the commission, and may be removed by it for cause stated in writing, after an opportunity to be heard, and such action shall be final. Such purchasing steward shall make all purchases for each of such hospitals and other said State institutions, in accordance with estimates made as provided by this chapter, after a requisition therefor, approved by the superintendent of the hospital for which such purchases are required. He shall visit the hospitals and other said State institutions for which he acts, from time to time, and confer with the superintendents and resident stewards thereof as to the quantity, quality and price of supplies required therefor. He shall perform such other duties in respect to the purchase of supplies for such hospitals as may be prescribed by the commission. A resident steward for each of such hospitals and other said State institutions shall be appointed and shall possess all the powers and perform all the duties conferred or imposed upon stewards of State hospitals by this chapter, except as herein otherwise provided. Such purchasing steward shall have an office in the cities of Chicago, Springfield and East St. Louis, and may appoint such clerks and assistants as may be authorized by the commission. The salaries of such purchasing steward and of such clerks and assistants shall be fixed by the commission in the same manner as those of other officers and employes. Such salaries, together with the necessary office, traveling and other expenses of such purchasing steward, actually incurred by him in the performance of his duties, shall be paid by the hospitals for which he acts, to be apportioned by the commission.

Sec. 23. *Meetings of Superintendents.*—The superintendents or other officers of the several State hospitals designated by them shall meet, at least once in every three months, upon the call of the commission, at the office of the commission at Springfield, or at such other place as may be designated by it, to consult with such commission with reference to matters relating to the care and operation of the State hospitals and particularly with reference to the care and treatment of the insane. Each board of managers may, in its discretion, send one of its members to such meetings.

Sec. 24. *Salaries of Officers and Wages of Employes.*—The Commission, from time to time, with the approval in writing of the Governor, Secretary

of State and State Auditor, shall fix the annual salaries of the resident officers of the State hospitals, which shall be uniform for like service. They shall classify the other officers and employés into grades, and, except as provided by this chapter, shall determine the salaries and wages to be paid in each grade, which shall be uniform in all the hospitals. The salaries and wages shall be included in the estimates and paid in the same manner as other expenses of the State hospitals. Food supplies shall be allowed to officers and employés and the families of the superintendents, first assistant physicians and stewards. Such families shall consist only of the wives and minor children of such officers; no other persons, except those regularly employed, shall be allowed rooms and maintenance, except at a rate to be fixed by the commission; such supplies shall be drawn from the supplies provided for general hospital use. With the approval of the commission, officers or employés of State hospitals may be permitted to live outside of such hospitals, and shall receive such sums in lieu of the quarters or supplies furnished by the hospitals, as may be equitable.

Sec. 25. *Quarterly Estimates of Expenses; Emergency Fund.*—The superintendent of each of the State hospitals and other said State institutions shall, once in each three months as the commission may determine, cause to be prepared triplicate estimates, in minute detail, of the expenses required for the hospital of which he is the superintendent for the ensuing three months. He shall submit two of such triplicates to the commission and file the third copy in the office of the superintendent. The commission may revise estimates for supplies or other expenditures either as to quantity, quality, or the estimated cost thereof, and shall certify that it has carefully examined the same and that the articles contained in such estimates, as approved or revised by it, are actually required for the use of the hospital, and shall thereupon present such estimate and certificate to the State Auditor. Upon the revision and approval of such estimate by the commission, the State Auditor shall authorize the superintendent as treasurer, or such other officer as the commission may designate as provided in this chapter, to make drafts on the State Auditor, as the money may be required for the purposes mentioned in such estimates, which drafts shall be paid on the warrant of the State Auditor, out of the funds in the treasury of the State held for the care of the insane and the maintenance of State hospitals. In every such estimate there shall be a sum named, not to exceed one thousand dollars, as an emergency fund for which no minute detailed statement need be made. No money shall be expended for the use of any of the State hospitals, except as provided in this section.

Any general expenses necessarily incurred by the commission for or on account of the State hospitals shall be apportioned to such hospitals on the basis of the number of patients, and included in the estimates of such hospitals, made as provided in this section under the direction of the commission.

Sec. 26. *Powers and Duties of Superintendent as Treasurer.*—The superintendent as treasurer of such hospital, or such officer as may be designated as treasurer by the commission as provided in this chapter, shall, subject to the rules and regulations of the commission, pertaining to his duties as treasurer:

1. Have the custody of all moneys received from the State Treasurer on account of estimates made by the superintendent and revised and approved by the commission, and keep an accurate account thereof.

2. Have the custody of all bonds, notes, mortgages and other securities and obligations belonging to the hospital.

3. Receive all money for the care and treatment of private and reimbursing patients and other sources of revenue of the hospital; but where a designation of a person as treasurer is made as provided by this chapter, the steward shall receive all such money and transmit the same, once each week, to the person so designated as treasurer, and report the amount so transmitted to the superintendent.

4. Deposit all money received from the State Treasurer on account of estimates in a bank designated by the State Auditor, in his name, as treasurer, and send each month to the State Auditor and to the commission a statement showing the amount so received and deposited, and from whom and for what received, and when such deposits were made. Such statement of deposit shall be certified by the proper officer of the bank receiving such deposit. The superintendent, as treasurer, or other officer designated as treasurer by the commission, as provided in this chapter, shall make an affidavit to the effect that the sum so deposited is all the money received by him, from any source of hospital income, up to the time of the last deposit appearing on such statement. A bank designated by the State Auditor to receive such deposits shall, before any deposit is made, execute a bond to the people of the State, in a sum approved by the State Auditor, for the safe keeping of the funds deposited.

5. Pay out the money deposited for the uses of the State hospital, upon the voucher of the steward; where a person has been designated as treasurer, as provided in this chapter, such voucher shall be countersigned by the superintendent.

6. Keep full and accurate accounts of all receipts and payments, in the manner and according to books and forms prescribed and furnished by the commission.

7. Balance all accounts on his books, annually, for the year ending on the last day of September, and make a statement thereof and an abstract of the receipts and payments of the past year and deliver the same, within thirty days, to the commission.

8. Render an account of the state of the books and the funds and other property in his custody, whenever required by the commission.

9. Execute a release and satisfaction of a mortgage, judgment or other lien or debt in favor of the hospital, when paid.

10. Receive all moneys for or on account of the sale of lands of the hospital of which he is treasurer.

Sec. 27. *Monthly Statements of Receipts and Expenditures; Vouchers.*—The superintendent as treasurer of each State hospital, or such other officer as may be designated as treasurer by the commission, as provided in this chapter, shall, on or before the fifteenth day of each month, make to the State Auditor and to the commission a full and perfect statement of all the receipts and expenditures, specifying the several items, for the last preceding calendar month. Such statement shall be verified by the affidavit of the treasurer attached thereto, in the following form:

I,, treasurer of the State hospital, do solemnly aver that I have deposited in the bank designated by law for such purpose, all the moneys received by me on account of the hospital during the last month, and I do further swear that the foregoing is a true abstract of all the moneys received and payments made by me or under my direction as such treasurer, during the month ending the..... day of 190..

There shall also be forwarded to the commission the affidavit of the steward, to the effect that all goods and other articles for which vouchers are rendered were purchased and received by him, or under his direction, at the hospital; that the goods were purchased at a fair cash market price and paid for in cash, or on credit, not exceeding sixty days, and that he, or any person in his behalf, had no pecuniary or other interest in the articles purchased; that he received no pecuniary or other benefit therefrom in the way of commission, percentage, deductions or presents, or in any other manner whatever, directly or indirectly; that the articles for which vouchers are rendered were received at the hospital; that they were conformed in all respects to the invoiced goods received and ordered by him, both in quality and quantity. Such vouchers shall be examined by the commission and compared with the estimates made for the month for which the statement is rendered, and if found correct, shall be endorsed and forwarded by the commission, with the statement to the State Auditor. If any voucher is found

objectionable, the State Auditor shall endorse his disapproval thereon, with the reason therefor, and return it to the commission, who shall present it to the superintendent for correction, and when corrected return it to the State Auditor. All such vouchers shall be filed in the office of the State Auditor.

Sec. 28. *Action to Recover Moneys Due the Hospital.*—The superintendent of any State hospital may bring an action in the name of the hospital, to recover for the use thereof:

1. The amount due upon any note or bond in his hands belonging to the hospital.

2. The amount charged and due, according to the by-laws of the hospital, for the support of any patient therein, or for actual disbursements made in his behalf for necessary clothing and traveling expenses. And to enforce any liability created by statute for the care and support of the insane.

3. Upon any cause of action accruing to the hospital.

Sec. 29. *General Powers and Duties of the Steward.*—The steward, under the direction of the superintendent, and subject to the rules and regulations of the hospital, shall be accountable for the careful keeping and economical use of all furniture, stores, and other articles provided for the hospital, and under the direction of the superintendent, and subject to such rules and regulations shall:

1. Make all purchases for the hospital, except as otherwise provided in this chapter, and preserve the original bills and receipts thereof, and keep full and accurate accounts of the same.

2. Prepare and keep the pay-rolls of the hospital.

3. Keep the accounts for the support of patients and expenses incurred in their behalf, and furnish the treasurer statements thereof as they fall due.

4. Notify the treasurer of the death or discharge of any reimbursing or pay patient, within five days after such death or discharge.

Sec. 30. *Purchases and Contracts.*—All purchases of supplies for the use of the hospital shall be made for cash or on credit or time, not exceeding sixty days; every voucher shall be duly filled up, and with every abstract of vouchers paid, there shall be proof on oath that the voucher was properly filled up and the money paid. No expenditure for supplies or other purposes shall be made for the benefit of such hospital, by contract or otherwise, unless in conformity with the provisions of this Act in relation to estimates. No member of the commission, manager or officer of a hospital shall be interested, directly or indirectly, in the furnishing of material, labor or supplies for the use of the hospital, nor shall any such manager or officer act as attorney or counsel for such hospital. Contracts subject to the approval of the commission shall be entered into jointly, by the stewards of the State hospitals, for such staple articles of supplies, as it may be found feasible by the commission to purchase for the use of the hospitals. Such contracts shall not be let except in conformity with the provisions of this Act relating to estimates. The State hospitals may manufacture such supplies and materials to be used in any of such hospitals as can be economically made therein. All goods for the use of the hospitals shall be bought, as far as practicable, of manufacturers and their immediate agents. All contracts, if let, shall, subject to the provisions of this Act relating to estimates, be awarded to the lowest responsible bidders. A member of the commission or an officer, manager or employé of a State hospital shall not receive a gift or reward for himself or the hospital from any person, firm or corporation dealing in goods, or supplies suitable or necessary for the use of the hospital. All purchases and contracts made and executed in pursuance of law, prior to October first, nineteen hundred and nine, shall thereafter be given full force and effect, notwithstanding the change in management of the State hospitals.

Sec. 31. *Official Oath.*—Each superintendent and steward of a hospital, before entering upon his duties as such, shall take the constitutional oath of office and file the same in the office of the Secretary of State.

Sec. 32. *Actions Against Commissioners of Control, Managers or Officers of State Hospitals.*—No civil action shall be brought in any court against the Commission or a commissioner of control, or an officer or manager of a State hospital, for alleged damages because of any act done or failure to perform any act, while discharging their official duties, without leave of a judge of the circuit court first had and obtained. Any just claim for damages against such commission or commissioner, officer, manager or employé, for which the State would be legally or equitably liable, may be paid out of any moneys appropriated for the care of the insane.

Sec. 33. The Commissioners of Control are hereby vested with authority to fix and determine, by all proper rules and regulations, upon the sums and amounts to be charged for the care and maintenance of insane patients (other than poor and indigent patients); but such sums and charges are to be equal and like sums in all cases of adult patients, and are to be made and charged monthly, and in no case are to be in excess of the per capita charge or amount required to actually maintain and keep the patient in the hospital for the insane, to which the respective patients may be committed (exclusive of cost of buildings, physicians' care and attendance and officers' salaries); and upon such sums and amounts having been fixed by said commissioners by proper rules and regulations in the respective hospitals for the insane, the same and the amount so fixed and determined by the said rules and regulations shall become a charge against the estate and property of such inmate (insane person) and the persons liable under the law of this State for their charge and support, the same to be recovered in an action at law by the proper officers of the respective institutions, in the corporate name of the institution; and the said Commission of Control, by such rules and regulations as it may determine, may apportion such cost and maintenance to the State and to the patient as aforesaid, to his estate and those liable for his support; but in no case shall any person be denied admission to a State hospital for the insane or be removed therefrom on account of his or her being a poor or an indigent person, or by reason of the failure of any person to comply with any of the rules and regulations so prescribed by the said Commission of Control. The cost and charges for the care and maintenance of poor and indigent patients in said hospitals for the insane, shall be governed by the laws of this State heretofore in force and hereafter to be passed.

Sec. 34. *Private Institutions for the Insane.*—No person, association or corporation shall establish or keep an institution for the care, custody or treatment of the insane, for compensation or hire, without first obtaining a license therefor from the commission. Every application for such license shall be accompanied by a plan of the premises proposed to be occupied, describing the capacities of the buildings for the uses intended, the extent and location of ground appurtenant thereto, and the number of patients proposed to be received therein, with such other information and in such form as the commission may require. The commission shall not grant any such license without first having made an examination of the premises proposed to be licensed, and being satisfied that they are substantially as described, and are otherwise fit and suitable for the purposes for which they are designed to be used, and that such license should be granted. The Commission may, at any and all times, examine and ascertain how far a licensed institution is conducted in compliance with the license therefor, and after due notice to the institution and opportunity for it to be heard, the commission having made a record of the proceeding upon such hearing, may, if the interests of the inmates of the institution so demand, for just and reasonable cause then appearing and to be stated in its order, amend or revoke any such license by an order to take effect within such time after the service thereof upon the licensee, as the commission shall determine.

Sec. 35. *Recommendations of Commission.*—The authorities of each institution for the insane shall place on file in the office of the institution, the recommendations made by the commissioners as a result of their visits, for the purpose of consultation by such authorities, and for reference by the commissioners upon their visits.

Sec. 36. *Acquisition of Property for Use of State Hospitals by Condemnation and Otherwise.*—The State Commission of Control may acquire, under the condemnation law, such real estate, right or interest therein as may be necessary for the construction, maintenance and accommodation of a State hospital, if unable to agree with the owner thereof for its purchase. The proceedings for the purpose of acquiring such real estate, right or interest therein, shall be instituted and maintained in the name of the People of the State of Illinois, by the Attorney General or by such counsel as the Governor or Attorney General may designate for that purpose, upon the certificate of such commission as to the necessity of acquiring such real estate, right or interest therein, approved and endorsed by the Governor. The commission may acquire and hold in the name of and for the People of the State of Illinois, by grant, gift, devise or bequest, property to be applied to the maintenance of insane persons in and for the general use of a hospital.

Sec. 37. *Erection, Alteration, Repairs and Improvements of State Hospital Buildings.*—All plans and specifications for the erection, alteration, repairs and improvements of State hospital buildings shall be prepared by the State Architect, but the supervising engineer of the State Commission of Control may, when directed by the commission prepare plans and specifications for the installation, alteration, repairs and improvements of the mechanical appliances and fixtures in the existing State hospitals, which, before adoption, shall be approved by the State Architect. The State Commission of Control shall adopt or reject any such plans or specifications and no such work shall be begun until the plans and specifications therefor have been adopted, but before the adoption thereof the commission shall submit the same to the board of managers of such hospital, and shall allow such board a period of not less than fifteen, and not more than sixty days, in which to submit a statement of their opinions and suggestions in regard thereto. Contracts for such erection, alteration, repairs and improvements may be let by the commission, subject to the approval of the Governor and State Auditor, for the whole or any part of the work to be performed, and in the discretion of the commission such contracts may be sublet. Special orders for such work in amounts less than one thousand dollars may be issued by the State Architect upon authorization by the commission. The commission shall determine to what extent and for what length of time advertisements are to be inserted in newspapers for proposals for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of State hospital buildings. A preliminary deposit or certified check drawn upon some legally incorporated bank in this State shall in all cases be required as an evidence of good faith upon all proposals for buildings, alterations, repairs or improvements, to be deposited with the treasurer of the hospital for which the work is to be performed, in an amount to be determined by the State Architect, but work done by special orders in an amount less than one thousand dollars need have no such deposit or check, provided payment is to be made only after the work is completed and approved. All contracts in an amount greater than one thousand dollars shall have the performance thereof secured by a sufficient bond or bonds to be approved by and filed with the commission. The work or erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of any building or plant may be done by the employment of inmate or outside labor, either or both, and by the purchase of materials in the open market whenever in the opinion of the commission and State Architect such course shall be more advantageous to the State, but no compensation shall be allowed for the employment of inmate labor. Where money is appropriated for any specific purpose other than maintenance and the work, materials, furniture, apparatus or other supplies are not to be performed or purchased pursuant to contract or special order duly made therefor, such money shall be expended pursuant to special fund estimates made to the commission by the superintendent of the hospital for which such appropriation is made. The law governing the revision of estimates of the expense required for the State hospitals for the insane shall apply to such estimates, and when such work is to be performed in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by the State Architect or is

to be paid for from appropriations for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of building or plant, such estimates shall also be subject to his approval. Except as above specified, all such work shall be done by contract or special order. The form of the contract or special order shall be prescribed by the State Architect. All payments on contracts or special orders shall be made on the certificate of the State Architect, approved by the commission, as the work progresses or the purchase of material is made, and upon bills duly certified. No item of an appropriation made for the performance of such work shall be available except for advertising, unless one or more contracts, special orders or special fund estimates shall first have been made for the completion of such work within the appropriation therefor. All contracts for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of hospitals shall contain a clause that the contract shall only be deemed executory to the extent of the moneys available, and no liability shall be incurred by the State beyond the moneys available for the purpose. If any appropriation be made for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of buildings or plant in an appropriation act specifying two or more objects for which the appropriation is made and any one of such objects shall have been accomplished for a sum less than the amount specified in the Act, the unexpended balance shall be applicable to the completion of any other work specified in the Act, provided that after due advertisement no bids shall have been received within the amount specifically appropriated therefor.

Sec. 38. *Streets and Railroads Through Hospital Lands.*—No public street or road for railroad or other purposes shall be opened through the lands of a State hospital, unless the Legislature by special law consents thereto.

Sec. 39. The commission may appoint agents, whose duty it shall be to secure from relatives and friends who are liable therefor, or who may be willing to assume the cost of support of any of the inmates of State hospitals as are being supported by the State re-imbursement in whole or in part of the money so expended. The compensation of each agent shall not exceed five dollars a day, and the necessary traveling and other incidental expenses incurred by him, to be approved by the State Auditor. The commission may fix a rate to be paid for the support of the inmates of State hospitals by relatives liable for such support or by those not liable for such support but willing to assume the cost thereof; but such rate shall be sufficient to cover a proper proportion of the cost of maintenance per capita (exclusive of cost of buildings, physicians' care and attendance and officers' salaries). The maintenance of any inmate of a State hospital, committed thereto upon a court order arising out of any criminal action or proceeding, shall be paid by the county from which such inmate was committed.

Sec. 40. *Liability for the Care and Support of the Insane Other Than the Poor and Indigent.*—The father, grandfather, mother, grandmother, children, grandchildren, brothers or sisters of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the conservator of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

The costs and charges of the commitment and transfer of such insane person to a State hospital shall be paid by the conservator, or the father, grandfather, mother, grandmother, children, grandchildren, brothers or sisters of such person, to be recovered in an action brought in the name of the People by the commission, the hospital for the insane, by its corporate name, the county, or the overseer of the poor of the town where such insane person may be, but there shall be but one recovery for any sum due. In all claims of the State upon relatives liable for the support of a patient or upon moneys or property held by said patient, the State shall be deemed a preferred creditor.

Sec. 41. *Entries in Case Book.*—Every superintendent or other person in charge of an institution for the care and treatment of the insane shall, within three days after the reception of a patient, make, or cause to be made, a descriptive entry of such case in a book exclusively set apart for that purpose. He shall also make or cause to be made entries, from time to time,

of the mental state, bodily condition and medical treatment of such patient during the time such patient remains under his care, and in the event of the discharge or death of such person, he shall state in such book the circumstances thereof, and make such other entries at such intervals of time and in such form as may be required by the commission.

Sec. 42. *Transfer of Patients When Hospital is Overcrowded.*—When the building of any State hospital shall become overcrowded with patients, or the number of buildings shall be reduced by fire or other casualties or for other cause, the commission may, in its discretion, cause the transfer of patients therefrom, or direct that patients required to be sent thereto, be transferred to another State hospital, where they can be conveniently received, or make, in special emergencies, temporary provision for their care, preference to be given in such transfers to a hospital in an adjoining rather than in a remote district. The expenses of such transfer shall be chargeable to the State, and the bills for the same, when approved by the commission, shall be paid by the treasurer of the State, on the warrant of the State Auditor, out of any moneys provided for the support of the insane.

Sec. 43. *Investigation Into the Care and Treatment of the Insane.*—When the commission has reason to believe that any person adjudged insane is wrongfully deprived of his liberty, or is cruelly, negligently or improperly treated, or inadequate provision is made for his skilful medical care, proper supervision and safe keeping, it may ascertain the facts, or may order an investigation of the facts by one of its members. It, or the commissioner conducting the proceeding, may issue compulsory process for the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers, and exercise the powers conferred upon a master in chancery in the circuit court. If the commission deem it proper, it may issue an order, directed to any or all institutions, directing and providing for such remedy or treatment, or both, as shall be therein specified. If such order be just and reasonable, and be approved by three circuit judges sitting *en banc*, who may require a notice to be given of the application for such approval, it shall be binding upon any and all institutions and persons to which it is directed, and any willful disobedience of such order shall be a criminal contempt and punishable as such. Whenever the commission shall undertake an investigation into the general management and administration of any institution for the insane, it may give notice to the Attorney General of any such investigation, and the Attorney General shall appear personally or by deputy and examine witnesses who may be in attendance. The commission, or any member thereof, may at any time visit and examine the inmates of any county or city almshouse, to ascertain if insane persons are kept therein.

Sec. 44. *Habeas Corpus.*—Any one in custody as an insane person is entitled to a writ of habeas corpus upon a proper application made by him or some friend in his behalf. Upon the return of such writ, the fact of his insanity shall be inquired into and determined. The medical history of the patient, as it appears in the case book, shall be given in evidence, and the superintendent or medical officer in charge of the institution wherein such person is held in custody, and any proper person, shall be sworn, touching the mental condition of such person.

Sec. 45. *Discharge of Patients.*—The superintendent of a State hospital, on filing his written certificate with the commission, may discharge any patient, except one held upon an order of a court or judge having criminal jurisdiction in an action or proceeding arising out of a criminal offense at any time, as follows:

1. A patient who, in his judgment, is recovered.

- 1a. A person who, in his opinion, is not insane, including dotards.

2. Any patient who is not recovered but whose discharge, in the judgment of the superintendent, will not be detrimental to the public welfare, or injurious to the patient: *Provided, however,* That before making such certificate, the superintendent shall satisfy himself, by sufficient proof, that friends or relatives of the patient are willing and financially able to receive and properly care for such patient after his discharge.

The superintendent may grant a parole to a patient, not exceeding thirty days, under general conditions prescribed by the commission.

A poor and indigent patient discharged by the superintendent because he is an idiot, or a dotard, not insane, or an epileptic, not insane, or because he is not a proper case for treatment within the meaning of this chapter, shall be received and cared for, by the superintendent of the poor or other authority having similar power, in the county from which he was committed. A patient held upon an order of a court or judge having criminal jurisdiction, in an action or proceeding arising from a criminal offense, may be discharged upon the superintendent's certificate of recovery, approved by any such court or judge.

Sec. 46. *Clothing and Money to be Furnished Discharged Patients.*—No patient shall be discharged from a State hospital without suitable clothing adapted to the season in which he is discharged; and if it can not be otherwise obtained, the steward shall, upon the order of the superintendent, furnish the same, and money, not exceeding twenty-five dollars, to defray his necessary expenses until he can reach his relatives or friends, or find employment to earn a subsistence.

Sec. 47. *Transfer of Non-Resident Patients.*—If an order be issued by any judge, committing to a State hospital a poor or indigent person, who has not acquired a legal settlement in this State, the Commission of Control shall return such insane person, either before or after his admission to a State hospital, to the country or State to which he belongs, and for such purposes may expend so much of the money appropriated for the care of the insane as may be necessary, subject to the audit of the State Auditor.

Sec. 48. *Sale of Unclaimed Personal Property of Discharged or Deceased Patients.*—All articles of personal property belonging to a discharged or deceased patient of a State hospital for the insane and in the custody of the superintendent or other proper officer of such hospital, may, if unclaimed by such discharged patient, or the legal representatives of such deceased patient, for a period of six months after the discharge or decrease of such patient, be sold at public auction in such manner and after such notice or advertisement as the commission shall prescribe, and the proceeds of such sale shall be paid into the amusement fund of such hospital.

Sec. 49. The Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, as constituted and established under an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the location, erection, organization and management of an asylum for insane criminals, and making an appropriation for the construction of necessary buildings," approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, is hereby declared to be under the jurisdiction of said Commission of Control, when established, and the same is to be controlled and managed by the provisions of this Act, the Commission of Control, a board of managers, consisting of seven members as herein provided, and subject to all the provisions of this Act, in the management and purchase of supplies for the said institution and the making of reports; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to amend or repeal sections six, seven, eight, nine, ten and eleven of the Act in this section referred to and establishing the said Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals.

Sec. 50. The cost of the care and maintenance of persons so committed to the said Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals shall be defrayed in the manner now provided for by law, out of the treasury of the State of Illinois; but in the superintendence of the said institution and the expenditure of said moneys, the same shall be fully under the management and control of the Commission of Control and a board of managers, as provided for in this Act.

ARTICLE 2.

STATE INSTITUTIONS.

Sec. 51. The Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children, at Lincoln, in the county of Logan, as established under the laws of 1865, and as amended; the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy, in the county of Adams, as established under the laws of 1885, and as amended; the Illinois Industrial

Home for the Blind, at Chicago, in the county of Cook, as established under the laws of 1887, and as amended; the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago, in the county of Cook, as established under the laws of 1865, and as amended; the Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois, at Wilmington, in the county of Will, as established under the laws of 1895, and as amended; the St. Charles School for Boys, at St. Charles, in the county of Kane, as established by an Act passed and approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders, at Geneva, in the county of Kane, as established by an Act approved June 22, 1893, in force July 1, 1893; the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, at Normal, in the county of McLean, as established under the laws of 1865, are, and each of them is, hereby continued as State institutions, for the purposes for which they were established and under the various Acts by which they were established. Except as herein in this Act amended and changed, the said institutions and each of them are hereby declared to be under the jurisdiction and control, and subject to the supervision, of said commissioners of control, who shall exercise all of the power and authority hereinbefore granted to said Commission of Control over State institutions, in so far as the same may be applicable to said institutions; and all provisions and supplies necessary to be purchased and provided for in said institutions, shall be purchased and provided for under the authority of the general purchasing department of the State, hereafter to be provided by said Commission of Control, under the provisions of this Act; and each of said institutions shall have a steward; and the method of furnishing, providing, acquiring and reporting as to supplies and necessities of each of said institutions shall be the same, as near as may be, as the provisions hereinbefore provided and enacted for the regulation and management of the hospitals for the insane.

Sec. 52. Each of said State institutions, the Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children, at Lincoln; the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy; the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, at Chicago; the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago; the Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois, at Wilmington; the St. Charles School for Boys, at St. Charles; the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders, at Geneva; and the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, at Normal, as provided for in section 51 of this Act, shall be under the control and management of a board of managers, subject to the statutory powers of the commission. On or after the first of October, nineteen hundred and nine, the Governor shall appoint a board, consisting of seven members, not more than four of whom shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party. He shall so arrange their terms of office of one, two, three, four, five, six and seven years, that a term shall expire on the thirtieth day of September in each year, beginning with the year nineteen hundred and ten. After the expiration of such terms, managers shall be appointed for terms of seven years. If a vacancy occurs, otherwise than by expiration of term, the appointment of the manager to fill such vacancy shall be for the unexpired term of the manager whose office became vacant.

Sec. 53. *Appointment and Removal of Managers.*—The members of the board of managers provided for in Section 52 of this Act shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, as often as a vacancy shall occur by expiration of term or otherwise, and they may severally continue in office until their successors are appointed and have qualified, and they shall be subject to removal by the Governor, after having been notified in writing of the reasons for the proposed removal and having been given an opportunity to be heard. All managers shall be residents of the State of Illinois. No person shall be eligible to the office of such manager who is either an elective State officer or a member of the Legislature, and if any such manager shall become a member of the Legislature or an elective State officer, his office as such manager shall thereupon be vacant. If any such manager fails for a period of six months to attend the regular meetings of the board of which he is a member, the secretary of the board shall notify the Governor of such absence, with any explanation thereof which may be

submitted by such manager, and unless the Governor shall, within thirty days thereafter, notify the secretary that he has excused such manager for such absence, the office of such manager shall thereupon be deemed to be vacant; and if any manager fails for one year to attend such regular meetings, his office shall become vacant. When any such vacancy shall occur, the board, by resolution, shall so declare, and a certified copy of such resolution shall forthwith be transmitted by the board to the commission and to the Governor. In the month of January of each year, the secretary of the board of managers shall transmit to the Governor a statement showing the record of attendance of each manager at meetings of the board, the number and dates of visits to the hospital, with a statement of any other work for the hospital performed by such manager, which said manager may request to have transmitted to the Governor. The manager whose term is first to expire shall act as president of the board of managers of each said institution.

Sec. 54. *General Powers and Duties of Boards of Managers.*—The powers and duties conferred upon the board of managers of the hospitals for the insane under section 19 of this Act, so far as the same may be applicable, shall be and hereby are conferred upon the board of managers of the said institutions provided for in section 52 of this Act.

Sec. 55. *Officers.*—The Commission of Control shall appoint, subject to the approval of the board of managers of each of said institutions, as often as a vacancy shall occur therein, a superintendent. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of Superintendent of any of said institutions, the Commission of Control, with the approval of the board of managers of such institution, may transfer to such position the superintendent of any other of said institutions, subject to the consent of the board of managers of such other institution. Each superintendent shall be the treasurer of the said institution for which he is appointed, unless the commission shall designate a person to act as treasurer, as in this Act provided; and before entering upon his duties as such treasurer, shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking to the people, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by the State Auditor, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. The superintendent may be removed by a vote of a majority of the board of managers, for cause stated in writing, and after an opportunity has been given him to be heard thereon, and such action, when approved by the commission, shall be final. Pending the investigation of any charges against a superintendent and the decision thereon, the board of managers may suspend such superintendent. The commission may prefer charges of misconduct or incompetency against any superintendent to the board of managers of the hospital of which he is superintendent, and the board shall thereupon investigate the truth of such charges. On the first day of October, nineteen hundred and nine, the office of treasurer in each of the said State institutions shall be abolished and their powers and duties may be conferred upon the superintendent, or the commission may designate a person in its office to act as treasurer for all the said institutions, who shall have the powers and perform the duties of treasurer as to such institution as prescribed in this Act, and shall perform such other duties as the commission impose. The person so designated, before entering upon the performance of his duties as such treasurer, shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by him, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. A superintendent in office on the first day of October, nineteen hundred and nine, shall be continued in office until removed pursuant to law, notwithstanding the change hereby made in the manner of his appointment.

Sec. 56. The superintendent of each of said institutions shall be its chief executive officer, and in his absence or sickness, an assistant superintendent of the said institutions, and who shall exercise the powers and be subject to the responsibilities of the superintendent, shall be provided for by the rules and regulations of the said commission. Subject to the by-laws and regulations established by the Commission and the managers under the

provisions of this Act, the superintendent shall have general superintendence of the buildings, grounds and farm, together with their furniture, fixtures and stock, and the direction and control of all persons therein, and subject to such by-laws and regulations as may be provided for by the said Commission of Control.

Sec. 57. All of the powers, duties and regulations provided for the purchasing steward of the State hospital for the insane, under section 22 of this Act, shall be extended to the said institutions provided for in section 51 of this Act; and each of said institutions shall have a purchasing steward, with all of the powers, duties and responsibilities of purchasing stewards as provided for hereinbefore in this Act, and be subject to all of the rules and regulations and provisions herein enacted and hereafter to be provided for in a purchasing department for all of the institutions and hospitals under the control of the said Commission of Control.

Sec. 58. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to cover or extend to either of the Illinois State penitentiaries, the Illinois Reform School at Pontiac, or any of the educational institutions in this State, including the School for Deaf and for the Education of the Blind, at Jacksonville, in the State of Illinois.

Sec. 59. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to amend, revise or repeal any of the provisions of the Acts establishing the institutions set out and described in section 51 of this Act, except as herein specially provided; and to the end that the spirit and intent of this Act shall be fully carried out as to the said Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded, at Lincoln; the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, at the city of Chicago; the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy; the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago; the Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois at Wilmington; the St. Charles School for Boys at St. Charles; the State Home for Juvenile Offenders, at Geneva; and the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, at Normal, under the provisions and terms of this Act, said institutions, as to all matters and regulations not herein provided for, shall be subject to the jurisdiction and control of the specific Acts under which the said institutions were respectively established.

Sec. 60. All Acts and parts of Acts in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland, from the Committee on Public Charities, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 463, being a bill for "An Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman called up Senate Bill No. 376, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 376, a bill for "An Act in relation to tax deeds."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stevenson called up Senate Bill No. 159, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to provide for the sale of the Kaskaskia Commons upon the Island of Kaskaskia in the county of Randolph, and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale, and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time, Whereupon, the Committee on Judiciary offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Section 1. Strike out the words "Governor of the State" in lines 2 and 3 and substitute therefor, the words "Secretary of State, State Auditor and Attorney General."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Section 2. Strike out the word "Governor" in lines 3 and 6, and substitute in each line therefor, the words "Secretary of State, State Auditor and Attorney General."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Section 5. Strike out all of line 2 after the word "commissioner" and all of lines 3, 4 and 5 and the words "oath to fully and" in line 6 and substitute therefor the words "and the Secretary of State, State Auditor and Attorney General shall fully and." Also strike out the words "and shall" in line 6 and the words "file the same with said commissioner" in line 7 and the words "who" and "with them" in line 7.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Section 9. Strike out the word "Governor" in line 6 and substitute therefor the word "Auditor." Strike out the word "Governor" in line 22 and substitute therefor the words "Secretary of State and Attorney General."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Section 11. Strike out the word "Governor" in line 5 and substitute therefor the words "Secretary of State, State Auditor and Attorney General." Strike out the word "him" in line 5 and substitute therefor the word "them."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Section 12. Strike out the word "Governor" in line 4 and substitute therefor "Secretary of State, State Auditor and Attorney General." Strike out the word "Governor" in line 10 and substitute therefor the words "Secretary of State and Attorney General." Strike out the word "Governor" in line 11 and substitute therefor "Secretary of State, State Auditor and Attorney General."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Section 15. Strike out the word "Governor" in lines 3, 13 and 14 and substitute therefor in each of said lines the words "Secretary of State, State Auditor and Attorney General."

Mr. Hollenbeck moved to lay the foregoing amendments upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the amendments numbered 1 to 7, both inclusive, were ordered to lie upon the table.

Whereupon, Mr. Hollenbeck offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Section 1. Strike out "a" in third line and substitute therefor the word "three" and add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in same line and the words "not more than two of whom shall be from the same political party." Also add letter "s" to commissioner in line 4. Strike out the words "he" and "his" in line 5, and substitute therefor the words "they" and "their."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Section 2. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Section 3. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1. Strike out the words "he has" in line 2 and substitute the words "they have." Strike out the words "he deems" in line 18 and substitute the words "they deem." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 23.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Section 4. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1. Strike out the word "he" in line 8 and substitute the word "they."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Section 5. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out all of line 2 after the word "shall." All of lines 3, 4 and 5, and all of line 6 to the word "fairly." Strike out all of line 6 after the word "Act" and all of line 7 before the word "and." Also strike out the word "who" and "with him". in line 7. Strike out the words "appraisers jointly with said" in line 14 and add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in same line. Also strike out the words "and filed with said commissioner" in line 15. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 17.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Section 6. Add the letter "s" to the word "commissioner" in line 2, also in line 6; also in line 8, also in lines 14 and 15.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Section 7. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1, also in line 11, also in lines 16 and 18. Strike out "he" in line 19 and substitute "they."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Section 8. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "he" in lines 5 and 6 and substitute "they." Also strike out the word "he" in line 7 and substitute "they." Add letter "s" to word commissioner in line 10.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 16.

Section 9. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner and strike out "is" and substitute "are" in line 3. Strike out the word "him" in line 5, and substitute the word "them" and add letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 6. Strike out the word "him" in line 7 and substitute the word "them." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 9. Strike out the word "his" in line 10 and substitute the word "their." Strike out the word "him" in line 11 and substitute the word "them." Also the word "he" in line 11 and substitute the word "they," also the word "his" in line 11 and substitute the word "their." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 15. Strike out the word "his" in line 15 and substitute the word "their." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in lines 18, 21 and 27. And strike out "is" in line 18 and substitute "are" and strike out "has" in line 25, and substitute "have."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 17.

Section 10. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in lines 2 and 6. Strike out the word "his" in line 6 and substitute the word "their." Strike out "he" in line 8 and substitute the word "they." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner and strike out "is" and substitute "are," in line 11. Strike out the word "he" in line 13 and substitute the word "they." Strike out both words "he" in line 15 and substitute "they" in each place.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 18.

Section 11. Strike out the word "he" in line 1 and substitute the word "they" and add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in same line. Strike out the words "his" and "him" in line 2 and substitute the words "their" and "them." Strike out "he" and "his" in line 4 and substitute "they" and "their." Strike out "him" in line 5, and substitute "them."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 19.

Section 12. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "his" in line 2 and substitute "their." Strike out "him," in line 4 and substitute "them." Strike out "his" in line 5 and substitute "their." Strike out "him" and "he" in line 8 and substitute "them" and "they." Strike out "his" in line 9 and substitute "their." Strike out "he has" in line 11 and substitute "they have." Strike out "him" in line 13, and substitute "them." Also "he" in same line and substitute "they."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 20.

Section 13. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "his" in same line and substitute "their."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 21.

Section 15. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "he" and "his" in same line and substitute "they" and "their." Strike out "him" in line 5 and substitute "them." Strike out both words "him" in line 7 and substitute "them" in each instance. Strike out "he" in line 8 and substitute "they." Also insert after the word "also" in same line the word "each." Strike out the word "his" in line 10 and substitute the words "their respective." Strike out the figures "100,000.00" in line 11, and substitute "30,000.00 each." Strike out the word "he" in line 16 and substitute the word "they," also strike out "his" in same line and substitute

"their." Also strike out "he" in line 18 and substitute "they." Strike out the word "his" in line 20 and substitute the word "their." After the word "expenses" in line 20 add the words "which commission shall be divided equally between them." Strike out "he is" in line 21 and substitute "they are." Strike out "his" and "he" in line 24 and substitute the words "their" and "they." Also strike out both words "his" in line 25 and substitute "their" in both places.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 22.

Section 16. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1. Strike out "him" in line 3 and substitute "them." Strike out "he" in line 4 and substitute "they."

And the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendments, numbered 8 to 22, both inclusive, were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, the special orders set for this day on House Joint Resolution No. 27, and Senate Bill No. 187, were postponed until tomorrow.

Mr. G. H. Wilson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 59.

WHEREAS, Chauncey H. Castle, late of Quincy, Illinois, has been called from the scene of his earthly duties to the higher activities of the life everlasting; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Castle, a true knight without fear and without reproach, at the time of the war between the States, with stout heart, left home and friends and offered his life, if need be, as a sacrifice on the altar of his country, was desperately wounded in battle, at the close of his service returned to the walks of civil life and prosecuted the arts of peace with as much diligence and purpose as he had the art of war, was long one of the most honored citizens of his home city, being first among his peers in the social, civic and business life of his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Castle was an honored member of this House during the Forty-fifth General Assembly; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, in regular session assembled, that we hereby express our deep sense of the loss to his city and this commonwealth in his passing; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of this House, an engrossed copy be forwarded to the family of the deceased, and that, as a mark of respect to his memory, this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote and in accordance therewith at the hour of 11:59 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Wm. Murphy, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

Mr. Pierson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 31.

WHEREAS, This General Assembly has adopted House Joint Resolution No. 10 and under the authority thereof a commission has been appointed with power to purchase new desks and chairs for the House and Senate, said commission is proceeding with its duties, and it is expected that such new furniture will in due time be installed in the Hall of the House and the Senate Chamber, of a character suited thereto; and

WHEREAS, It has been the practice of the officials in charge of the two chambers to remove the furniture thereof from time to time to permit their use by the public for various purposes; and

WHEREAS, The moving about of such furniture will be greatly injurious to it and should not be further permitted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein: That the Secretary of State be requested not to permit the removal of the furniture from the Senate Chamber and the Hall of the House.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pervier called up Senate Bill No. 196, in the order of third reading; whereupon, Senate Bill No. 196, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of 'An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute,' approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 91; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hagan,	Luke,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	English,	Hamilton.	McCollum,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shepard, H. A.
Behrens,	Espy,	Hull,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Etherton,	Huston,	Montellus,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Fieldstack.	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Eurns,	Finley,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bush,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Carter,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Grace,	Link,	Richter,	Wright,
Donahue,	Groves, J.,	Logan,	Robinson.	York,
Dudgeon,				Yeast—91

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Gorman,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Glade called up Senate Bill No. 442, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 442, a bill for "An Act amending section 39 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent fraud in the sale of dairy products, their imitation or substitutes, to prohibit and prevent the manufacture and sale of unhealthful, adulterated or misbranded food, liquors or dairy products, to provide for the appointment of a State Food Commissioner and his assistants, to define their powers and duties, and to repeal all Acts relating to the production, manufacture and sale of dairy and food products and liquors in conflict herewith,' approved May 14, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Robinson,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Glade,	Logan,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Grace,	McCollum,	Shepherd, H. A.
Blair,	Durfee,	Gray,	McCennell,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brownback,	English,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Staymates,
Browne,	Erby,	Hagan,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Espy,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Bush,	Etherton,	Hollenbeck,	Naylor,	Ton,
Campbell,	Fahy,	Hull,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Carter,	Fieldstack.	Hutzler,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Chiperfield,	Finley,	Keck,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	York,
Crawford,	Forst,	Lane,	Price,	Yeast—83
Curran,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Richter,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Behrens called up Senate Bill No. 96, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 96, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hope,	Montelius,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Shanahan,
AdMadoc,	Durfee,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Espy,	Jewell,	Myers,	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	Etherton,	Keck,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	O'Neil,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Parker,	Terrill,
Burns,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Ton,
Bush,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Butts,	Grace,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Gray,	Link,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Carter,	Griffin,	Logan,	Price,	White,
Cermak,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chapierfield,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Hamilton.	McConnell.	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Riley,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Robinson,	York.
Crawford,				

Yeas—106

This bill expressing an emergency in the body of the Act rendering it necessary that it shall take effect immediately upon its passage and having received the votes of two-thirds of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bolin called up Senate Bill No. 502, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 502, a bill for "An Act to amend section nine (9) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879, in force July 1, 1879, approved June 11, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 115.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Groves, J.	McCollum.	Riley,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	McConnell.	Robinson,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Bolin,	English,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Brady,	Erby,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Hope,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Brownback,	Espy,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Browne,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Bush,	Finley,	Jewell,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Butts,	Flagg,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Parker,	Welborn,
Carter,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Werdel,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Chipherfield,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	White,
Clark,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Corcoran,	Grace,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	Wright,
Curran,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Rigney,	York,

Yeas—115

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. G. H. Wilson called up Senate Bill No. 375, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 375, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the State Library,' approved February 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding three new sections to be known as sections 10, 11 and 12."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 116.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McCollum.	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Scott,
Bardill,	English,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hope,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Hull,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Fahy,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Bclin,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Finley,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Browne,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kannally,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Bush,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Werdel,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Grace,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Corcoran,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wright,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Curran,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinf,
Daley,				

Yeas—116

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed:

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Perkins called up Senate Bill No. 479, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 479, a bill for "An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 94; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey.	Crawford.	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Scott,
Behrens,	Erby,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Black,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	Espy,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Hull,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Huston,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Finley,	Jewell,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Flagg,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Fulton,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervin,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipherfield,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cliffe	Grace,	Lewis,	Price,	York.

Yeas—94

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

DeWolf,

Richardson,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up Senate Bill No. 242, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 242, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities of 100,000 population and under to construct outlet sewers, reservoirs, pumping works and machinery, and maintain and keep in repair the same, the cost thereof to be defrayed by special assessment or special taxation, and if the assessment is paid in installments, to issue bonds to anticipate the deferred installments,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by Act approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 92.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Scott,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Myers,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Espy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Nelson,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Stearns,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Terrill,
Bush,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Gorman,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Grace,	Maclean,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Gray,	McCollum,	Richardson,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hagan,	McGuire,	Richter,	York,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Robinson,	
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Scanlan,	
Donahue,	Hope,	Montelius,	Schumacher,	

Yeas—92

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 401, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 401, a bill for "An Act in reference to proof of disputed handwritings."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79; nays, 46.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cermak,	Gillespie,	Maclean,	Poulton,
Abrahams,	Church,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Riley,
Adkins,	Clark,	Grace,	McNichols,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	Mills,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Curran,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Black,	DeWolf,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
Blair,	Dillon,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Bolin,	Donahue,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Ton,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Foster,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	White,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Link,	Pierson,	Mr. Speaker.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Luke,		Yeas—79

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bardill,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Beck,	Etherton,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Finley,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Chapfield,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Tippit,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lane,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Durfee,	Groves, W. M.	Lederer,	Robinson,	Wright,
English,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	York,
Erby,				Nays—46

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Speaker gave notice that on tomorrow he would move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 401 had passed.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills reported that House amendments to Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 359.

"An Act concerning sinking funds."

SENATE BILL No. 99.

"An Act in regard to the administration of estates of persons presumed to be dead, by reason of seven years or longer absence from their former domicile in this State."

SENATE BILL No. 159.

"An Act to provide for the sale of the Kaskaskia commons upon the island of Kaskaskia in the county of Randolph, and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale; and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof."

SENATE BILL No. 77.

"An Act to give the circuit courts of this State and the superior courts of Cook county, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts, in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts, and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof, and to repeal an Act therein named."

SENATE BILL No. 350.

"An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification, and providing a penalty for violation thereof."

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 359, 99, 159, 77 and 350, were placed in the order of Senate Bills on third reading.

House Joint Resolution No. 27 offered by Mr. English on May 13th, being a special order for this day was taken up for consideration.

Whereupon, Mr. Hull offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Resolution No. 27 by adding to it the following: *Provided*, That the taxes shall be so equalized that no county shall pay more than one-third of the taxes levied for State purposes."

Mr. English moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

And on that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 85; nays, 56.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Gillespie,	Link,	Robinson.
Adkins,	Cliffe,	Grace,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Corcoran,	Gray,	Luke,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Crawford,	Groves, J.,	Lyon,	Shephard, H. A.
Behrens,	DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Staymates,
Bolin,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Morris,	Tippit,
Browne,	English,	Kannally,	Myers,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Espy,	Keck,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	White,
Bush,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Finley,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Flagg,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wright,
Carter,	Flannigen,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Chiperfield,	Foster,	Liggett,	Riley,	Mr. Sneaker.

Yeas—85

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Fulton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Galligan,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Shanahan,
Beck,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Brady,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lane,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Daley,	Hilton,	McConnell,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Erby,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Pierson,	Walsh,
Erickson,	Hope,	McNichols,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Fieldstack,	Hull,	Mills,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Forst,				Nays—56

The motion prevailed and amendment number 1 was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Lantz offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Joint Resolution by striking out the word "county" in the proviso of the resolution and inserting in lieu thereof the word "city."

Mr. English moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And amendment number 2 was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question recurring on the adoption of the resolution a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 87; nays, 55.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Shaw,
Bardill,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Shepherd, H. A.
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	McMackin,	Staymates,
Bolin,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	English,	Jewell,	Morris,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Espy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Etherton,	Keck,	Parker,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Ninley,	King,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Rutts,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Foster,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wright,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Riley,	York,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Link,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Gray,			Yeas—87

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Forst,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Church,	Gorman,	Maclean,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Curran,	Griffin,	McConnell,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
DeWolf,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Pierson,	Walsh,
Erby,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Erickson,	Hope,	Mills,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Fieldstack,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Schumacher,	Zipf,
				Nays—55

The foregoing resolution not having received the necessary two-thirds majority, was declared lost.

At the hour of 1:05 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 3:30 o'clock, p. m.

The motion prevailed.

The hour of 3:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called up Senate Bill No. 385, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 385, a bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 124.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Durfee,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	English,	Huston,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
ApMadic,	Erickson,	Hutzier,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Espy,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Browne,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Bush,	Glade,	Lantz,	Parker,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Grace,	Lederer,	Pervier,	White,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Groves, J.	Link,	Richardson,	Wright,
Clark,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hilton,	McCullum,	Scanlan,	Yeas—124

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McLaughlin, from the Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 286, being a bill for "An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other states and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chiperfield called up Senate Bill No. 11, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 11, a bill for "An Act to amend section 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 96; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher.
Adkins,	Cliffe,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
AmMadoc,	Curran,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Dillon,	Keck,	Morris,	Sollitt.
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns.
Behrens,	Erby,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson.
Black,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Terrill.
Blair,	Espy,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Walsh.
Brady,	Fieldston,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Welborn,
Browne,	Finley,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Forst,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Pierson,	White.
Bush,	Gorman,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Grace,	Lyon,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Grav,	Maclean,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Robinson,	Zipf
Chiperfield,	Haga,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,				Yeas--96

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Hilton, Ireland.

Nays--2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chiperfield called up Senate Bill No. 243, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 243, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to punish persons for wilful injury to lines, poles, and other apparatus used in transmitting or carrying electric current or messages.'"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chiperfield called up Senate Bill No. 145, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 145, a bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal certain Acts therein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 121.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Scott,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hu,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Black,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Finley,	King,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Burns,	Flags,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Bush,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Butts,	Foster,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Welborn,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lederer,	Poulton,	White,
Church,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Crawford,	Giffin,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Groves, J.,	Macleam,	Riley,	Wright,
DeWolf,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Dillon,				

—121

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 456, being a bill for "An Act to create a bureau of labor statistics and statistical details of manufacturing industries and commerce of the State and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 428, being a bill for "An Act to appropriate \$15,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying for additional improvements for and in connection with the construction of the Seventh Infantry, Illinois National Guard Armory, situated in the city of Chicago, State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 371, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the purchase of real estate adjacent and contiguous to the homestead of Abraham Lincoln, and providing for the improvement, care and custody of the same by the Lincoln homestead trustees."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 38, being a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Kenesaw Mountain, Georgia."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass. The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 314, being a bill for "An Act to create a traveling tuberculosis exhibit commission, to define its powers and duties, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary to which was referred Senate Bill No. 396, being a bill for "An Act for the sale to the Iroquois Iron Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 284, being a bill for "An Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 523, being a bill for "An Act for the sale to American Smelting and Refining Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 507, being a bill for "An Act to provide for the commitment and detention of idiots, imbeciles and persons of feeble mind."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 306, being a bill for "An Act granting certain lands in the city of Evanston and the title of certain submerged lands, adjoining said city, to the city of Evanston, for park and boulevard purposes."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 516, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act granting the right, power and authority, to the Chicago Exposition and Recreation Pier Company (incorporated) and its successors, to construct, maintain, and operate a recreation pier upon the submerged lands, and in the waters of Lake Michigan, extending easterly and perpendicular to the general trend of the shore line at Thirty-first street in the city of Chicago, with proper and necessary approaches."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 330, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 426, being a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act providing for the protection and safety of persons in and about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts and other structures, and to provide for the enforcement thereof,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by amending the title of said Act and sections two (2), three (3), five (5), six (6) and seven (7) of said Acts, and by adding a new section to said Acts to be known as section seven b (7b.)"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipfield, from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 331, being a bill for "An Act concerning limitations of interests in property."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 428, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 428, a bill for "An Act to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying for additional improvements for and in connection with the construction of the Seventh Infantry, Illinois National Guard Armory, situated in the city of Chicago, State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 456, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 456, a bill for "An Act to create a bureau of labor statistics and statistical details of manufacturing industries and com-

merce of the State, and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 501, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 501, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State educational institutions herein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Morris,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Shanahan,
Adkins,	English,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler.	Erickson,	Ireland.	Murray,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Espy,	Keck,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Stevenson.
Burgett,	Finley,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Sullivan.
Bush,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Tippit,
Campbell,	Geshkewich.	Lederer,	Perkins,	Ton,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Church,	Glade,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Walsh,
Clark,	Gorman,	Link,	Price,	Welborn,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Lyon,	Richardson,	Wheelan,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Curran,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Daley,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Hope,	Mills,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Donahue.	Hubry.	Montelius,	Schumacher.	Zipf.

Yeas—110

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 508, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois, and regulating the conditions and provisions of policies of life insurance companies organized under the laws of this State, or doing business herein,' approved May 20, 1907, in force January 1, 1908."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 120, being a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, as amended by Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 175, being a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to fire insurance.'"

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman, from the Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 57, being a bill for "An Act creating the office of State Fire Marshal, prescribing his duties and providing for his compensation and for the maintenance of his office."

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 490, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 490, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 122.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shephard, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hope,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Durfee,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Eglish,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Erby,	Ireland,	Myers,	Terrill,
Black,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Blair,	Espy,	Keck,	Nelson,	Ton,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Fahy,	King,	Parker,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Grace,	Liggett,	Robinson,	York,
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Schumacher,	
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Scott,	
Crawford,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	

Yeas—122

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 197, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 197, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 118.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Erby,	Hope,	Montellus,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hull,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Hutzier,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Brady,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Burns,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Bush,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Welborn,
Eutts,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Crawford,	Grace,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Daley,	Griffin,	Link,	Rigney,	York,
DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scanlan,	
Dillon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Yeas—118

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 521, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 521, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the expenses of a commission appointed by the Governor of this State under and by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 of the Forty-fifth General Assembly, adopted by the Senate May 11, 1907, and concurred in by the House of Representatives November 27, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 121.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hagan,	McNichols,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Bardill,	English,	Holaday,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beck,	Erby,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hope,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Brady,	Espy,	Hull,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Hutzier,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Burns,	Flagg,	King,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Ton,
Campbell,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Carter,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Crawford,	Grace,	Link,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Gray,	Maclean,	Riley,	Wright,
Daley,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Robinson,	York,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	McMackin,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Dillon,				Yeas—121

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butts called up Senate Bill No. 419, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 419, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Richardson,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Richter,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Rigney,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Riley,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Scanlan,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Mills,	Scott,
Beck,	English,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hull,	Morris,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Myers,	Stearns,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Burgett,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Church,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Cliffe,	Gray,	Logan,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Price,	Zipf,

Yeas—110

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up Senate Bill No. 332, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 332, a bill for "An Act to authorize corporations organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to provide a funeral benefit for their members."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Scott,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan.
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erby,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson.
Black,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hull,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Huston,	Myers,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Finley,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Wardell,
Browne,	Flagg,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Flannigen.	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Forst,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick.	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Rigney,	York,
Church,	Glade,	Link,	Riley,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Robinson.	

Yeas—109

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Lewis, O'Brien,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 56, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 56, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to meet a deficiency in the expenses for returning fugitives from justice."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Link,	Smejkal,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Staymates,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Erby,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Myers,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Espy,	Hull,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Blair,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Brady,	Finley,	Jewell,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Keck,	Poulton,	Wardell,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Price,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Richardson,	White,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Glade,	Lane,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Grace,	Lantz,	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gray,	Lawrence.	Scott,	Wright,
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Shanahan,	York,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Shepherd, F. W.	Zipf,
Cliffe,				

Yeas—106

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House amendments to a Senate Bill of the following title have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 448.

A bill for "An Act to revise the laws relating to charities."

The foregoing Senate Bill numbered 448, was placed in the order of Senate Bills on third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Price called up Senate Bill No. 377, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 377, a bill for 'An Act providing for the appointment of park commissioners under certain conditions and prescribing their duties.'

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote; Yeas, 101.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shaw
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Erickson,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Aischuler,	Etherton,	Hope,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Fahy,	Hull,	Morris,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beck,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Myers,	Terrill,
Black,	Forst,	Keck,	Naylor,	Ton,
Eurgett,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	King,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Rush,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lane,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Carter,	Grace,	Lantz,	Price,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	White,
Church,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Link,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Scanian,	Wilson, H. W.
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scott,	Wilson, R. E.
Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	Wright,
Dillon,				Yeas—101

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 68, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 68, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee-keepers Association."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 95; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beherns,	Erickson,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Black,	Espy,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Etherton,	Hope,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Hruby,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Butts,	Finley,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Campbell,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Ton,
Carter,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Galligan,	King,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pervier,	White,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Crawford,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Curran,	Grav,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Daley,	Griffin,	Link,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Groves, J.,	Logan,	Riley,	Wright,

Yeas—95

Those voting in the negative: Messrs.

Kannally,	McGuire,	Wheelan,	Nays—3
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Schumacher called up Senate Bill No. 230, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 230, a bill for "An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization and management of fraternal beneficiary societies, for the purpose of furnishing life indemnity or pecuniary benefits to beneficiaries of deceased members, or accident or permanent indemnity disability to members thereof, and to control such societies of this State and of other states doing business in this State, and providing and fixing the punishment for violation of the provisions thereof, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith,' approved and in force June 22, 1893, as amended by Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 95; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Riley,
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hamilton,	Link,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Holaday,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Espy,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Etherton,	Hope,	McCollum,	Stearns,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Finley,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Burns,	Foster,	Ireland,	McNichols,	Troyer,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Butts,	Galligan,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Wheelan,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kerrick,	Myers,	White,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Kleman,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gorman,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Grace,	Lane,	Pierson,	Wright,
Curran,	Gray,	Lantz,	Richardson,	York,
DeWolf,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Zipf

Yeas—95

Those voting in the negative: Messrs.

Fahy,

O'Toole,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Mills called up Senate Bill No. 415, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 415, a bill for "An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Rigney,
Abrahams,	Eurfee,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scott,
Alschuler,	English,	Hollenbeck,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Hull,	Mills,	Stearns,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Finley,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Burns,	Forst,	Jewell,	Murray,	Terrill,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Butts,	Galligan,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Church,	Glade,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	White,
Clark,	Gorman,	Lane,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Grace,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Corcoran,	Gray,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Pierson,	York,
Curran,	Groves, J.	Liggett,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Dillon,	Hagan,	Link,	Price,	Zipf,
Donahue,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Richter,	

Yeas—104

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Murphy, Wm.

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pervier called up Senate Bill No. 280, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 280, a bill for "An Act to regulate the public service of stallions in Illinois."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 43; nays, 66.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Purgett,	Gillespie,	Keck,	Perkins,
Adkins,	Carter,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Pervier,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Richardson,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Rigney,
Beck,	Espy,	Hollenbeck,	Maclean,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Eltherton,	Hull,	Montelius,	Ton,
Behrens,	Finley,	Huston,	Nelson,	Wilson, H. W.,
Black,	Flagg,	Ireland,	Parker,	York,
Brownback,	Fulton,	Jewell,		

Yeas—43

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Erickson,	Kowalski,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Fahy,	Lane,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Browne,	Forst,	Link,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Burns,	Galligan,	McCollum,	O'Neil,	Waish,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	McCnnell,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Glade,	McGuire,	Pierson,	Werdeil,
Clark,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Crawford,	Griffin,	McMackin,	Price,	White,
Curran,	Groves, J.	McNichols,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.,
DeWolf,	Hilton,	Morris,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
English,	King,	Murphy, E. J.	Shaw,	Zipf,
Erby,				Nays—66

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

Mr. Browne moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 280 had failed to pass.

Whereupon, Mr. Gorman moved to lay that motion upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Tippit moved that all Senate Bills on second and third reading, except appropriation bills, be ordered to lie upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And all Senate Bills on second and third reading, except appropriation bills, were ordered to lie upon the table.

At the hour of 6:40 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 8:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 8:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Tippit moved to reconsider the vote by which all Senate Bills on second and third reading, except the appropriation bills, were ordered to lie upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to reconsider, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the vote was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

The question then being, "Shall Senate Bills on second and third reading, except the appropriation bills, be ordered to lie upon the table?" it was decided in the negative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 262, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 262, a bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey.	Dillon,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Mills,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Myers,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Flagg,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Browne,	Galligan,	King,	Parker,	Tippit,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Ton,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Butts,	Glade,	Lane,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Grace,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Carter,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Richardson,	White,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Riley,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Curran,	Hope,	McMackin,	Scott,	Yeas—104

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 124.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the words and figures in lines two and three "three hundred sixty thousand two hundred and seventy-two dollars (\$360,272) per annum" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures, "three hundred thirty-one thousand two hundred and seventy-two dollars (\$331,272) per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line fifteen the figures "37,500.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "27,500.00."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the figures in line twenty-two "360,272.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "331,272.00."

Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 45.

A bill for "An Act to protect turnpike, gravel or macadam roads and to provide a penalty for its violation," together with the Senate amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments, I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out the word "turnpike" from the title of the bill.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out the word, "turnpike" in line three of the printed bill.

Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 448.

A bill for "An Act to amend an Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes," approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893, as amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1895.

Together with the Senate amendments thereto, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend House Bill No. 448 in the Senate by striking out of the printed bill the words and figures "eighteen (18)" in line 10 of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirty (30)."

Passed by the Senate with amendment, May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 537.

A bill for "An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering in the College of Engineering at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same," together with the following amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

Amend House Bill No. 537 in Senate by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 5, to read as follows:

Section 5. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the treasurer for the sum hereby appropriated, payable out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, upon the order of the board of trustees of said University attested by its secretary and with the corporate seal of said University thereto attached.

Passed by the Senate May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a House Bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 629.

A bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties, bridge, bridges and toll roads owned or constructed by cities or villages outside the cities or villages and to be forever kept open for public travel

and maintained by counties," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title, line one, by inserting after the word "bridges" the word "highway."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section one, line 3, after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" in line 5 of said section after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" in line 8, of said section after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" in line 9 of said section after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" and on page two of section one, line 12, after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway."

Passed by the Senate with amendments, May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 59.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the election of town clerks in counties under township organization (except in the county of Cook) and to fix their term of office," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by striking out of the title of said bill the words "except in the county of Cook."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by striking out of line 4 of sec. 1, of the printed bill the words "except in the county of Cook."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by inserting in line 4 of sec. 1, of the printed bill after the figures 1910 the words "and every two years thereafter."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by striking out all of line 6 in sec. 1, of the printed bill all words after the word "until" also line 7 and inserting in place thereof the words "their successors are elected and qualified." And the term of said office is fixed at two years.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the title by inserting after the word "clerks" the words "township assessors and township collectors."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend section one (1), line two (2) by inserting after the word "clerks" the words "township assessors and township collectors."

Passed by the Senate with amendments, May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:
Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 724.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 7, the figures "210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 8, the figures "406,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "375,000."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 9, the figures "225,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 10, the figures "205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 11, the figures "200,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "175,000."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 14, the figures "125,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "120,000."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 15, the figures "55,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "50,000."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 16, the figures "22,500," and insert in lieu thereof the figures "25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 18 the figures "205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "200,000."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 20, the figures "25,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "20,500."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 21 the figures "50,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "49,000."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 23, the figures "80,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "85,000."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 7, the figures "210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 8, the figures "406,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "375,000."

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 9, the figures "225,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 16.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 10, the figures "205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 17.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 11, the figures "200,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "175,000."

AMENDMENT No. 18.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 16, the figures "22,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 19.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 18, the figures "205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "200,000."

AMENDMENT No. 20.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 20, the figures "25,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "20,500."

AMENDMENT No. 21.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 21, the figures "50,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "49,000."

AMENDMENT No. 22.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 4, the figures "2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,322,000."

AMENDMENT No. 23.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 25, the figures "2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,322,000."

AMENDMENT No. 24.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 3, the figures "2,536,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,477,000."

AMENDMENT No. 25.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 25, the figures "2,536,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,477,000."

Passed the Senate, as amended, May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 724.

The motion prevailed.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said amendments.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 723.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 4, the figures "1,300,815.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "981,815.00."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 8, the figures "12,000" and "24,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000" and "20,000."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 12, the figures "2,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,000."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 16.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 21, the figures "120,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "113,000."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 23, the figures "45,000" and "90,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "30,000" and "60,000."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 27.

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 28, the figures "15,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "8,000."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 30, the figures "25,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "15,000."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 31, the figures "75,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "50,000."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 32.

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 33, the figures "253,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "157,000."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 35, the figures "14,000" and "28,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "12,000" and "24,000."

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 36, the figures "1,000" and "2,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,500" and "3,000."

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 40, the figures "2,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,500."

AMENDMENT No. 16.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 42.

AMENDMENT No. 17.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 44.

AMENDMENT No. 18.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 46, the figures "148,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "54,500."

AMENDMENT No. 19.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 48, the figures "25,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "35,000."

AMENDMENT No. 20.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 54, 55, 56 and 58.

AMENDMENT No. 21.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 60, the figures "1,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,500."

AMENDMENT No. 22.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 62, the figures "10,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "15,000."

AMENDMENT No. 23.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 63, the words "fire protection and water supply \$12,000" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two electric elevators \$7,000."

AMENDMENT No. 24.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 64 and 65.

AMENDMENT No. 25.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 66, the figures "154,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "102,000."

AMENDMENT No. 26.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 76, the figures "2,500" and "5,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "5,000" and "10,000."

AMENDMENT No. 27.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 77, the figures "8,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "5,000."

AMENDMENT No. 28.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 79.

AMENDMENT No. 29.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 83, the figures "124,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "116,000."

AMENDMENT No. 30.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 71.

AMENDMENT No. 31.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 111, the figures "1,250" and "2,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,000" and "4,000."

AMENDMENT No. 32.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 116, the figures "500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,000."

AMENDMENT No. 33.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 117, the words "farm house addition" and insert in lieu thereof the words "barn and pastuerizing plant."

AMENDMENT No. 34.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 120, the figures "61,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "63,000."

AMENDMENT No. 35.

Amend section 1, line 122, by striking out the figures "15,000" and "30,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000" and "20,000."

AMENDMENT No. 36.

Strike out in line 133, section 1, the figures "90,900" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "80,900."

AMENDMENT No. 37.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 135 the figures "3,500" and "7,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "3,000" and "6,000."

AMENDMENT No. 38.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 136, the figures "400" and "800" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "300" and "600."

AMENDMENT No. 39.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 137 the figures "2,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,000."

AMENDMENT No. 40.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 138, the figures "1,200" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,615."

AMENDMENT No. 41.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 139, the figures "600" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,000."

AMENDMENT No. 42.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 140.

AMENDMENT No. 43.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 142.

AMENDMENT No. 44.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 143 the figures "2,215" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,200."

AMENDMENT No. 45.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 144 the figures "4,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "3,000."

AMENDMENT No. 46.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 145, the words and figures "plumbing 1,000" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "new laundry 6,000."

AMENDMENT No. 47.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 148 the figures "2,250" and "4,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,500" and "3,000."

AMENDMENT No. 48.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 149.

AMENDMENT No. 49.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 15, the figures "6,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "3,500."

AMENDMENT No. 50.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 153, the figures "4,000" and "8,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "3,000" and "6,000."

AMENDMENT No. 51.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 155.

AMENDMENT No. 52.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 156, the figures "5,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "3,500."

AMENDMENT No. 53.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 158, the figures "18,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "13,000."

AMENDMENT No. 54.

Amend section 1, printed bill, by striking out line 169.

AMENDMENT No. 55.

Amend section 1, printed bill, by striking out line 171, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Infirmary and hospital, medical supplies and work, \$10,000."

AMENDMENT No. 56.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 57, the words "cow barn" and insert in lieu thereof the words "cement walks."

AMENDMENT No. 57.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 161, the word "patrolling" and insert in lieu thereof the word "paroling."

AMENDMENT No. 58.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 162, the figures "6,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "4,000."

AMENDMENT No. 59.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 172, the figures "84,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "74,000."

AMENDMENT No. 60.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 182, the figures "20,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 61.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 187.

AMENDMENT No. 62.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 192.

AMENDMENT No. 63.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 193, the figures "94,100" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "59,100."

Passed the Senate, as amended, May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 723.

The motion prevailed.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said amendments.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The foregoing messages reporting Senate amendments to House Bills numbered 59, 629, 537, 448, 45 and 124, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 517, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 517, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the State educational institutions herein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 106.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Groves. W. M.	Maclean.	Schumacher.
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McMackin.	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
AmMadoc,	DeWolf,	Hone,	Montelius.	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns.
Behrens,	Durfee,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Stevenson,
Black,	English,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Erby,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brady,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Tippit,
Browne,	Espy,	King,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Kittleman,	Poulton,	Welborn,
Bush,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Price,	Werdell,
Butts,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Richardson,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Forst,	Lane,	Richter.	Wilson, F. J.,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Rigney.	Wilson, G. H.
Cernak,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lewis.	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker,
Clark,				Yeas—106

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 345, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 345, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 112.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Robinson,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMaſoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Beck,	English,	Huston,	Mills,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsn,
Black,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Welhorn,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Brady,	Flagg,	Keck,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	White,
Burns,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kittleman,	O'Toole,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wright,
Church,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Price,	York,
Clark,	Grace,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Grav,	Lewis,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Griffin,	Link,	Rigney,	
Curran,	Groves, J.	Logan,		

Yeas—112

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,

Nays—

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 276.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association."

HOUSE BILL No. 634.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Department of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 290.

A bill for "An Act to make an appropriation to the State Milk Producers' Institute." An Act to appropriate \$1,000 for the Milk Producers' Institute of Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 382.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts awarded by the Court of Claims to certain persons named therein."

HOUSE BILL No. 524.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for procuring documents, papers and materials and publications relating to the Northwest and the State of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 704.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly and for salaries of the officers of the State government."

HOUSE BILL No. 189.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Grant Home Association."

HOUSE BILL No. 32.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Poultry Association."

HOUSE BILL No. 68.

A bill for "An Act to make an appropriation for the benefit, aid and maintenance of the Illinois Firemen's Association."

HOUSE BILL No. 190.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society."

HOUSE BILL No. 196.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association."

HOUSE BILL No. 432.

A bill for "An Act for the relief of Albert W. Leidel."

HOUSE BILL No. 307.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of the damages suffered by and as a compensation for the injury to Frank Robert Giroux in favor of the father of said Giroux."

HOUSE BILL No. 587.

A bill for "An Act concerning the publication of legal notices."

HOUSE BILL No. 108.

A bill for "An Act to amend section ten (10) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies,' approved June 2, 1877, in force July 1, 1877."

HOUSE BILL No. 585.

A bill for "An Act to amend section eleven (11) of article three (3) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State,' approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885;' as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891,' as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

HOUSE BILL No. 297.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto, approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872,' title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

HOUSE BILL No. 243.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

HOUSE BILL No. 701.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 42 of article III of an Act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,' approved May 21, 1889, and in force May 21, 1889, as heretofore amended."

Passed by the Senate May 28, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 337, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 337, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alison,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Smekkal,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bardil,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Staymates,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Win.	Stevenson,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Brady,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdehl,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Link,	Richter,	Wright,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Riley,	York,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zipf.

Yeas—110.

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 27, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 27, a bill for "An Act to appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for purchase of portrait of Patrick Henry."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 121; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Daley,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Keck,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Durfee,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Black,	English,	King,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Blair,	Erickson,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Bolin,	Esny,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Brady,	Etherton,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Flagg,	Liggett,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.,
Butts,	Foster,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Luke,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Galligan,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Riley,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Robinson,	York,
Church,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Clark,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,				

Yeas—121

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Grace,	Hilton,	Kirkpatrick,	Lyon,	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 520, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 520, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the acquisition of land for the re-location of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals and for the building of a new Illinois State Penitentiary and a new Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals at or near the city of Joliet."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Huston,	Mills,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terrill,
Black,	Flagg,	Keck,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Forst,	King,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Butts,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Carter,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	White,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.,
Clark,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Crawford,	Grace,	Liggett,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Griffin,	Link,	Robinson,	Wright,
Daley,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Schumacher,	York,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Scott,	Zinger,
Dillon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	Zipf,
Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shaw,	

Yeas—114

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 326, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 326, a bill for "An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 124.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Huston,	Mills,	Shaw,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Lurfee,	Ireland,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Eroy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrili,
Bolin,	Eiherton,	King,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Browne,	Foster,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Welborn,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Gray,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Rigney,	York,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Robinson,	Zipf.
Curran,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—124

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 355, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 355, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 131.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Bardill,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Blair,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Brady,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Myers,	Terriil,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Browne,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Kittleman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Foster,	Kleman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lane,	Poulton,	White,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Rigrey,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	Lyon,	Riley,	York,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,				

Yeas—131

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 537, a bill for "An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering in the College of Engineering at the University of Illinois, and providing for the support of the same."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 537 in Senate, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 5, to read as follows:

Section 5. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the treasurer for the sum hereby appropriated, payable out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, upon the order of the Board of Trustees of said University, attested by its secretary and with the corporate seal of said University thereto attached.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 537, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 119.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Logan,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	Luke,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	English,	Hope,	Lyon,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hull,	McCollum,	Stearns,
Brady,	Espy,	Huston,	McConnell,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	McGuire,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Ireland,	McLaughlin,	Terrill,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Tippit,
Bush,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Mills,	Ton,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Morris,	Walsh,
Carter,	Foster,	King,	Murphy, E. J.	Welborn,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Wheelan,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Kittleman,	Nelson,	White,
Church,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.,
Clark,	Glade,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Wilson, G. H.
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wilson, H. W.
Corcoran,	Gray,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Griffin,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wright,
Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Lederer,	Poulton,	York,
Daley,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Richter,	Zinger,
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Riley,	Zipf,
Dillon,	Hilton,	Link,	Robinson,	Yeas—119

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 537.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 45, a bill for "An Act to protect turnpike, gravel or macadam roads and to provide a penalty for its violation."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend by striking out the word "turnpike" from the title of the bill.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend by striking out the word "turnpike" in line 3 of the printed bill.

Mr. Grace moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 45, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 96; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	English,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Erby,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Erickson,	Huston,	Mills,	Shephard, F. W.
Beckmeyer,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Black,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Keck,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Butts,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Campbell,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pierson,	White,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.,
Crawford,	Gorman,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Daley,	Grace,	Luke,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Gray,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Wright,
Dillon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Riley,	Zinger,
Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Durfee,				Yeas—96

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Beck,	Burns,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Nays—4
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And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 45.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 629, a bill for "An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties, bridge, bridges and toll roads owned or constructed by cities or villages and to be forever kept open for public travel and maintained by counties."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title, line one, by inserting after the word "bridges" the word "highway."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section one, line 3, after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" in line 5 of said section after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" in line 8, of said section after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" in line 9, of said section after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway;" and on page two of section 1, line 12, after the word "bridges" insert the word "highway."

Mr. Wheelan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 629, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	English,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shepard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Black,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	King,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flagg,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Wardell,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Glade,	Liggett,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.,
Chipersfield,	Grace,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Gray,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Griffin,	Luke,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Richter,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Rigney,	
Dillon,	Hamilton,	McCennell,	Riley,	Yeas—103

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 629.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack, from the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 476, being a bill for "An Act requiring cities and villages and incorporated towns to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness to the voters of any such city or village or incorporated town."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto and recommends that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland called up Senate Bill No. 448, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to revise the laws relating to charities."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Tippit,
Brady,	Etherton,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Trover,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Walsh,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Welborn,
Browne,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Wheeler,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	O'Neil,	White,
Carter,	Forst,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Chipherfield,	Galligan,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Gillespie,	Link,	Poulton,	Wright,
Clark,	Glade,	Logan,	Price,	York,
Cliffe,	Grace,	Luke,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	McCullum,	Schumacher,	Yeas—104

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. McLaughlin called up Senate Bill No. 286, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 286, a bill for "An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other states and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 284, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 284, a bill for "An Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 396, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 396, a bill for "An Act for the sale to the Iroquois Iron Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 523, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 523, a bill for "An Act for the sale to American Smelting and Refining Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up Senate Bill No. 272, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 272, a bill for "An Act in relation to the adoption, use and price of public school text books in the free public schools of this State."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Zipf offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 272 in House by striking out all of section 1 after the word "the" in line 27 and inserting in lieu thereof the following words "lowest retail prices for which said books are sold in any other State. The publisher or contractor shall be required to enter into a bonded contract guaranteeing that the prices quoted are as low as the lowest prices ever quoted for the same books under similar conditions and that, in the event of the books being sold at lower prices elsewhere, the contract prices shall be reduced to correspond with such lower rates; and further guaranteeing that in the event of a book of the same name but slightly different in character, or a book of a different name but practically the same book, being found to be sold or offered at a lower price, the board of directors or the board of education shall have the right to adopt the changed edition of the book at the lower rate as a substitute for the contract book."

Amend section 10 by striking out all of line six and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "contract retail prices of the new books furnished in exchanges."

Mr. Holaday moved to lay the amendment upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And amendment No. 1 was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Brownback called up Senate Bill No. 357, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 357, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the suppression and prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield called up Senate Bill No. 497, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 497, a bill for "An Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any mechanical establishment or factory or laundry in order to safeguard the health of such employ  s, to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Lantz offered the following amendment, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 497 by inserting in line 2 of section 1 of the printed bill, after the word "mechanical", the words "manufacturing or mercantile."

Mr. Cermak moved to lay the amendment upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And amendment number 1 was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question then being, "Shall the bill be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. J. Wilson called up Senate Bill No. 476, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 476, a bill for 'An Act requiring cities and villages and incorporated towns to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness to the voters of any such city or village or incorporated towns.'

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Revenue offered the following amendments to Senate Bill and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the title of Senate Bill No. 476 in the House to read as follows:

An Act requiring cities, villages and incorporated towns to submit certain ordinances authorizing the issue of bonds, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness, to the voters of any such city or village or incorporated town.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 in the House by striking out of lines 4 and 5 in section 1 of the printed bill the words: "or other obligations" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "In any amount exceeding \$15,000 in any fiscal year; and by inserting in line 8 of section 1 of the printed bill, after the word "election" the following words: "or any special election called for that purpose."

Mr. Browne moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the amendment number 2 was ordered to lie upon the table.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing amendment No. 1 was ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope called up Senate Bill No. 528, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 528, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of article XII of chapter twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing,' approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter called up Senate Bill No. 519, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 519, a bill for "An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1889, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Huston called up Senate Bill No. 273, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 273, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign fire insurance companies for the benefit of organized fire departments,' in force July 1, 1895, of which section 1 was amended by Act approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 465, being a bill for "An Act relating to deep waterways in the State of Illinois."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 525, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 525, a bill for "An Act to provide for the manner of filling vacancies, other than that of Governor of the State, in any of the elective State offices of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal called up Senate Bill No. 465, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Canal, River Improvements and Commerce offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 465, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 465 by striking out the title of said bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill for an Act to create a waterway commission and make an appropriation therefor."

Mr. Hull moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

And the motion was lost.

The question recurring on the adoption of amendment No. 1.

It was decided in the affirmative and the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 465 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

That the Governor shall, within ten days after this Act takes effect, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint a commission of seven members, not more than four of whom shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party, to be known as the Waterway Commission of Illinois. The duty of said commission shall be to carry out the provisions of this Act, and each member shall be entitled to receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, excepting the chairman of the Commission, who shall be entitled to receive two hundred and fifty dollars per month; *Provided*, that such compensation shall be limited to the time necessary to perform the duties imposed by this Act, said time not to extend for a longer period than twelve months.

Sec. 2. The commission shall proceed forthwith to secure all necessary data, make all sufficient and needful investigations, and prepare plans and estimates of cost for a deep waterway and the works accessory thereto, authorized by the amendment to the Constitution of Illinois adopted at the election on November 3, 1908, said plans and estimates to be based upon the construction of a channel of an ultimate depth of not less than twenty-four feet, and to be otherwise in conformity with the recommendations of the Internal Improvement Commission of Illinois, submitted to the Forty-fifth General Assembly on April 10, 1907. The route of the deep waterway shall be by way of the sanitary district channel and the natural channel of the Desplaines and Illinois rivers, from the Lake Michigan level and the present water power plant of the sanitary and ship canal, of Chicago, near Lockport, in Lockport township, Will county, to a point at or near Utica, in LaSalle county. The channel of the Joliet level, extending from Lockport to Lake Joliet, shall be based upon the ultimate depth and width, below the northern city limits of Joliet, or not less than four hundred feet between masonry dock walls. The channel below the Joliet level may be based upon a preliminary depth of not less than fourteen feet on a bottom width of not less than two hundred feet. All permanent structures in connection with the deep waterway shall be based upon an ultimate depth of not less than twenty-four feet in the channel; bridges shall have draw spans not less than four hundred feet in length over all, with two openings of not less than one hundred sixty feet each in the clear; locks shall be five in number and not less than one hundred eight feet in width and nine hundred sixty feet in effective length. The site for locks, dams and water-power plants shall in general be so selected as to extend the several levels or pools down stream as far as practicable. The Kankakee level shall in particular extend below the mouth of the Kankakee river and as near to the city of Morris as physical conditions will permit, and the Morris level shall be extended to the vicinity of the city of Ottawa and so as to admit the diversion of the Fox river into the said level.

Sec. 3. The commission on or before January first, 1910, shall make a report, setting forth its plans of estimates and submit the same to the Governor and the General Assembly, and confer with the proper authorities of the United States of America and any agency authorized by Congress in

regard to a program of coöperation and joint action by which the United States of America shall undertake or provide for those features which pertain most immediately to the easement for navigation, as locks and swing bridges, and to the end that all work shall be in harmony and of approved design and quality. In the consideration of all common purposes the United States Engineer officer immediately in charge of the Illinois division of the deep waterway may, with the consent of the Secretary of War, be an *ex officio* member of the commission, in an advisory capacity only, and be allowed his incidental expenses as in the case of other members of the commission.

Sec. 4. The commission is authorized and empowered to employ any help and make all expenditures that may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 5. For the purposes of this Act, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 6. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer for the sums herein appropriated, said warrants to be drawn only on itemized bills certified by the chairman of the commission and approved by the Governor.

Mr. Hull moved to lay the amendment upon the table.

And the motion was lost.

The question recurring on the adoption of amendment No. 2.

It was decided in the affirmative and the amendment was adopted.

The foregoing amendments numbered 1 and 2 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 5, being a bill for "An Act to establish a Legislative Aid Department for the State Government and to appropriate money therefor."

Reported the same back with amendments thereto, with the recommendation that the amendments be adopted and that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the bill ordered to a second reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 5, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 5, a bill for "An Act to establish a legislative aid department for the State government and to appropriate money therefor."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 5, and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Strike out all after the words, "a bill" in the title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"For an Act to establish a Legislative Aid Department of the State government."

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois represented in the General Assembly:* That the Secretary of State and two others who shall be appointed by the Governor, who shall not be of the same political party and who shall serve without compensation, shall constitute a commission which shall be known as the Legislative Aid Commission; said

commission is hereby authorized and directed to establish and maintain a department to be known as the Legislative Aid Department, which department shall comprise a Legislative Reference Library and a Legislative Drafting Division, and said commission shall appoint such employes and clerical force as may be deemed necessary for the conduct of said department."

On the adoption of the foregoing amendment a division of the House was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 83; nays, 5.

And amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Mr. Lantz moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Whereupon, Mr. Stearns moved to lay that motion on the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the negative.

The question recurring on the motion to strike out the enacting clause, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the enacting clause was stricken out and Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. King called up Senate Bill No. 57, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 57, a bill for "An Act creating the office of State Fire Marshal, prescribing his duties and providing for his compensation and for the maintenance of his office."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. King called up Senate Bill No. 120, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 120, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, as amended by Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. King called up Senate Bill No. 446, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 446, a bill for "An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dudgeon called up Senate Bill No. 463, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 463, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman called up Senate Bill No. 508, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 508, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois, and regulating the conditions and provisions of policies of life insurance companies, organized under the laws of this State, or doing business herein,' approved May 20, 1907, in force January 1, 1908."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. G. H. Wilson called up Senate Bill No. 330, in the order of second reading and,

Senate Bill No. 330, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

The House proceeding upon the order of Senate Bills on Second Reading:

Senate Bill No. 47, a bill for "An Act to provide for the fees of county clerks in counties of first and second class, and to provide for the payment of the same."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time,

Whereupon, the Committee on Fees and Salaries offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 47 and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Strike out all of the title after the words "a bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"For an Act to amend section 18, of 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section 1, strike out all after the enacting clause up to and including the word "designated" on line 5 thereof, and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"That section 18 of 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872; title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

On page 1, line 6, before the word "for" insert the following words and figures: "Section 18:"

And the amendment was adopted.

The foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Senate Bill No. 373, a bill for "An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages,' approved February 27, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. G. H. Wilson called up Senate Bill No. 331, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 331, a bill for "An Act concerning limitations of interests in property."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Ireland called up Senate Bill No. 248, in the order of second reading, and,

Senate Bill No. 248, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics, and to provide for the appointment and removal of conservators, and to repeal certain Acts therein named,' approved June 21, 1893, in force July 1, 1893."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Pierson asked unanimous consent to call up Senate Bill No. 433, in the order of second reading.

Objections being heard, Mr. Pierson moved to suspend the rules for that purpose.

And the motion prevailed.

And Senate Bill No. 433, a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation, for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and authorizing the suspension of final judgment and the imposition of sentence upon persons found guilty of certain defined crimes and offenses, and legalizing their ultimate discharge without punishment."

Having been printed, was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Cermak offered the following amendments, and moved their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 433 by inserting after the word "continuance" in line 13 of section 4 the following words: "*Provided*, however, that for all violations of municipal ordinance the period of parole shall not exceed six months."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 433 by inserting after the word "Provide," in line 13 of section 5 the following words, "*Provided* that paragraph 3 of section 5 shall not apply to cases for violation of municipal ordinances unless the trial judge shall order the probationer to comply therewith."

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 433, section 11, by striking out all of line 13, 14 and 15.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 433 by striking out the words "may become" in line 3 of section 13 and insert in lieu thereof the word "is" and by striking out the words "arrested or subject to trial" in line 3 of section 13.

And the amendment was adopted.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 433 by striking out the words "including volunteers" in section 14, line 3.

And the amendment was adopted.

The foregoing amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Browne asked unanimous consent to call up Senate Bill No. 387, in the order of second reading.

Objections being heard, Mr. Browne moved to suspend the rules for that purpose,

And the motion prevailed.

And Senate Bill No. 387, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies," approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. ApMadoc moved to strike out the enacting clause.

And on that motion a division of the House was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 47; nays, 29.

The motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 387 was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 466, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 466, a bill for "An Act to provide in counties of the third class for the licensing of court reporters and to regulate the practice of court reporting."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 362, in the order of second reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 362, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to mills and millers and dams for mills and other machinery and navigation,' approved March 2, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up and read at large a second time.

Whereupon, Mr. Riley moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Gray moved to lay that motion on the table.

And the motion was lost.

And the question recurring on the motion to strike out the enacting clause, it was decided in the affirmative.

And Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan, from the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 29, offered by Mr. Parker,

Reported the same back with the recommendation that it be not adopted.

The report of the committee was concurred in and the resolution was ordered to lie upon the table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up Senate Bill No. 32, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 32, a bill for "An Act to amend section 25 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up Senate Bill No. 175, in the order of second reading; and,

Senate Bill No. 175, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to fire insurance.'"

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 187, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 16a."

Being a special order for this day and having heretofore been read at large a second time on May 21 was again taken up.

And the pending question being, the consideration of amendment number 4.

The question being, "Shall the amendment be adopted?" it was decided in the negative.

And the amendment was lost.

Mr. Behrens moved to reconsider the vote by which amendment No. 2 was, on May 21st, adopted.

The motion prevailed and the vote by which amendment number 2 was adopted, was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

Whereupon, Mr. Behrens moved to lay amendment number 2 upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And amendment No. 2 was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Behrens offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 187 in House, by striking out in section 1 all after the word "Assembly" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"That section 23 of 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 18, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907," be amended as hereinafter set forth, and also that said Act be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 16a, which said section shall read as follows:

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Foster moved to strike out the enacting clause.

And the motion was lost.

The foregoing amendments numbered 1, 3 and 5 were ordered printed and engrossed,

And the question then being, "Shall the bill, as amended, be ordered to a third reading?" it was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up Senate Bill No. 436, in the order of second reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 436, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to landlord and tenant,' approved May 1, 1873, in force July 1, 1873."

Was taken up, read at large a second time and ordered to a third reading.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, reported that House amendments to Senate Bills of the following titles have been correctly engrossed and returned herewith:

SENATE BILL No. 187.

"An Act to amend 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 16a."

SENATE BILL No. 476.

"An Act requiring cities and villages and incorporated towns to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness to the voters of any such city or village or incorporated town."

SENATE BILL No. 47.

"An Act to provide for the fees of county clerks in counties of first and second class and to provide for the payment of the same."

SENATE BILL No. 433.

"An Act providing for a system of probation, for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and authorizing the suspension of final judgment and the imposition of sentence upon persons found guilty of certain defined crimes and offenses and legalizing their ultimate discharge without punishment."

The foregoing Senate Bills numbered 187, 476, 47 and 433 were placed in the order of Senate Bills on third reading.

Mr. Shanahan moved that all Senate Bills on the order of second reading and all Senate Bills in committees other than the Engrossing and Enrolling Committee be ordered to lie upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Griffin offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 60.

WHEREAS, An all wise Providence has seen fit to remove from his earthly sphere of usefulness a former member of this House, the Honorable Thomas J. McNally, who served his constituency well and faithfully during the 33d and 34th General Assemblies of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The said Thomas J. McNally was a man beloved by all who knew him, faithful to his duty and all his trusts; a credit to the city of Chicago, where he lived, to the State of Illinois, which he served so long and faithfully, and to the constituency which elected him; and

WHEREAS, We, as members of the 46th General Assembly, deeply deplore the untimely taking off of a valued member of society, and the loss to the State of Illinois of a valued citizen; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois extend to the family and friends of the Honorable Thomas J. McNally its sincere and heartfelt sympathy in the loss of their kind relative and true friend; and, be it further

Resolved, That this preamble and resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, and that a copy suitably engrossed and signed by the Speaker and Clerk of the House, be forwarded to the family of the deceased and that as a further mark of respect this House do now adjourn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And in accordance therewith at the hour of 11:59 o'clock, p. m., the House stood adjourned.

SATURDAY, MAY 29, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. York, the further reading of the same was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Pierson called up Senate Bill No. 312, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 312, a bill for "An Act to amend section sixty-one (61) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved March 31, 1874, as amended by Acts approved respectively, May 20, 1879, June 14, 1887, June 26, 1895, and May 18, 1905."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 87; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Etherton,	Huston,	McConnell,	Rigney,
Adkins,	Fiedstack,	Hutzler,	McGuire,	Robinson,
Alschuler,	Finley,	Ireland,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,
AmMadoc,	Flagg,	Jewell,	Mills,	Scott,
Bardill,	Forst,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Butts,	Glade,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Werdell,
Carter,	Grace,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Groves, W. M.	Lewis,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Hagan,	Link,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Durfee,	Hamilton,	Luke,	Poulton,	Wright,
English,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Price,	York,
Erby,	Holaday,	McCillum,	Richter,	Zipf,
Erickson,	Hull,			

Yeas—87

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

DeWolf,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Chiperfield offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 32.

WHEREAS, There is great need in the State of Illinois for a surgical institute for children where the afflicted crippled children of poor parents can

be treated at the expense of the State, with the hope that as the result of such treatment, such children may become self-sustained men and women; and

WHEREAS, In Illinois, there is no free institution for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, The Forty-fifth General Assembly committed itself to this object by the passage of a bill appropriating \$60,000.00 for this purpose, but which was necessarily vetoed for want of funds; and

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives has at this session again passed such bill; and

WHEREAS, It is suggested that at several of the existing State institutions there are buildings available for such purpose, or which can without great expense be adapted to the use of such institutions; and

WHEREAS, It is very desirable to intelligently proceed with this plan, after obtaining full information on this subject; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That we cordially approve of the establishment of such surgical institution, and firmly commit ourselves to such project and pledge ourselves at such subsequent time as may be possible by our votes to establish a surgical institution for crippled children; and, be it further -

Resolved, That the Governor is hereby authorized to appoint a commission of five to make a complete investigation of this subject, and to include in such investigation the availability of existing institutions and to make a full report thereon to the Governor and the General Assembly not later than September 1, 1909."

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Brownback called up Senate Bill No. 357, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 357, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to the suppression and prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 96.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Gorman,	McCollum,	Shaw.
Adkins,	Curran,	Grace,	Mills.	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
ApMadoz,	Donahue.	Hagan,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hull,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hutzler,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Erby,	Jewell,	Perkins,	Ton,
Brady,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Pervier,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Keck,	Pierson,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Poulton,	Welborn,
Browne,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	Werdell,
Eurgett,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Richardson,	Wheeler,
Burns,	Forst,	Lane,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Glade,	Link,	Scott,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,				

Yeas—96

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Huston called up Senate Bill No. 174, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 174, a bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 80.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Daley,	Gray,	Icke,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Lyon.	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Scott,
Bardill,	English,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Bolin,	Erby,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Erady,	Erickson,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Hull,	Morris,	Terrill,
Browne,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Burns,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Welbern,
Bush,	Finley,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Wheelan.
Butts,	Forst,	Kannally,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Pierson,	Wright,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Richardson,	York,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Zinger,
Clark,	Glade,	Liggett,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Grace,	Logan,	Robinson,	Yeas—80
Crawford,				

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chiperfield called up Senate Bill No. 243, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 243, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to punish persons for wilful injury to lines, poles and other apparatus used in transmitting or carrying electric current or messages.'"

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Gorman,	Luke,	Scott
Adkins,	Daley,	Grace,	Lyon,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Gray,	McCollum,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Groves, W. M.	Mills,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	English,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Blair,	Erby,	Hull,	Morris,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Welbern,
Brownback,	Espy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	White,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Finley,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Flagg,	Lantz,	Price,	Wright,
Carter,	Forst,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	York,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Yeas—79

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield called up Senate Bill No. 525, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 525, a bill for "An Act to provide for the manner of filling vacancies, other than that of Governor of the State in any of the elective State offices of the State of Illinois."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 97; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	McCollum,	Scott,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Grace,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Gray,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Daley,	Griffin,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Montelius,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Brady,	English,	Huston,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Erb,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Ton,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Browne,	Espy,	Jewell,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	King,	Price,	White,
Bush,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Forst,	Liggett,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Foster,	Logan,	Robinson,	Wright,
Chipperfield,	Fulton,	Luke,	Scanlan,	York,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Clark,	Glade,			

Yeas—97

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Hilton,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Smejkal called up Senate Bill No. 465, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Griffin,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Mills,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Staymates,
Behrens,	English,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Black,	Erby,	Keck,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Blair,	Erickson,	King,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brady,	Espy,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Browne,	Fahy,	Lantz,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Finley,	Lederer,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Forst,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Foster,	Link,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Galligan,	Logan,	Richter,	York,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Riley,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Glade,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Yeas—109

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Grace,	Hull,	Kirkpatrick,	Montelius,	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 128.

A bill for "An Act making appropriation for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois," together with the Senate amendment thereto, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 8, 9, 10 and 11.

Passed by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 125.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill in lines two and three by striking out the words and figures "ninety-one thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$91,495.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "eighty-one thousand four hundred ninety-five dollars (\$81,495.00)."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out lines 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11.
Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 23, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 115.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 4 and 5 the words and figures "five hundred thousand (500,000)" and insert in lieu thereof of the words and figures "five hundred and twenty-five thousand (525,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 9, the words and figures "five thousand (5,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words the figures "two thousand (2,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 10 the words and figures "fifty thousand (50,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five thousand (25,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 15, the words and figures "five thousand (5,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "two thousand five hundred (2,500)."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 18 and 19 the words and figures "eighty-two thousand five hundred (\$82,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "eighty thousand (80,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 21, the words and figures "seventeen thousand five hundred (17,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifteen thousand (15,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 22 and 23 the words and figures "two thousand five hundred (2,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "six thousand (6,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 28, the letters "etc."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Aemnd the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 28 and 29 the words and figures "twenty-seven thousand five hundred (27,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five thousand (25,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 32 and 33 the words and figures "sixteen thousand five hundred (16,500,)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifteen thousand (15,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 34 and 35, the words and figures "ten thousand (10,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand (5,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend the printed bill by inserting in section 1, after line 37 the following "for maintenance and equipment of chemical laboratory ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, line 3, the words and figures "six thousand (6,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "three thousand (3,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, lines 6 and 7 the words and figures "fifty-eight thousand (58,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "forty thousand (40,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 15

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 2, lines 8, 9, 10 and 11. Passed by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 740.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 740 by striking out in line 6 the words "six" and inserting the word "five" and by striking out the figures "6,100,000" and inserting the figures "5,100,000."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend line 7 by striking out the word "six" and inserting the word "five."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend line 8 by striking out "6,100,000" and inserting "5,100,000."

Passed by the Senate with amendments May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a House bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 730.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly," together with the following amendments thereto in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend printed bill by striking out in line 38, section 1, the figures "1,200" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,500."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 38, section 1, the figures "1,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,200."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 42, section 1, the figures "1,800" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,800."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the printed bill by inserting after the words "per annum" in line 89, section 1, the following, "for expenses of library extension commission, \$1,500 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the printed bill by adding after article fifteen an article to be known as article fifteen and one-half, to read as follows: "To the Secretary of State, such sums from fees received for automobiles and chauffeur licenses as may be necessary for the purchase of certificates of registration, license tags, and other expenses in connection with the enforcement of the Automobile Law."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend the printed bill line 118, by inserting after 2,400 per annum, "for one stenographer, \$1,000 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 166, section 1, the figures "8,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend the printed bill by inserting on page 9, line 215, after the figures "3,000" the following, "for the payment of services of Adrian Sizer, of Washington, D. C., for legal services rendered in the procurement of moneys due from the government arising out of claims for Spanish-American War Veterans, the sum of \$12,400."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 234, section 1, the figures "2,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,600."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 235, section 1, the figures "5,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "5,200."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 235, section 1, the figures "1,400" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,500."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 241, section 1, the figures "1,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,800."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 242, section 1, the figures "1000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,500."

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 271, section 1, the figures "800" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "840."

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 272, section 1, the figures "2,400" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,520."

AMENDMENT No. 16.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 273, section 1, after the words "conductors" the figures "800" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "840."

AMENDMENT No. 17.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 273, section 1, the figures "1,600" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1680."

AMENDMENT No. 18.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 291, section 1, the figures "1,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,200."

AMENDMENT No. 19.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the forty-second article on page 14 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Forty-second: To the Trustees of the Illinois State Museum of Natural History, for salary of curator \$3,000 per annum; for salary of assistant curator \$1,200 per annum; for specimens and materials \$1,500; for janitor \$840 per annum; for repairs and purchase of cases \$1,000; for office and other expenses \$800 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 20.

Amend the printed bill by inserting after the word "inspector" in line 354, section 1, the following: "For traveling and hotel expenses to Scranton and Pittsburg, Pa., to attend a meeting of the Mine Inspectors Institute of the U. S. of America, June 7-12, 1909, the sum of \$600."

AMENDMENT No. 21.

Amend the printed bill by inserting in line 357 after "800 per annum" the following: "one parole clerk \$1,000 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 22.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 392 and 393, section 1, the words "for salary of assistant chief inspector, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, \$1,200 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 23.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 395, section 1, the figures "9,600" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,800."

AMENDMENT No. 24.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 433, section 1, the figures "720" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "840."

AMENDMENT No. 25.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 464, section 1, the figures "15,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "16,000."

AMENDMENT No. 26.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 471, section 1, the figures "3,600" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "3,000."

AMENDMENT No. 27.

Amend the printed bill by striking out article 61, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Sixty-first. To the State Food Commission, the unexpended balance on hand September 30, 1909, appropriated in article 61 of an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly. Approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and the additional sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) to be expended as follows:

"For expenses six State analysts, \$1,500 per annum; for expenses of sixteen inspectors, \$16,000 per annum; for expenses of laboratory office supplies, \$1,500 per annum; for rent of office and laboratory, \$3,600 per annum, for postage, \$3,000 per annum; for expenses of State Food Commission, \$5,000 per annum; for express, telegraph, telephone and office expense, \$1,300 per annum; for expenses of Food Standard Commission, \$2,000 per annum; for expenses of attorney, \$500 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 28.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the 55th article and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Fifty-fifth. To the State Factory Inspector, for rent, light, traveling expenses of inspector and deputy inspector, salaries of stenographers and typewriters (to act as clerks when necessary), telephoning, telegraphing, express charges, postage, printing, office supplies and all other necessary expenses, \$30,000 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 29.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 521, section 1, figures "600" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "720."

AMENDMENT No. 30.

Amend the printed bill by inserting after the figures "7,500" line 533, section 1, the following:

"For preparing and engraving illustrations and maps for printing and binding the reports of the survey; all printing contracts to be approved by the Printer Expert, the sum of \$2,500 per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 31.

Amend the printed bill by inserting in line 546, section 1, after the figures "3,000" the following:

"To Lyman E. Cooley of Chicago, for claims in full on account of the deep waterway, as follows: Claim on account of extraordinary service rendered between September 15, 1907, and March 1, 1908, \$1,900; for extraordinary service between September 15 and December 31, 1908, in connection with the Chicago convention, the Constitutional amendment, and in Washington, \$1,200; for extraordinary service between January 1 and March 31, 1909, \$500; for unpaid expense account, August 1 to December 31, 1908, \$562.23; for bills for expenses from January 1 to March 31, 1909, \$354.98; total \$4,517.21. Upon the written request of Lyman E. Cooley, which shall be accompanied by bills of particulars of expenses, the Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized to draw a warrant on the State Treasurer in favor of Mr. Cooley for the total amount of the claims, as herein set forth."

AMENDMENT No. 32.

Amend the printed bill by inserting after article 70, page 22, the following:

"Seventy-first. The sum of five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the commission to investigate and report to the 46th General Assembly by bill or bills the most advisable method or methods for providing for the commitment of convicted persons to the penal and reformatory institutions of the State and the classification, treatment, parole and discipline of prisoners and better conduct of those institutions, which commission was appointed by resolution of the 45th General Assembly, on the 7th day of May, 1908."

AMENDMENT No. 33.

Add to line 469 the following: "For erecting a pavillion, the sum of \$3,000."

Amend by striking out of line 464, printed bill, the figures "15,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,000."

Passed the Senate, with amendments, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 136.

A bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois, and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station, and to make appropriations therefor," together with the following amendments thereto.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the original bill by striking out in section 1 the words and figures "fifty-eight thousand five hundred (58,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "sixty thousand (60,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the original bill by striking out in section 4, the words and figures "fifty thousand (50,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures sixty-five thousand (65,000).

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the original bill by striking out in section 5, the words and figures "fifteen thousand (15,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty thousand (20,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the original bill by adding an additional section known as section 8 to read as follows: "That it shall be the duty of the College of Agriculture through its department of Household Science to make such investigations and give such instruction and demonstrations as are calculated to advance the art of practical housekeeping in the State, with special reference to supplying practical instruction to those desiring to take special courses in the sciences relating to and in the art of practical housekeeping, and that to carry out the provisions of this section there be, and hereby is, appropriated ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars annually for the years 1909 and 1910."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the original bill by renumbering sections 8 and 9 to read "9 and 10" respectively.

Passed the Senate with amendments, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing messages reporting Senate amendments to House Bills numbered 128, 125, 115, 740, 730 and 136, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 730.

The motion prevailed.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said amendments.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 136.

The motion prevailed.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said amendments.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Gillespie called up Senate Bill No. 392, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 392, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to coroners,' approved February 6, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 10a."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 118; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Erbv,	Full,	Murray,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Huston,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kannally,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Werdeil,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Lane,	Pierson,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Galligan,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Maclean,	Riley,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	York,
Corecran,	Grace,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Scott,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,	Yeas—118
Dillon,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shaw,	

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

King,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. King called up Senate Bill No. 120, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 120, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies doing business in the State of Illinois,' approved and in force March 11, 1869, as amended by Act approved June 19, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Grace,	Lewis,	Poulton,
Abrahams,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Price,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	Link,	Richter,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Rigney,
ApMadoc,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Riley,
Bardill,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Scott,
Beck,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.
Behrens,	Durfee,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	English,	Hull,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Bolin,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Murray,	Welborn,
Browne,	Finley,	Kannally,	Myers,	Werdeil,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	White,
Bush,	Foster,	King,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Wright,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Parker,	York,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Zipf,
Church,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Yeas—120
Clark,				

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Espy, Solitt, Staymates, Nays—3

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Murray called up Senate Bill No. 358, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 358, a bill for "An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Grace,	Lyon,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Gray,	Maclean,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	Shaw,
Eardill,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Lillon,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Behrens,	English,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Erby,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Terrill,
Brady,	Espy,	Ireland,	Myers,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Feldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Browne,	Finlev,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	White,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Price,	Wright,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Link,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Church,	Glade,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Clark,				

Yeas—111

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Forst, Keck, McCollum, O'Brien, Nays—4

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 30.

WHEREAS, Guy C. Scott, lately justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois, has departed this life, and

WHEREAS, The said Justice Guy C. Scott was receiving a salary of \$3,000 less per year than the other Justices of said Court, with the exception of Justice John P. Hand, and

WHEREAS, It is now desired to make provision for the payment of the salary due the late Justice Guy C. Scott, and which would have been due him to the time of the election of his successor, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate Concurring herein, that the salary now due the said Justice Guy C. Scott shall be payable to the widow of the said Justice Guy C. Scott, and likewise the salary that would have accrued to the said Justice Guy C. Scott until the time of the election and qualification of his successor, and that the Auditor of Public Accounts be and he is hereby instructed to draw his warrant or warrants for such amounts as are due and would have become due until the time of election of such successor.

Concurred in by the Senate May 29th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up Senate Bill No. 286, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 286, a bill for "An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other states and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 92; nays, 5.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Daley,	Griffin,	McConnell.	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shepard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Beckemer,	English,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Erickson,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Espy,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	White,
Burns,	Finley,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Forst,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. F.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Richter,	York,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Riley,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Yeas—92
Cliffe,	Glade,	Luke,	Schumacher,	
Crawford,	Gorman,	Macleane,	Scott,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Church,	DeWolf,	Donahue,	Montelius,	Mr. Speaker,
				Nays—5

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 456, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 456, a bill for "An Act to create a bureau of labor statistics and statistical details of manufacturing industries and commerce of the State, and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	English,	Keck,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Erby,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Espy,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Bardill,	Fahy,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Beckmeyer,	Fieldstack,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Blair,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Welborn.
Browne,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Price,	White,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Glade,	Luke,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Riley,	York,
Chiperfield,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scott,	Yeas—83
Curran,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shanahan,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Shanahan called up Senate Bill No. 428. in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 428, a bill for "An Act to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying for additional improvements for and in connection with the construction of the Seventh Infantry, Illinois National Guard Armory, situated in the city of Chicago, State of Illinois."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 100.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	English,	Jewell,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Smeikal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Beck,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Stearns,
Beckmeyer,	Fieldstack,	King,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Parker,	Walsh,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Glade,	Link,	Poulton,	White,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Logan,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gray,	Lyons,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Riley,	York,
Clark,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Scott,	Yeas—100
Curran,				

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendments to House Bill No. 124, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the words and figures in lines two and three "three hundred sixty thousand two hundred and seventy-two dollars (\$360,272) per annum and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures, "three hundred thirty-one thousand two hundred and seventy-two dollars (\$331,272) per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line fifteen the figures "37,500.00 and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "27,500.00."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out the figures in line twenty-two "\$360,272.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$331,272.00."

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 124, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hull,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Durfee,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Erby,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Finley,	King,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Ton,
Browne,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Welborn.
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Giade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	White,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Rigney,	York,
Clark,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Riley,	Zipf.
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—114

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 124.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter called up Senate Bill No. 519, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 519, a bill for "An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water,' approved June 24, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 93.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Chiperfield,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Church,	Griffin,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Allison,	Clark,	Groves, J.,	Morris,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoe,	Crawford,	Hamilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Curran,	Holaday,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Daley,	Huston,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Behrens,	DeWolf,	Hutzler,	O'Brien,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Dillon,	Jewell,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Brady,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Parker,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Durfee,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brownback,	English,	King,	Pervier,	Welborn,
Browne,	Erby,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Erickson,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Etherton,	Lantz,	Price,	White,
Eush,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Schumacher,	York,
Carter,	Galligan,	Link,	Scott,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,		

Yeas—93

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Groves, W. M.

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lederer called on Senate Bill No. 266, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 266, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 97; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Groves, J.,	Maclean,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Sollitt,
ApMadoe,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Holaday,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hull,	Murray,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Espy,	Huston,	Naylor,	Ton,
Brady,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Finley,	Jewell,	Parker,	Werdell,
Browne,	Flagg,	Keck,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Fulton,	King,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Richter,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Riley,	York,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Church,	Gray,	Liggett,	Scott,	
Clark,	Griffin,	Lyon,		

Yeas—97

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Durfee.

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 12:35 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 2:30 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 2:30 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with House in the passage of a House Bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 731.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 17, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 56, 57, 58, 61, 563 and 64 of 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905;" submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held November 7, 1905, and adopted as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, adopted at the election held September 17, 1907, together with the following amendments thereto in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend the title of the bill by inserting after "49," the figures "50," and "50a" and by inserting after "61" the figures "62" and by adding to the end of said title the following: "And to add thereto two new sections to be known as sections 50e and 59a."

Strike out all of section one after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following: That sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 17, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 50, 50a, 56, 57, 58, 61, 62, 63 and 64 of "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905,' be and the same are hereby amended, and that said Act be and it is hereby further amended by adding thereto two additional sections to be known as sections 50e and 59a, which said sections as amended and said additional sections shall read as follows:

Page 2, section 2, in line 18, after the word "implied" insert the words "actions on judgments."

In line 27, strike out the word "where" and insert in lieu thereof the word "when."

In line 28, before the word "sought" insert the words "claimed or the value of the property."

Line 96, page 5, strike out the word "additioaal" and insert in lieu thereof the word "additional."

Page 6, section 3, line 27, strike out the words "six thousand (\$6,000)" and insert in lieu thereof "eight thousand (\$8,000.)"

In line 134, strike out the words "six thousand (\$6,000)" and insert in lieu thereof "eight thousand (\$8,000.)"

Page 18, section 48a, line 467, insert after the word "served" the words "or levied."

In line 470, after the word "such" insert "defendant when he claims that the property is exempt from execution or attachment by virtue of the exemption laws of this State or by such."

Page 19, in line 485, strike out the words "other cases" and insert in lieu thereof "any case."

In line 487, strike out the word "the" before the word "cases."

In line 493, after the word "if" insert the word "he."

By adding the following: Amend section 50 to read as follows.

Sec. 50. Upon the arrest of any person for any criminal or quasi-criminal offense within the jurisdiction of the municipal court, any judge of the municipal court, or any judge of the circuit or superior court of Cook county, shall have power to let such person to bail; and in case of the arrest of any person for any quasi-criminal offense, or for any offense when the punishment is by fine or imprisonment otherwise than in the penitentiary, the

chief of police or any captain or lieutenant or sergeant of police of the city of Chicago, or any deputy clerk designated for that purpose by an order signed by a majority of the judges of the municipal court, shall have power to let such person to bail. The bail bond in any criminal case in which the punishment may be otherwise than by fine, shall be conditioned for the personal appearance of the person arrested before some branch court at a time fixed in said bond for such personal appearance, and from day to day thereafter until the final judgment or order of the court. In quasi-criminal cases and in criminal cases in which the punishment may be by fine only, the bail bond shall be conditioned for the personal appearance of the person arrested before some branch court at a time fixed in said bond for such personal appearance and from day to day thereafter until the final judgment or order of the court, and in default of such personal appearance for the immediate payment of any judgment that may be rendered in said case. Any bond so taken shall be signed by one or more sureties to be approved by such judge or officer, who shall be authorized and required to administer oaths for the purpose of ascertaining the sufficiency of the sureties. All bonds so taken shall be filed with the clerk of the municipal court at the branch court at which the person so arrested is required to appear. The exercise of the power hereby conferred of letting to bail shall be subject to regulations by such rules as may be adopted by a majority of the judges of the municipal court, as herein provided. But any person so arrested shall have the right to be brought immediately before the municipal court in the district in which he is arrested; or, if there be no judge then in attendance upon such court, before the municipal court in any other district at which there may be then a judge in attendance, to be dealt with by such court according to law. The court may by rule provide that any defendant arrested in any criminal case in which the punishment is by fine or imprisonment otherwise than in the penitentiary, or in any quasi-criminal case, in lieu of giving bail for his personal appearance, may deposit with the clerk or with the police officer letting such person to bail, to be by such police officer paid over to the clerk within twenty-four hours after such deposit is made, such sums of money as the court may deem sufficient to secure his personal appearance at the time or times fixed therefor, such sum to be forfeited and paid into the city treasury in case such defendant shall fail to appear in person at the time or times so fixed; except that in quasi-criminal cases and criminal cases in which the punishment may be by fine only, the judgment and costs shall be deducted from such cash deposit, and the balance returned to the person depositing same. If upon an application made at any time within thirty days after any forfeiture provided for in this section such defendant shall prove to the satisfaction of the court that his failure to so appear was the result of serious illness, or other unavoidable accident, the court may, by order, set aside such forfeiture. Other proceedings for the forfeiture of recognizances and bail bonds in criminal and quasi-criminal cases shall be the same, as near as may be, as provided for the forfeiture of recognizances and bail bonds in criminal cases in the criminal court of Cook county.

By adding the following amend section 50a to read as follows:

Section 50a. The practice and proceedings in the municipal court in bastardy cases shall be as follows:

First—Whenever an unmarried woman, who shall be pregnant or delivered of a child, which by law would be deemed a bastard, shall file in the municipal court, if she be pregnant, or so delivered in the city of Chicago, or the person accused be found in said city of Chicago, her complaint in writing, under oath or affirmation, accusing a person of being the father of such child, the court shall order a warrant to issue against the person so accused and cause him to be brought forthwith before the court.

Second—Such warrant shall be issued to the bailiff and to all sheriffs, coroners and constables in the State of Illinois and may be executed by any officer in any county.

Third—If, upon the appearance of the defendant in any bastardy case, the woman be not delivered, and the probable date of the delivery is thirty

days or more after the appearance of the defendant as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the court to examine the woman upon oath or affirmation in the presence of the man alleged to be the father of the child, touching the charge against him. The defendant shall have the right to controvert such charge, and evidence may be heard as in case of trial before the county court. If the court shall be of the opinion that sufficient cause appears, it shall be the duty of the court to bind the person so accused in recognizance with sufficient security, to appear before said court at a time after the probable date of the birth of the child to which said cause may be continued, to answer to said charge. On neglect or refusal to enter into a recognizance with security, the court shall cause such person to be committed to the jail of the county of Cook, there to be held to answer to the complaint. If, at the time to which said cause may be continued said child be not born, or the mother be unable to attend court, said cause shall be further continued until she is able, and any recognizance entered into by the defendant to secure his appearance shall stand until the final disposition of the cause. After the birth of the child the court shall cause an issue to be made up whether the person charged as aforesaid is the real father of the child or not, which issue shall be tried by a jury, unless the parties shall elect to waive a trial by jury, in which case the issue shall be tried by the court without a jury.

Fourth—Pending the trial of such issue, and the final disposition of the matter, if the defendant shall not have given bond as aforesaid prior to such delivery the court shall require the defendant to enter into a recognizance, in such an amount and with such sureties as the court may deem just, for the appearance of the defendant from day to day until the entry of the final judgment.

Fifth—All further proceedings in the case shall be the same, as near as may be, as are provided by law for similar cases in the criminal court of Cook county.

Sixth—The practice in cases of appeals from and writs of error to the municipal court in bastardy cases shall be the same, as near as may be, as is in this Act provided for cases of the first class, such appeals to be taken to and such writs of error to be sued out from the appellate court of the first district.

By adding the following:

Section 50e. Any judge of the municipal court to whom application is made for a warrant, capias or writ of attachment, in any case of criminal or quasi-criminal nature, when he is not presiding in court, shall have power and authority to issue such warrant, capias or writ of attachment and sign the same with his own name as judge of the municipal court, and indorse thereon the amount of bail in which defendant shall be held, which warrant, capias or writ of attachment, when so signed by the judge, shall have the same force and effect as if the same were issued and signed by the clerk of the court. Any complaint or affidavit received by such judge upon the issuance of such warrant, capias or writ of attachment shall be filed with the clerk as soon as may be after the issuing of such warrant, capias or writ of attachment.

Section 56, line 564, before the word "case" insert the word "any."

Line 619, strike out the letter "s" from the word "officers."

Lines 619 and 620, strike out the words "and where an alias writ is delivered to him he."

Line 633, strike out the letter "s" from the word "officers."

Line 642, strike out the letter "s" from the word "executions."

Line 658, strike out the first letter "a" and insert the letter "o," in the word "oppressive."

Section 57, line 702, strike out the word "made" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may."

Page 28, section 58, lines 743 and 744, strike out the words "two dollars (\$2.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words "three dollars (\$3.00)" by adding the following:

Section 59a. Whenever any law provides that any document or instrument shall be acknowledged, filed or entered before a justice of the peace, in such case the clerk of the municipal court shall have the powers of a justice of the peace in respect thereto.

By adding the following, amend section 62 to read as follows:

Section 62. It shall be the duty of the chief justice of the municipal court to superintend the keeping of the records of said court. He shall have power and authority to prescribe abbreviated and amplified forms of entries of orders, judgments and decrees in the municipal court, which abbreviated forms shall stand for and represent the respective amplified forms thereof. The entry by any branch court, of any such order, judgment or decree in such abbreviated form shall in legal effect be the adoption by the court of the prescribed amplified form corresponding to such abbreviated form, and shall have the same force and effect as if such judgment, order or decree were written out in full in the records of said court. Said chief justice shall have power and authority to prescribe any rules and regulations concerning the adoption and use of any abbreviated and amplified forms of orders, judgments and decrees that are not inconsistent with this Act.

On page 36, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

For consenting to the Act entitled, "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, entitled, An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905."		
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Against consenting to the Act entitled, "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, entitled, An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905."		
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Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 670.

A bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1st, 1872.

Together with the following amendments thereto in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

In the title after the words and figures "July 1, 1872," add the following words and figures:

"As amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section 1, line 4, after the words and figures, "July 1, 1872," insert the following words and figures:

"As amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Passed by the Senate May-29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 658.

A bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903; as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as further amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

Amend House Bill No. 658, in the Senate, section 25, in line 3, after the word "gun" printed bill by inserting the following words: rabbits or."

Also in line 51 of section 25, after the word "game" printed bill, by inserting the following words "or rabbits."

Passed by the Senate with amendments, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing messages reporting Senate amendments to House Bills numbered 731, 670 and 658, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to concur with them in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 501.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State educational institutions herein named.

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 501 in House by striking out in section 1, lines 40 and 41 of the printed bill.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 501 in House by striking out in section 1, line 5, the figures "\$83,426.75" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures \$80,926.75."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 501 in House by adding after line 17 the following: 17a. For training school building "\$75,000" and by striking out the figures "\$20,812.75" in line 18, and inserting therefor the figures "\$95,812.75."

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Cliffe moved that the House refuse to recede from their amendments to Senate Bill No. 501, and asked the appointment of a Conference Committee on the part of the House to act with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust the differences arising between the two houses on said amendments.

And the motion prevailed.

Thereupon, the Speaker appointed as such Conference Committee: Messrs. Sollit, Lederer and Kannally.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 142.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled "An Act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872.

HOUSE BILL No. 633.

A bill for an Act making it unlawful to make any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offenses without their consent.

HOUSE BILL No. 478.

A bill for an Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence.

HOUSE BILL No. 405.

A bill appropriating to the University of Illinois the money granted in an Act of Congress approved August 30, 1890, entitled, "An Act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more perfect endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," established under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862. And the money granted by an Act of Congress approved March 4, 1907, entitled, "An Act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908."

HOUSE BILL No. 699.

A bill for an Act to provide for the expenses of the committee authorized to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 20, adopted by the House April 14, 1909, and concurred in by the Senate with amendments May 5, 1909, and finally approved by the House May 7th, 1909, to investigate into the reliability, efficiency and necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois and for other purposes and making an appropriation of \$10,000 therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 31.

A bill for an Act to provide for fees of clerks of probate courts in counties of the second class having a population of seventy thousand or more.

HOUSE BILL No. 33.

A bill for an Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled "An Act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steamboats," approved May 14, 1877, in force July 1, 1877; title as amended by Act approved May 29, 1879, in force July 1, 1879.

HOUSE BILL No. 608.

A bill for an Act to amend article III of an Act entitled, "An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885, in force July 1, 1885; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1887, in force July 1, 1887; as amended by an Act approved June 18, 1891, in force July 1, 1891; as amended by an Act approved June 17, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved June 7, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by Act approved June 9, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899; as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by Acts approved May 11, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by emergency Acts approved May 15, 1903; as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1903, in force July 1, 1903; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 697.

A bill for an Act to provide for the appointment of Assistant State's Attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 381.

A bill for an Act to amend section 202, article 8, of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended by an Act approved April 21, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, and as further amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, and in force July 1, 1907.

Passed the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Troyer called up Senate Bill No. 265, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 265, a bill for "An Act to amend section 10 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 77.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Erby,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	McMackin,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Finley,	Jewell,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Smejkal,
Brady,	Fulton,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Butts,	Gillespie,	King,	Morris,	Troyer,
Campbell,	Glade,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Carter,	Grace,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Chipherfield,	Griffin,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Lantz,	Pierson,	Wilson, H. W.
Dillon,	Hagan,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wright,
Donahue,	Hamilton,	Lederer,	Price,	Zinger,
Durfee,	Hruby,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker,
English,	Hull,			Yeas—77

The bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Huston called up Senate Bill No. 273, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 273, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign fire insurance companies for the benefit of organized fire departments,' in force July 1, 1895, of which section 1 was amended by Act approved May 12, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 95; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Gray,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Groves, W. M.	Montelius,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	English,	Hamilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Holaday,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murray,	Smejkal,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Browne,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Staymates,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Stevenson,
Butts,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Campbell,	Finley,	King,	Parker,	Troyer,
Carter,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Forst,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Clark,	Foster,	Link,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Cliffe,	Fulton,	Lyon,	Poulton,	White,
Curran,	Galligan,	Maclean,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Daley,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
DeWolf,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Riley,	Wright,
Dillon,	Glade,	McLaughlin,	Schumacher,	York,
Donahue,	Gorman,	McMackin,	Scott,	Zipf,

Yeas—95

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Hull,

Nays—1

The bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Parker called up Senate Bill No. 436, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 436, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to landlord and tenant,' approved May 1, 1873, in force July 1, 1873."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 85.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Rigney,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Glade,	Lederer,	Robinson,
Adkins,	Curran,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Behrens,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Brownback,	Durfee,	Hull,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Browne,	English,	Huston,	O'Brien,	Stevenson,
Bush,	Erby,	Ireland,	Parker,	Terrill,
Butts,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Campbell,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Ton,
Carter,	Etherton,	King,	Pierson,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Poulton,	Werdell,
Chipherfield,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Price,	White,
Church,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Fulton,	Lane,	Richter,	Zipf,

Yeas—85

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lewis called up Senate Bill No. 457, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 457, a bill for "An Act to amend section 26 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties,' approved and in force March 31, 1874."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Geshkewich,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Glade,	Lyon,	Scott,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	Durfee,	Grace,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brady,	English,	Gray,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Blair,	Erby,	Griffin,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Black,	Erickson,	Holaday,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Espy,	Hruby,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Browne,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Walsn,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Finley,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wright,
Carter,	Flannigen,	Lantz,	Poulton,	York,
Chipherfield,	Forst,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zipf,
Church,	Foster,	Lewis,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Fulton,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Yeas—79

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 284, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 284, a bill for "An Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120; nays, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Scott,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Huil,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Duffee,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoe,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Espy,	Kannally,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Etherton,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	King,	Myers,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Browne,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Burns,	Forst,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Push,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Parker,	Werdell,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pervier,	White,
Carter,	Glade,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Wright,
Clark,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Macleam,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	
Daley,				Yeas—120

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Chiperfield,	Murphy, Wm.	Solliitt,	Mr. Speaker.
Beck,	English,	Shanahan,		Nays—8

The bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to recede from their amendments to House Bill No. 723, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Charitable Institutions herein named," and requests that a committee of conference, consisting of three members from the House of Representatives and three members from the Senate be appointed to consider the differences between the two Houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

Action taken May 29th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for a Committee of Conference to adjust the differences arising between the two houses on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 723,

And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker thereupon appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Shanahan, Zinger and R. E. Wilson.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to recede from their amendments to House Bill No. 724, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the state charitable institutions herein named."

I am also directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate requests that a committee of three be appointed by the House to meet a like committee on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for a Committee of Conference to adjust the differences arising between the two houses on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 724, And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker thereupon appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Shanahan, Zinger and R. E. Wilson.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 396, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 396, a bill for "An Act for the sale to the Iroquois Iron Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 108; nays, 7.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Grace,	Luke,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Gray,	Lyon,	Schumacher.
Adkins,	Daley,	Griffin,	Macleam,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Bardill,	Erby,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Blair,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Ton,
Brady,	Etherton,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Morris,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Feldstack,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Werdell,
Browne,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Flagg,	King,	Nelson,	White,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Wilson F. J.
Bush,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wilson, G. H.
Eutts,	Foster,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wright,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	York,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Price,	Zipf,
Clark,	Glade,	Link,	Riley,	
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Logan,	Robinson,	

Yeas—108

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	English,	Shanahan,	Sollitt,	Mr. Speaker.
Chipherfield,	Murphy, Wm.			Nays—7

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Poulton called up Senate Bill No. 523, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 523, a bill for "An Act for the sale to American Smelting and Refining Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109; nays, 7.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Holaday,	McCullum,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Huston,	McGuire,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Ireland,	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Kannally,	Norris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Finley,	King,	Myers,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Ton,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Browne,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Galligan,	Lane,	Parker,	Wardell,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Glade,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gray,	Link,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Luke,	Richter,	York,
Clark,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Robinson,	Yeas—109

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	English,	Shanahan,	Sollitt,	Mr. Speaker,
Chipherfield,	Murphy, Wm.			Nays—7

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up Senate Bill No. 24, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 24, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 74, 75 and 77 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to the administration of estates,' approved April 1, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and as amended in regard to said section 75, by an Act approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 96.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Gray,	McMackin,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Griffin,	Mills,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Allison,	Curran,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Erby,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Blair,	Erickson,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Tippitt,
Brady,	Espy,	Lawrence,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Finley,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Browne,	Flagg,	Lewis,	Parker,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Logan,	Perkins,	Wardell,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lyon,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Galligan,	Maclean,	Pierson,	White,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	McCullum,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	McGuire,	Richter,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Zipf,
Church,				Yeas—96

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 439.

A bill for "An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

Together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Strike out all after the words "A bill" in title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"For an Act in relation to the disposition of unclaimed deposits in banks, banking associations and trust companies in this State."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

"That the circuit court, upon the application of the State's Attorney of the proper county, or the Attorney General of the State, shall order and decree that all amounts of money heretofore or hereafter deposited with any bank, savings bank, banking association, or trust company, doing business in the State of Illinois, to the credit of depositors who have not made a deposit on said account or withdrawn any part thereof or the interest, or on whose pass books the interest has not been added, which shall have remained unclaimed for more than ten (10) years after the date of such last deposit, withdrawal of any part of principal or interest or adding interest on the pass books and for which no claimant is known or the depositor of it cannot be found, shall, with the increase or proceeds thereof, be paid into the treasury of the State of Illinois, to be held and used by the State Treasurer according to law, subject to be repaid to the person or the heirs, executors or administrators of such person, having and establishing a lawful right thereto, with interest at the rate of three per cent per annum from the time when it was so paid into the State treasury to the time when it is paid over to such person. Upon the filing of the petition by the State's attorney or the Attorney General, summons shall forthwith issue to each defendant mentioned in the petition, and shall be served in the same manner as is provided in cases in chancery. Process shall also be issued against the unknown owners and claimants by the name and description of unknown owners. A notice shall be given to such unknown owners in the same manner as notices are required to be given to unknown owners in proceedings in chancery.

Sec. 2. Any person or heirs, executors or administrators of such person, claiming a right to the money deposited with the State Treasurer under the provisions of the foregoing section may establish his right or the rights of the heirs, executors or administrators of such person thereof by filing a petition in chancery in the circuit court of Sangamon county, in the State of Illinois, stating the nature of his claim and praying such money be paid to him, or the legal representative, as herein provided. A copy of such petition shall be served upon the Attorney General. The court shall thereupon examine said claim and the allegations and proofs and if it shall find that such person or the heirs, executors or administrators of such person are entitled to any money paid into the State treasury, as aforesaid, such court shall find and decree the amount to which such person or the heirs, executors or administrators of such person, are entitled.

A certified copy of the order or decree of the circuit court shall be a sufficient voucher for the Auditor of Public Accounts for drawing a warrant on the State Treasurer for the payment to such person or his heirs, executors or administrators of the amount so found to be due him. It shall be the duty of the Auditor of Public Accounts, when the certified copy of such decree or order is filed with him, to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer, payable to the order of the person or his heirs, executors or administrators named in such decree for the amount therein mentioned and it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to pay the amount of such warrant.

Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendments to House Bill No. 439, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Abbey called up Senate Bill No. 172, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 172, a bill for "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in this State and to punish the same, and prescribe a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto, and to repeal an Act entitled, 'An Act to prevent unjust discriminations and extortions in the rates to be charged by the different railroads in this State for the transportation of freights on said roads,' approved April 7, A. D., 1871, approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, by adding thereto six new sections to be known as section 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e and 8f."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 36; nays, 66.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hull,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	English,	Jewell,	Mills,	Terrill,
ApMadoc,	Finley,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Ton,
Campbell,	Flagg,	King,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Carter,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Church,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Donahue,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Rigney,	York,
Dudgeon,				Yeas—36

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Allison,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Curran,	Hilton,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Blair,	Dillon,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Tippit,
Bolin,	Erby,	Lane,	Myers,	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Lantz,	Naylor,	Wardell,
Browne,	Fahy,	Liggett,	O'Brien,	White,
Burgett,	Forst,	Link,	O'Neil,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Foster,	Loke,	Parker,	Wilson, R. E.
Bush,	Galligan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Scott,	Zipf,
Cermak,				Nays—66

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority members elected, was declared lost.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 672.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled, "An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois, approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907,'" together with the following amendments thereto in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 672 in the Senate, by inserting in the title of the bill, after the words "for an Act to amend sections 4" the figures "10."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 672 in the Senate by inserting in line 2 on page 1 of the bill as printed in the House, after the words "that sections 4," the figures "10."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 672 in the Senate by inserting between lines 23 and 24 on page 2 of the bill as printed in the House, the following:

Section 10. No person shall drive a motor vehicle or motor bicycle upon any public highway in this State at a speed greater than is reasonable and proper having regard to the traffic and the use of the way or so as to endanger the life or limb or injure the property of any person. If the rate of speed of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated upon any public highway in this State where the same passes through the closely built up business portions of any incorporated city, town or village exceeds ten (10) miles an hour for a distance of one-eighth of a mile or if the rate of speed of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated on any public highway in this State where the same passes through the residence portions of any incorporated city, town or village exceeds fifteen (15) miles an hour for a distance of one-eighth of a mile or if the rate of speed of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated on any public highway in this State outside the closely built up business portions and the residence portions of any incorporated city, town or village exceeds twenty (20) miles an hour for a distance of one-fourth of a mile such rates of speed shall be prima facie evidence that the person operating such motor vehicle or motor bicycle is running at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper having regard to the traffic and use of the way or so as to endanger the life or limb or injure the property of any person. If the rate of speed of a motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated on any public highway in this State in going around a corner or curve in a highway where the operator's view of the road traffic is obstructed exceeds six (6) miles an hour such rate of speed shall be prima facie evidence that the person operating such motor vehicle or motor bicycle is running at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable having regard to the traffic and the use of the way or so as to endanger the life or limb or injure the property of any person.

Passed by the Senate with amendments May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 14.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regards to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, together with the following amendments thereto in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL No. 14.

Amend by striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting the following: "That section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19. WHEN COUNTY BOARD MAY AID TOWN IN CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE.]—When it is necessary to construct or repair any bridge over a stream, or any approach or approaches thereto, by means of an embankment or trestle work on a public road, in any town or on or near to or across a town line, in which work the town is wholly or in part responsible, and the cost of which will be more than twenty cents on the one hundred dollars on the latest assessment roll, and the levy of the road and bridge tax for two years last past in said town was in each year for the full amount of forty cents on each one hundred dollars allowed by law for the commissioners to raise, the major part of which is needed for the ordinary repair of roads and bridges, the commissioners may petition the county board for aid, and if the foregoing facts shall appear, the county board shall appropriate from the county treasury a sum sufficient to meet one-half the expenses of the said bridge or other work, on condition the town asking aid shall furnish the other half of the required amount; *Provided*, that said commissioners shall, when it is determined by them that they will ask said county aid, as provided for in this section, and before any contract for work or material or any other expense may have been entered into, present their said petition to the county board, if it shall be in session, and if it shall not be in session, to the chairman of said county board, whereupon said county board or the chairman thereof, as the case may be, shall appoint three members of said board, none of whom shall reside in the town asking aid as aforesaid, to represent the county in said matter, and said supervisors, when so appointed and notified, shall meet said commissioners at time and place to be selected by said commissioners, and the commissioners and supervisors shall organize by electing one of their members chairman, and said commissioners and supervisors shall make all contracts in manner provided by law for work, material and other expenses necessary for the construction or repairing of said bridge, or approach or approaches thereto, a majority of said commissioners and three supervisors being necessary to make any contract or incur any expense.

Provided, further, that no county shall be compelled under this Act to expend in county aid for bridges more than one-fifth of the seventy-five cents on the one hundred dollars, which it is entitled by law to raise for county purposes, and,

Provided, further, that in case the towns aided under the provisions of this Act, would be entitled to more than the aforesaid one-fifth, the towns shall each be aided to the extent of their pro rata proportion of the aforesaid one-fifth; and,

Provided, further, that all expenditures shall be made by said commissioners and supervisors, and the county board shall not be liable for any part of said expenses or compelled to pay any part of its appropriation until all of the work has been fully completed and accepted by said commissioners and supervisors and said facts properly certified to said supervisors and present-

ed to said county board at a meeting held after the completion of said work, which certificate shall contain an itemized amount of the expenditures; and further,

Provided, further, if the supervisors and commissioners, when organized as aforesaid, shall fail to agree or come to a conclusion on the matters before them, they shall, on account of a tie, summon a reputable citizen, who is a householder of said county, but not a resident of the town asking aid, said summons to be served by any constable of the county, and all questions in dispute and remaining unsettled shall be submitted to him, whose decision shall be final on all matters so submitted. The fees of the householder shall be the same as that of the supervisors, and the constable's fees shall be the same as constable fees for a jury, and all of said fees of said members of said commission and constable fees shall be paid out of said funds as part of the expenses.

Passed the Senate, with amendments, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDUCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing messages reporting Senate amendments to House Bill numbered 672 and 14, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to concur with them in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 448.

A bill for "An Act to revise the laws relating to charities."
Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 448 by striking out the title of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for an Act to regulate the State charitable institutions and to repeal certain Acts.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 448 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

When used in this chapter, the term "poor person" means a person who is unable to maintain himself and having no one legally liable and able to maintain him; the term an "indigent person" means one who has not sufficient property to support himself while insane, and the members of his family lawfully dependent upon him for support; the term "institution" means any hospital, asylum, building, buildings, house or retreat authorized by law to have the care, treatment or custody of the insane; the term "commission" means the State Commission of Control; the term "patient" means an insane person committed to an institution according to the provisions of this chapter.

Sec. 2. APPOINTMENT, QUALIFICATIONS, TERMS OF OFFICE AND SALARIES OF COMMISSIONERS.] There shall be a State Commission of Control, consisting of five (5) commissioners, all of whom shall be citizens of this State, all of whom shall devote their entire time to the duties of their office. Two of them shall be reputable physicians, graduates of an incorporated medical college of at least ten years' experience in the actual practice of their profession, who have had five years' actual experience in the care and treatment of the insane, and who have had experience in the management of institutions for the insane. One of such commissioners shall be a reputable attorney and counsellor-at-law of the courts of this State, of not less than ten years' standing. The other two commissioners shall be reputable citizens. The president of the commission shall receive an annual salary of seven thousand five hundred dollars, and twelve hundred dollars in lieu of his traveling and incidental expenses, payable monthly. Each of the other commissioners shall receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars, and twelve hundred dollars in lieu of his traveling and incidental ex-

penses payable monthly. The commissioners, when appointed, shall determine by lot the length of their respective terms, one of them retiring at the end of each year, and the member having the shortest term to serve shall be the president of said commission; and thereafter one commissioner shall be appointed each year for the regular term of five (5) years. A commissioner may be removed by the Governor for cause, stated in writing, after an opportunity has been given him to be heard thereon. The full term of office of a commissioner shall be five (5) years. Where the term of office of a commissioner other than the president expires at a time other than the last day of September, the term of office of his successor is abridged so as to expire on the last day of September preceding the time when such term would otherwise expire, and the term of office of each such commissioner thereafter appointed shall begin on the first day of October. The commissioners shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate; but not more than three members of the said commission shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party.

Sec. 3. OFFICE AND CLERICAL FORCE OF COMMISSION; MEDICAL INSPECTOR.] The commission shall be provided by the proper authorities with a suitably furnished office in the State capitol, where it shall hold stated meetings at least once in three months. It may hold other meetings, at such office or elsewhere, as it may deem necessary. It may employ a secretary, a stenographer and such other employes as may be necessary. The salaries and reasonable expenses of the commission and of the necessary clerical assistants shall be paid by the Treasurer of the State on the warrant of the Auditor, out of any moneys appropriated for the support of the insane.

The State Commission of Control may also appoint a medical inspector who shall be a well educated physician, a graduate of an incorporated medical college, and who shall have had actual experience in an institution for the care and treatment of the insane. Such inspector shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the commission, subject to the approval in writing of the Governor, not to exceed five thousand dollars, and all his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred by him in the performance of his duties, which shall be audited and paid in the same manner as the other expenses of the commission. He shall subject to the direction of the commission, visit and inspect the several State hospitals and other institutions for the insane which are subject to the supervision, visitation and inspection of the commission. He shall, subject to the direction of the commission, make an examination, so far as circumstances may permit, of the patients confined in such hospitals and institutions, especially those admitted thereto since his preceding visit, giving such as may request it suitable opportunity to converse with him apart from the officers and attendants. He shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed and directed by the commission.

Sec. 4. OFFICIAL SEAL AND EXECUTION OF PAPERS.] The commission shall have an official seal. Every process, order or other paper issued or executed by the commission, may, by the direction of the commission, be attested, under its seal, by its secretary or by any member of the commission, and when so attested shall be deemed to be duly executed by the commission.

Sec. 5. GENERAL POWERS.] The commission is charged with the execution of the laws relating to the custody, care and treatment of the insane, including feeble-minded persons and epileptics as such and idiots and the inmates of the other State charitable institutions in this State. They shall examine all institutions, public and private, and those authorized by law to receive and care for the insane, and inquire into their methods of government and the management of all such persons therein. They shall examine into the condition of all buildings, grounds and other property connected with any such institution, and into all matters relating to its management. For such purpose each commissioner shall have free access to the grounds, buildings and all books and papers relating to any such institution. All persons connected with any such institution shall give such information, and afford such facilities for any such examination or inquiry as the commissioners may require. The commission may, by order, appoint a competent person

to examine the books, papers and accounts, and also into the general condition and management of any institution to the extent deemed necessary and specified in the order.

Sec. 6. GENERAL POWERS AS TO STATE HOSPITALS.] The commission shall subject to the powers hereinafter granted to boards of managers:

1. Have the general oversight of the State hospitals, and the control of all the property thereof, and shall see that the purposes of such hospitals are carried into effect by the boards of managers according to law.

2. Accept and hold in behalf of the State, if for the public interest, a grant, gift, devise or bequest, of money or property, to the State of Illinois, to the Commission of Control, or to any State hospital or the managers thereof, heretofore or hereafter made in trust for the maintenance or support of an insane person or persons in a State hospital or hospitals, or for any other legitimate purpose connected with any such hospital or hospitals. The commission shall cause each said gift, grant, devise or bequest to be kept as a distinct fund, and shall invest the same in the manner provided by the laws of this State as the same now exist, or shall hereafter be enacted, relating to securities in which the deposits in savings banks may be invested. But the commission may, in its discretion, deposit in a proper trust company or savings bank, during the continuance of the trust, any fund so left in trust for the life of a single person, and shall adopt rules and regulations governing the deposit, transfer or withdrawal of such fund. The commission shall, on the expiration of any trust as provided in any instrument creating the same, dispose of the fund thereby created in the manner provided in such instrument. The commission shall include in its annual report a statement showing what funds are so held by it and the condition thereof.

Sec. 7. OFFICIAL VISITS.] The commission, or a majority thereof, shall visit every such State hospital jointly or by a majority of the commission, and every such private institution by one member of the commission at least twice in each calendar year. Such visits shall be made on such days and at such hours of the day or night, and for such length of time, as the visiting commissioner may choose. But each commissioner may make such other visits as he or the commission may deem necessary. Each visit shall include, to the fullest extent deemed necessary, an inspection of every part of each institution, and all the out-houses, places, buildings and grounds belonging thereto or used in connection therewith. The commissioners shall, from time to time, make an examination of all the records and methods of administration, the general and special dietary, the stores and methods of supply, and, as far as circumstances may permit, of every patient confined therein, especially those admitted since the preceding visit, giving such as may require it suitable opportunity to converse with the commissioners apart from the officers and attendants. They shall, as far as they deem necessary, examine the officers, attendants and other employes, and make such inquiries as will determine their fitness for their respective duties. At the next regular or special meeting of the commission, after any such visit, the visiting commissioners shall report the result thereof, with such recommendations for the better management or improvement of any institutions as they may deem necessary. But such recommendations shall not be contrary to the doctrines of the particular school of medicine adopted by such institutions. The commissioners shall, at least once each year, at a time to be appointed by the commission, meet the managers of such institutions, or as many of the number as practicable, in conference, and consider in detail all questions of management and improvement of the institution, and they, or one or more of them, with the managers, shall inspect the institution, or such parts thereof as they may deem necessary, and shall also send to the managers, in writing, if approved by a majority of the commissioners, such recommendations in regard to the management and improvement of the institution as they may deem necessary or desirable.

Sec. 7a. VISITATION AND INSPECTION OF CERTAIN INSTITUTIONS.] Any member of the commission or the medical inspector may visit any sanitarium or other institution, wherein sick or infirm persons are received, cared for or treated, for compensation or hire, for the purpose of ascertaining whether

insane persons are confined therein without authority, and contrary to the provisions of law. All persons having charge of, and connected with any such sanitarium or institution shall permit any member of the commission and the medical inspector to have free access to any portion thereof, and shall give such information and afford such facilities for inspection or inquiry as the member of the commission or the medical inspector making such visit and inspection may require.

Sec. 8. REGULATIONS AND FORMS.]. The commission shall make such regulations in regard to the correspondence of the insane in custody as in its judgment will promote their interests, and it shall be the duty of the proper authorities of each institution to comply with and enforce such rules and regulations. All such insane shall be allowed to correspond, without restriction, with the county judge and district attorney of the county from which they were committed. The books of record and blank forms for the official use of the hospitals shall be uniform, and shall be approved by the commission.

Sec. 9. ANNUAL REPORT.]. The commission shall, annually, report to the Legislature its acts and proceedings for the year ending September thirtieth last preceding, with such facts in regard to the management of the institutions for the insane as it may deem necessary for the information of the Legislature, including estimates of the amounts required for the use of the State hospitals and the reasons therefor; and also the annual reports made to the commission by the board of managers of each State hospital and other State, public or private institutions. The commission shall determine from time to time the capacity of each of the State hospitals and shall incorporate a statement of such capacity in its annual report to the Legislature.

Sec. 10. STATE HOSPITAL DISTRICTS; HOW DEFINED.]. The State Commission of Control shall divide the State into as many State hospital districts as there are State hospitals. No county shall be divided into such classification, unless the same contains over one hundred thousand population. Whenever the commission shall deem it necessary to more conveniently care for the insane in the various hospitals, it may change the limits of such hospital districts. When a new State hospital shall be established, it shall again divide the State into hospital districts. Before any change or re-establishment of hospital districts shall be made, the board of managers of each hospital to be affected thereby shall be notified by the commission that they may be heard in regard thereto, at a time and place to be specified in said notice. Such hospital districts shall be so defined that the number of patients in each district shall be in proportion as nearly as practicable, to the accommodations which are or may be provided by the State hospital or hospitals within such district.

Sec. 11. CHANGE OF HOSPITAL DISTRICTS AND RE-ASSIGNMENT OF PATIENTS.]. When a change or re-establishment of State hospital districts shall be made, or a new State hospital district created, the commission shall make a report thereof, designating the counties included within each district affected thereby, and file the same with the Secretary of State, and send a copy to the managers and superintendent of each State hospital affected by such change, and to each judge of a court of record, each county superintendent of the poor, and each county clerk in the State, affected by such change, to be filed in his office.

Sec. 12. RECORD OF PATIENTS.]. The commission shall keep in its office, and accessible only to the commissioners, their secretary and clerk, except by the consent of the commission or one of its members, or an order of a court of record, a record showing:

1. The name, residence, sex, age, nativity, occupation, civil condition and date of commitment of every patient in custody in the several institutions for the care and treatment of insane persons in the State, and the name and residence of the person making the petition for commitment, and of the persons signing such medical certificate, and of the judge making the order of commitment.

2. The name of the institution where each patient is confined, the date of admission, and whether brought from home or another institution; and if from another institution, the name of such institution, by whom brought, and the patient's condition.

3. The date of the discharge of each patient from such institution since the first day of October, A. D. nineteen hundred and eight, whether recovered, improved or unimproved, and to whose care committed.

4. If transferred, for what cause, and to what institution; and if dead, the date and cause of death.

Sec. 13. INSTITUTION TO FURNISH INFORMATION TO COMMISSION.] The authorities of the several institutions for the insane shall furnish to the commission the facts mentioned in the last preceding section, and such other obtainable facts relating thereto as the commission may, from time to time, in the just and reasonable discharge of its duties, require of them, with the opinion of the superintendent thereon, if requested. The superintendent or person in charge of such institution, whether public or private, must, within ten days after the admission of an insane person thereto, cause a true copy of the medical certificate and order on which such person shall have been received to be made and forwarded to the office of the commission; and when a patient shall be discharged, transferred or shall die therein, such superintendent or person in charge shall, within three days thereafter, send the information to the office of the commission, in accordance with the forms prescribed by it.

Sec. 14. COMMISSION TO PROVIDE FOR THE PROSPECTIVE WANTS OF THE INSANE.] The commission shall provide sufficient accommodations for the prospective wants of the insane of the State. To prevent overcrowding in the State hospitals, it shall recommend to the Legislature the establishment of other State hospitals, in such parts of the State as in its judgment will best meet the requirements of such insane. It shall also furnish to the Legislature, in each year, an estimate of the probable number of patients who will become inmates of the respective State hospitals during the year beginning October first next ensuing, and the cost of all the additional buildings and equipments, if any, which will be required to carry out the provisions of this chapter relating to the care, custody and treatment of the insane of the State. No money shall be expended for the erection of additional buildings or for unusual repairs or improvements of State hospitals, except upon plans and specifications to be approved by the commission and the Governor. The cost of such buildings as are to be occupied by patients, erected on the grounds of existing State hospitals, including the necessary equipment for heating, lighting, ventilating, fixtures and furniture, shall, in no case, exceed the proportion of five hundred dollars per capita for the patients to be accommodated therein; except that for buildings specially designed and equipped for the active medical and general care and treatment of insane patients of the acute and curable class, the cost shall not exceed the proportion of one thousand dollars per capita for the patients to be accommodated therein. No municipality of the State shall have the power to modify or change plans or specifications for the erection, repair or improvement of State hospital buildings or the plumbing or sewerage connected therewith. The commission may secure a blanket policy of insurance covering any or all the buildings, property or fixtures of the State hospitals.

Sec. 15. DIRECTOR OF PATHOLOGICAL INSTITUTE.] The commission shall, after a special civil service examination therefor, appoint a director of the pathological institute, who shall perform, under the direction of the commission, such duties relating to pathological research as may be required for all of the State hospitals for the insane. His office and laboratory shall be in the city of Chicago. He shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the commission, subject to the approval of the Governor. The State hospitals shall coöperate with the pathological institute in such manner as the commission may from time to time direct.

Sec. 16. STATE HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.—There shall continue to be the following hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane of the State, which are hereby declared to be corporations:

1. The Illinois Northern Hospital for Insane, at Elgin, in Kane county.
2. The Illinois Eastern Hospital for Insane, at Kankakee, in Kankakee county.
3. The Illinois Western Hospital for Insane, at Watertown, in Rock Island county.
4. The Illinois Central Hospital for Insane, at Jacksonville, in Morgan county.
5. The Illinois Southern Hospital for Insane, at Anna, in Williamson county.
6. The Illinois General Hospital for the Insane, at Bartonville, in Peoria county.
7. The Asylum for Insane Criminals, at Menard, in Randolph county.

Sec. 17. MANAGERS AT STATE HOSPITALS AND THEIR TERMS OF OFFICE.]—Each State hospital shall be under the control and management of a board of managers, subject to the statutory powers of the commission. On or after the first of October, nineteen hundred and nine, the Governor shall appoint a board, consisting of seven (7) members, not more than four (4) of whom shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party. He shall so arrange their terms of office of one, two, three, four, five, six and seven years that a term shall expire on the thirtieth day of September in each year, beginning with the year nineteen hundred and ten. After the expiration of such terms, managers shall be appointed for terms of seven years. If a vacancy occur otherwise than by expiration of term, the appointment of manager to fill such vacancy shall be for the unexpired term of the manager whose office became vacant.

Sec. 18. APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL OF MANAGERS.]—The members of the boards of managers shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, as often as a vacancy shall occur by expiration of term, or otherwise; and they may severally continue in office until their successors are appointed and have qualified; and they shall be subject to removal by the Governor after having been notified in writing of the reasons for the proposed removal, and having been given an opportunity to be heard. All managers shall reside in the hospital district in which the hospital is situated for which they are respectively appointed. No person shall be eligible to the office of manager who is either an elective State officer or a member of the Legislature, and if any such manager, shall become a member of the Legislature or an elective State officer, his office as manager shall thereupon be vacant. If any manager fails for a period of six months to attend the regular meetings of the board of which he is a member, the secretary of the board shall notify the Governor of such absence, with any explanation thereof which may be submitted by such manager, and unless the Governor shall, within thirty days thereafter, notify the secretary that he has excused such manager for such absence, the office of such manager shall thereupon be deemed to be vacant; and if any manager fails for one year to attend such regular meetings, his office shall become vacant. When any such vacancy shall occur, the board, by resolution, shall so declare, and a certified copy of such resolution shall forthwith be transmitted by the board to the commission and to the Governor. In the month of January of each year the secretary of the board of managers shall transmit to the Governor a statement showing the record of attendance of each manager at meetings of the board, the number and dates of visits to the hospital, with a statement of any other work for the hospital performed by such manager, which such manager may request to have transmitted to the Governor. The manager whose term is first to expire shall act as president of the board of managers of each institution.

Sec. 19. GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF BOARD OF MANAGERS.]—Subject to the statutory powers of the commission, boards of managers shall have the general direction and control of all the property and internal affairs of the institutions for which they are respectively appointed, except as otherwise provided by law. A committee consisting of one member of each board of managers, or other representative designated by such board, shall establish by-laws, rules and regulations governing the appointment and duties of offi-

cers and employes of all the State hospitals, and for the internal government, discipline and management of the same, subject to the approval of the commission. Such by-laws, rules and regulations shall be uniform for all the State hospitals, and shall not be inconsistent with the provisions of this Act nor with the provisions of the civil service law and the rules and regulations established thereunder. The managers shall not receive any compensation for their services, but shall receive actual and necessary traveling and other expenses, to be paid after audit as other current expenditures of the hospital. Each board shall, in October of each year, elect from among its members a secretary. The superintendent shall personally submit, at each monthly meeting of the board of managers, a report showing changes in population, health of patients, officers and employes; accidents, suicides, unusual sickness, infectious diseases; important occurrences relating to the welfare of the patients and to the management and discipline of the employes, and such other matters as the board may specify. Each board shall:

1. Take care of the general interests of the hospital and see that its design is carried into effect, according to law, and the by-laws, rules and regulations made as above provided.

2. Maintain an effective inspection of the hospital, for which purpose the board, or a majority of its members, shall visit and inspect the hospital at least once each month. Each board shall make a written report to the commission and to the Governor within ten days after each inspection, such report to be signed by each member making the inspection. Such report shall state in detail the condition of the hospital and of its inmates, and such other matters pertaining to the management and affairs thereof as in the opinion of the board should be brought to the attention of the commission or the Governor, and may contain recommendations as to needed improvements in the hospital or in its management.

3. Keep in a book provided for that purpose a fair and full record of their doings, which shall be open at all times to the inspection of the Governor of the State, the commissioners of control, or any person appointed by the Governor, the commission of control or either house of the Legislature, to examine the same.

4. Hold regular meetings at least once each month, and cause to be typewritten within ten days after such meeting, the minutes and proceedings of such meeting, and cause a copy thereof to be sent forthwith to each member of such board, to the commission and to the Governor.

5. Enter in a book, kept at the hospital for that purpose, the date of each visit of each manager.

6. Make to the commission, in October of each year, a detailed report of the results of their visits and inspection, with suitable suggestions and such other matters as may be required of them by the commission, for the year ending on the thirtieth day of September preceding the date of such report. Such report shall be prepared by a committee of the board, subject to the approval of the board.

7. Investigate, hear and determine the truth of all charges made against the superintendent or other officer or employe of a hospital, issue subpoenas and take and hear testimony in respect to such charges. A witness attending before such board shall be entitled to the same fees as a witness attending before a court of record or a judge thereof, which shall be paid as other hospital charges. The resident officers shall admit such managers into every part of the hospital and its buildings, and exhibit to them, on demand, all the books, papers, accounts and writings belonging to the hospital, or pertaining to its business, management, discipline or government, and furnish copies, abstracts and reports whenever required by them.

Sec. 20. OFFICERS.]—The Commission of Control shall appoint, subject to the approval of the board of managers for each hospital, as often as a vacancy shall occur therein, a superintendent. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of superintendent of any State hospital, the commission of control, with the approval of the board of managers of such hospital, may transfer to such position the superintendent of any other State hospital, and sub-

ject to the consent of the board of managers of such other State hospital. The superintendent shall be a well educated physician and a graduate of an incorporated medical college, of at least five years' actual experience in an institution for the care and treatment of the insane. Each superintendent shall be the treasurer of the State hospital for which he is appointed, unless the commission shall designate a person to act as treasurer as hereinafter provided, and before entering upon his duties as such treasurer shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking to the people, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by the State Auditor, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. The superintendent may be removed by a vote of a majority of the board of managers, for cause stated in writing, and after an opportunity has been given him to be heard thereon, and such action, when approved by the commission, shall be final. Pending the investigation of any charges against a superintendent, and the decision thereon, the board of managers may suspend such superintendent. The commission may prefer charges of misconduct or incompetency against any superintendent to the board of managers of the hospital of which he is superintendent, and the board shall thereupon investigate the truth of such charges. On the first day of October, nineteen hundred and eight, the office of treasurer in each of the State hospitals shall be abolished, and their powers and duties may be conferred upon the superintendent, or the commission may designate a person in its office to act as treasurer for all the hospitals, who shall have the powers and perform the duties of treasurer as to such hospital, as prescribed in this chapter, and shall perform such other duties as the commission may impose. The person so designated, before entering upon the performance of his duties as such treasurer, shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by him, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. A superintendent in office on the first day of October, nineteen hundred and nine, shall be continued in office until removed pursuant to law, notwithstanding the change hereby made in the manner of his appointment.

SEC. 21. GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF SUPERINTENDENTS.] The superintendent of each hospital shall be its chief executive officer, and in his absence or sickness, the first assistant physician or other officer designated by the superintendent, shall perform the duties, exercise the powers, and be subject to the responsibilities of the superintendent. Subject to the by-laws and regulations established by the commission and the managers under the provisions of this Act, the superintendent shall have general superintendence of the buildings, grounds and farm, together with their furniture, fixtures and stock, and the direction and control of all persons therein, and subject to such by-laws and regulations, shall:

1. Personally maintain an effective supervision and inspection of all parts of the hospital and generally direct the care and treatment of the patients. To this end the superintendent shall personally examine the condition of each patient within five days after his admission to the hospital, and shall regularly visit all of the wards or apartments for patients at such times as the rules and regulations of the hospital shall prescribe.

2. Appoint such resident officers, including a woman physician and such employes as he may think proper and necessary for the economical and efficient performance of the business of the hospital and prescribe their duties, and for cause stated in writing, after an opportunity to be heard, discharge any of such employes in his discretion, but an appointment of a steward by such superintendent shall be approved by the commission before taking effect and such steward shall not be removed without the consent in writing of the commission. The number of such resident officers and employes shall be determined, from time to time, by the commission. The commission may, with the approval of the Governor, abolish the office of any of such resident officer or employes. The superintendent may remove any resident officer for cause stated in writing, after an opportunity to be

heard, and such action shall be final. Upon any such removal he shall make a record thereof, with the reasons therefor, under the appropriate head in one of the books of the hospital.

The superintendent, assistant physicians, including the woman physician, steward and matron, shall constantly reside in the hospital, or on the premises, except as provided in this Act, and shall be designated the resident officers of the hospital. The assistant physicians, including the woman physician, shall be graduates of an incorporated medical college, and shall possess such other qualifications as may be required by law.

3. Transmit by mail, to the commission of control, and to the president of the board of managers, within five days after any such discharge, information of such discharge, and of the cause thereof. The commission shall preserve the name of such officer or employé, with the facts relating to his discharge, in a book provided for that purpose.

4. Designate hospital attendants or employés to act as special policemen, whose duty it shall be, under the orders of the superintendent, to arrest and return to the hospital insane persons who may escape therefrom, and to preserve peace and good order in such hospital and to fully protect the grounds, buildings and patients. Such attendants and employés acting as policemen shall possess all the powers of peace officers on the grounds and premises of such hospital and to the extent of one hundred yards beyond such grounds. The designation of such attendants and employés as special policemen, in pursuance hereof, shall not be deemed to supersede, on the grounds and premises of such hospital, the authority of peace officers of the jurisdiction within which such hospital is located.

5. Give such orders and instructions as he may deem best calculated to insure good conduct, fidelity and economy in every department of labor and expense.

6. Maintain salutary discipline among all who are employed in the institution and enforce strict compliance with his instructions and uniform obedience to all rules and regulations of the hospital.

7. Establish and supervise a training school for attendants and nurses, under rules and regulations of the hospital.

8. The superintendent shall hold at least two meetings weekly with the medical staff, at which the condition of patients, especially those recently admitted, shall be considered, and matters of medical service generally shall be given attention. The superintendent shall cause a complete clinical record to be made of each patient, to be kept in such form and to comprise such matters as the commission may direct.

9. Cause full and fair accounts and records of the entire business and operations of the hospital to be kept regularly, from day to day, in books provided for that purpose.

10. See that all such accounts and records are fully made up to the last day of September in each year, and that the principal facts and results, with his report thereon, be presented to the board of managers within thirty days thereafter, who shall incorporate it in their report to the commission. The commission may prescribe the form of and the subjects to be embraced in such reports. Such superintendent shall make other reports at such times, and in such manner and in respect to such matters as the board of managers or the commission may direct.

11. Keep a book, in which he shall cause to be entered at the time of reception of any patient, his name, residence and occupation, and the date of such reception, by whom brought and by what authority and on whose petition committed, and an abstract of all orders, warrants, requests, petitions, certificates and other papers accompanying such person.

Sec. 22. PURCHASING STEWARD FOR STATE INSTITUTIONS.] The office of purchasing steward for the several State hospitals for the insane and State charitable institutions is hereby established. The purchasing steward for such hospitals and other said State institutions shall be appointed by the commission, and may be removed by it for cause stated in writing, after an opportunity to be heard, and such action shall be final. Such purchasing steward shall make all purchases for each of such hospitals and other

said State institutions, in accordance with estimates made as provided by this chapter, after a requisition therefor, approved by the superintendent of the hospital for which such purchases are required. He shall visit the hospitals and other said State institutions for which he acts, from time to time and confer with the superintendents and resident stewards thereof as to the quantity, quality and price of supplies required therefor. He shall perform such other duties in respect to the purchase of supplies for such hospitals as may be prescribed by the commission. A resident steward for each of such hospitals and other said State institutions shall be appointed and shall possess all the powers and perform all the duties conferred or imposed upon stewards of State hospitals by this chapter, except as herein otherwise provided. Such purchasing steward shall have an office in the cities of Chicago, Springfield and East St. Louis, and may appoint such clerks and assistants as may be authorized by the commission. The salaries of such purchasing steward and of such clerks and assistants shall be fixed by the commission in the same manner as those of other officers and employés. Such salaries, together with the necessary office, traveling and other expenses of such purchasing steward, actually incurred by him in the performance of his duties, shall be paid by the hospitals for which he acts, to be apportioned by the commission.

Sec. 23. MEETINGS OF SUPERINTENDENTS.] The superintendents or other officers of the several State hospitals designated by them shall meet, at least once in every three months, upon the call of the commission, at the office of the commission at Springfield, or at such other place as may be designated by it, to consult with such commission with reference to matters relating to the care and operation of the State hospitals and particularly with reference to the care and treatment of the insane. Each board of managers may, in its discretion, send one of its members to such meetings.

Sec. 24. SALARIES OF OFFICERS AND WAGES OF EMPLOYEES.] The commission, from time to time, with the approval in writing of the Governor, Secretary of State and State Auditor, shall fix the annual salaries of the resident officers of the State hospitals, which shall be uniform for like service. They shall classify the other officers and employés into grades, and, except as provided by this chapter, shall determine the salaries and wages to be paid in each grade, which shall be uniform in all the hospitals. The salaries and wages shall be included in the estimates and paid in the same manner as other expenses of the State hospitals. Food supplies shall be allowed to officers and employés and the families of the superintendents, first assistant physicians and stewards. Such families shall consist only of the wives and minor children of such officers; no other persons, except those regularly employed, shall be allowed rooms and maintenance, except at a rate to be fixed by the commission; such supplies shall be drawn from the supplies provided for general hospital use. With the approval of the commission, officers or employés of State hospitals may be permitted to live outside of such hospitals, and shall receive such sums in lieu of the quarters or supplies furnished by the hospitals, as may be equitable.

Sec. 25. QUARTERLY ESTIMATES OF EXPENSES; EMERGENCY FUND.] The superintendent of each of the State hospitals and other said State institutions shall, once in each three months as the commission may determine, cause to be prepared triplicate estimates, in minute detail, of the expenses required for the hospital of which he is the superintendent, for the ensuing three months. He shall submit two of such triplicates to the commission and file the third copy in the office of the superintendent. The commission may revise estimates for supplies or other expenditures either as to quantity, quality, or the estimated cost thereof, and shall certify that it has carefully examined the same and that the articles contained in such estimates, as approved or revised by it, are actually required for the use of the hospital, and shall thereupon present such estimate and certificate to the State Auditor. Upon the revision and approval of such estimate by the commission, the State Auditor shall authorize the superintendent as treasurer, or such other officer as the commission may designate as provided in this chapter, to make drafts on the State Auditor, as the money may be required for the purposes

mentioned in such estimates, which drafts shall be paid on the warrant of the State Auditor, out of the funds in the treasury of the State held for the care of the insane and the maintenance of State hospitals. In every such estimate there shall be a sum named, not to exceed one thousand dollars, as an emergency fund for which no minute detailed statement need be made. No money shall be expended for the use of any of the State hospitals, except as provided in this section.

Any general expenses necessarily incurred by the commission for or on account of the State hospitals shall be apportioned to such hospitals on the basis of the number of patients, and included in the estimates of such hospitals, made as provided in this section under the direction of the commission.

Sec. 26. POWERS AND DUTIES OF SUPERINTENDENT AS TREASURER.] The superintendent as treasurer of such hospital, or such officer as may be designated as treasurer by the commission as provided in this chapter, shall, subject to the rules and regulations of the commission, pertaining to his duties as treasurer:

1. Have the custody of all moneys received from the State Treasurer on account of estimates made by the superintendent and revised and approved by the commission, and keep an accurate account thereof.

2. Have the custody of all bonds, notes, mortgages and other securities and obligations belonging to the hospital.

3. Receive all money for the care and treatment of private and reimbursing patients and other sources of revenue of the hospital; but where a designation of a person as treasurer is made as provided by this chapter, the steward shall receive all such money and transmit the same, once each week, to the person so designated as treasurer, and report the amount so transmitted to the superintendent.

4. Deposit all money received from the State Treasurer on account of estimates in a bank designated by the State Auditor, in his name, as treasurer, and send each month to the State Auditor and to the commission a statement showing the amount so received and deposited, and from whom and for what received, and when such deposits were made. Such statement of deposit shall be certified by the proper officer of the bank receiving such deposit. The superintendent, as treasurer, or other officer designated as treasurer by the commission, as provided in this chapter, shall make an affidavit to the effect that the sum so deposited is all the money received by him, from any source of hospital income, up to the time of the last deposit appearing on such statement. A bank designated by the State Auditor to receive such deposits shall, before any deposit is made, execute a bond to the people of the State in a sum approved by the State Auditor, for the safe keeping of the funds deposited.

5. Pay out the money deposited for the uses of the State hospital, upon the voucher of the steward; where a person has been designated as treasurer, as provided in this chapter, such voucher shall be countersigned by the superintendent.

6. Keep full and accurate accounts of all receipts and payments, in the manner and according to books and forms prescribed and furnished by the commission.

7. Balance all accounts on his books, annually, for the year ending on the last day of September, and make a statement thereof and an abstract of the receipts and payments of the past year and deliver the same, within thirty days, to the commission.

8. Render an account of the state of the books and the funds and other property in his custody, whenever required by the commission.

9. Execute a release and satisfaction of a mortgage, judgment or other lien or debt in favor of the hospital, when paid.

10. Receive all moneys for or on account of the sale of lands of the hospital of which he is treasurer.

Sec. 27. MONTHLY STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES; VOUCHERS.] The superintendent as treasurer of each State hospital, or such other officer as may be designated as treasurer by the commission, as provided in this chapter, shall, on or before the fifteenth day of each month, make to the

State Auditor and to the commission a full and perfect statement of all the receipts and expenditures, specifying the several items, for the last preceding calendar month. Such statement shall be verified by the affidavit of the treasurer attached thereto, in the following form:

I,, treasurer of the State hospital, do solemnly aver that I have deposited in the bank designated by law for such purpose, all the moneys received by me on account of the hospital during the last month, and I do further swear that the foregoing is a true abstract of all the moneys received and payments made by me or under my direction as such treasurer during the month ending the..... day of, 190..

There shall also be forwarded to the commission the affidavit of the steward, to the effect that all goods and other articles for which vouchers are rendered were purchased and received by him, or under his direction, at the hospital; that the goods were purchased at a fair cash market price and paid for in cash, or on credit, not exceeding sixty days, and that he, or any person in his behalf, had no pecuniary or other interest in the articles purchased; that he received no pecuniary or other benefit therefrom in the way of commission, percentage, deductions or presents, or in any other manner whatever, directly or indirectly; that the articles for which vouchers are rendered were received at the hospital; that they were conformed in all respects to the invoiced goods received and ordered by him, both in quality and quantity. Such vouchers shall be examined by the commission and compared with the estimates made for the month for which the statement is rendered, and if found correct shall be endorsed and forwarded by the commission, with the statement to the State Auditor. If any voucher is found objectionable, the State Auditor shall endorse his disapproval thereon, with the reason therefor, and return it to the commission, who shall present it to the superintendent for correction, and when corrected return it to the State Auditor. All such vouchers shall be filed in the office of the State Auditor.

Sec. 28. ACTION TO RECOVER MONEYS DUE THE HOSPITAL.] The superintendent of any State hospital may bring an action in the name of the hospital, to recover for the use thereof:

1. The amount due upon any note or bond in his hands belonging to the hospital.
2. The amount charged and due, according to the by-laws of the hospital, for the support of any patient therein, or for actual disbursements made in his behalf for necessary clothing and traveling expenses. And to enforce any liability created by statute for the care and support of the insane.
3. Upon any cause of action accruing to the hospital.

Sec. 29. GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE STEWARD.] The steward, under the direction of the superintendent, and subject to the rules and regulations of the hospital, shall be accountable for the careful keeping and economical use of all furniture, stores and other articles provided for the hospital and under the direction of the superintendent, and subject to such rules and regulations shall:

1. Make all purchases for the hospital, except as otherwise provided in this chapter, and preserve the original bills and receipts thereof, and keep full and accurate accounts of the same.
2. Prepare and keep the pay rolls of the hospital.
3. Keep the accounts for the support of patients and expenses incurred in their behalf, and furnish the treasurer statements thereof as they fall due.
4. Notify the treasurer of the death or discharge of any reimbursing or pay patient, within five days after such death or discharge.

Sec. 30. PURCHASES AND CONTRACTS.] All purchases of supplies for the use of the hospital shall be made for cash or on credit or time, not exceeding sixty days; every voucher shall be duly filled up, and with every abstract of vouchers paid, there shall be proof on oath that the voucher was properly filled up and the money paid. No expenditure for supplies or other purposes shall be made for the benefit of such hospital, by contract or otherwise, unless in conformity with the provisions of this Act in relation to estimates. No member of the commission, manager or officer of a hospital

shall be interested, directly or indirectly, in the furnishing of material, labor or supplies for the use of the hospital, nor shall any such manager or officer act as attorney or counsel for such hospital. Contracts subject to the approval of the commission shall be entered into jointly, by the stewards of the State hospitals, for such staple articles of supplies, as it may be found feasible by the commission to purchase for the use of the hospitals. Such contracts shall not be let except in conformity with the provisions of this Act relating to estimates. The State hospitals may manufacture such supplies and materials to be used in any of such hospitals as can be economically made therein. All goods for the use of the hospitals shall be bought, as far as practicable, of manufacturers and their immediate agents. All contracts, if let, shall, subject to the provisions of this Act relating to estimates, be awarded to the lowest responsible bidders. A member of the commission or an officer, manager or employé of a State hospital shall not receive a gift or reward for himself or the hospital from any person, firm or corporation dealing in goods, or supplies suitable or necessary for the use of the hospital. All purchases and contracts made and executed in pursuance of law, prior to October first, nineteen hundred and nine, shall thereafter be given full force and effect, notwithstanding the change in management of the State hospitals.

Sec. 31. OFFICIAL OATH.] Each superintendent and steward of a hospital, before entering upon his duties as such, shall take the constitutional oath of office and file the same in the office of the Secretary of State.

Sec. 32. ACTIONS AGAINST COMMISSIONERS OF CONTROL, MANAGERS OR OFFICERS OF STATE HOSPITALS.] No civil action shall be brought in any court against the commission or a commissioner of control, or any officer or manager of a State hospital, for alleged damages because of any act done or failure to perform any act, while discharging their official duties, without leave of a judge of the circuit court first had and obtained. Any just claim for damages against such commission or commissioner, officer, manager, or employé, for which the State would be legally or equitably liable, may be paid out of any moneys appropriated for the care of the insane.

Sec. 33. The Commissioners of Control are hereby vested with authority to fix and determine, by all proper rules and regulations, upon the sums and amounts to be charged for the care and maintenance of insane patients (other than poor and indigent patients); but such sums and charges are to be equal and like sums in all cases of adult patients, and are to be made and charged monthly, and in no case are to be in excess of the per capita charge or amount required to actually maintain and keep the patient in the hospital for the insane, to which the respective patients may be committed (exclusive of cost of buildings, physicians' care and attendance and officers' salaries); and upon such sums and amounts having been fixed by said commissioners, by proper rules and regulations in the respective hospitals for the insane, the same and the amount so fixed and determined by the said rules and regulations shall become a charge against the estate and property of such inmate (insane person) and the persons liable under the law of this State for their charge and support, the same to be recovered in an action at law by the proper officers of the respective institutions, in the corporate name of the institution; and the said Commission of Control, by such rules and regulations as it may determine, may apportion such cost and maintenance to the State and to the patient as aforesaid, to his estate and those liable for his support; but in no case shall any person be denied admission to a State hospital for the insane or be removed therefrom on account of his or her being a poor or an indigent person, or by reason of the failure of any person to comply with any of the rules and regulations so prescribed by the said Commission of Control. The cost and charges for the care and maintenance of poor and indigent patients in said hospitals for the insane shall be governed by the laws of this State heretofore in force and hereafter to be passed.

Sec. 34. PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS FOR THE INSANE.] No person, association or corporation shall establish or keep an institution for the care, custody or treatment of the insane, for compensation or hire, without first obtaining a

license therefor from the commission. Every application for such license shall be accompanied by a plan of the premises proposed to be occupied, describing the capacities of the buildings for the uses intended, the extent and location of ground appurtenant thereto, and the number of patients proposed to be received therein, with such other information, and in such form as the commission may require. The commission shall not grant any such license without first having made an examination of the premises proposed to be licensed, and being satisfied that they are substantially as described and are otherwise fit and suitable for the purposes for which they are designed to be used, and that such license should be granted. The commission may, at any and all times, examine and ascertain how far a licensed institution is conducted in compliance with the license therefor, and after due notice to the institution and opportunity for it to be heard, the commission having made a record of the proceedings upon such hearing, may, if the interests of the inmates of the institution so demand, for just and reasonable cause then appearing and to be stated in its order, amend or revoke any such license by an order to take effect within such time after the service thereof upon the licensee, as the commission shall determine.

Sec. 35. RECOMMENDATIONS OF COMMISSION.] The authorities of each institution for the insane shall place on file in the office of the institution, the recommendations made by the commissioners as a result of their visits, for the purpose of consultation by such authorities, and for reference by the commissioners upon their visits.

Sec. 36. ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY FOR USE OF STATE HOSPITALS BY CONDEMNATION AND OTHERWISE.] The State Commission of Control may acquire, under the condemnation law, such real estate, right or interest therein, as may be necessary for the construction, maintenance and accommodation of a State hospital, if unable to agree with the owner thereof for its purchase. The proceedings for the purpose of acquiring such real estate, right or interest therein, shall be instituted and maintained in the name of the People of the State of Illinois, by the Attorney General or by such counsel as the Governor or Attorney General may designate for that purpose, upon the certificate of such commission as to the necessity of acquiring such real estate, right, or interest therein, approved and endorsed by the Governor. The commission may acquire and hold in the name of and for the People of the State of Illinois, by grant, gift, devise or bequest, property to be applied to the maintenance of insane persons in and for the general use of a hospital.

Sec. 37. ERECTION, ALTERATION, REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS OF STATE HOSPITAL BUILDINGS.] All plans and specifications for the erection, alteration, repairs and improvements of State hospital buildings shall be prepared by the State Architect, but the supervising engineer of the State Commission of Control may, when directed by the commission, prepare plans and specifications for the installation, alteration, repairs and improvements of the mechanical appliances and fixtures in the existing State hospitals, which, before adoption, shall be approved by the State Architect. The State Commission of Control shall adopt or reject any such plans or specifications and no such work shall be begun until the plans and specifications therefor have been adopted, but before the adoption thereof the commission shall submit the same to the board of managers of such hospital, and shall allow such board a period of not less than fifteen, and not more than sixty days, in which to submit a statement of their opinions and suggestions in regard thereto. Contracts for such erection, alteration, repairs and improvements may be let by the commission, subject to the approval of the Governor and State Auditor, for the whole or any part of the work to be performed, and in the discretion of the commission such contracts may be sublet. Special orders for such work in amounts less than one thousand dollars may be issued by the State architect upon authorization by the commission. The commission shall determine to what extent and for what length of time advertisements are to be inserted in newspapers for proposals for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of State hospital buildings. A preliminary deposit, or certified check, drawn upon some legally incorporated bank in this State shall in all cases be required as an evidence of good faith upon

all proposals for buildings, alterations, repairs or improvements, to be deposited with the treasurer of the hospital for which the work is to be performed, in an amount to be determined by the State Architect, but work done by special orders in an amount less than one thousand dollars need have no such deposit or check, provided payment is to be made only after the work is completed and approved. All contracts in an amount greater than one thousand dollars shall have the performance thereof secured by a sufficient bond or bonds to be approved by and filed with the commission. The work or erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of any building or plant may be done by the employment of inmate or outside labor, either or both, and by the purchase of materials in the open market whenever in the opinion of the commission and State Architect such course shall be more advantageous to the State, but no compensation shall be allowed for the employment of inmate labor. Where money is appropriated for any specific purpose other than maintenance and the work, materials furniture apparatus or other supplies are not to be performed or purchased pursuant to contract or special order duly made therefor, such money shall be expended pursuant to special fund estimates made to the commission by the superintendent of the hospital for which such appropriation is made. The law governing the revision of estimates of the expense required for the State hospitals for the insane shall apply to such estimates, and when such work is to be performed in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by the State Architect or is to be paid for from appropriations for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of building or plant, such estimates shall also be subject to his approval. Except as above specified, all such work shall be done by contract or special order. The form of the contract or special order shall be prescribed by the State Architect. All payments on contracts or special orders shall be made on the certificate of the State Architect, approved by the commission, as the work progresses or the purchase of material is made, and upon bills duly certified. No item of an appropriation made for the performance of such work shall be available except for advertising, unless one or more contracts, special orders or special fund estimates shall first have been made for the completion of such work within the appropriation therefor. All contracts for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of hospitals shall contain a clause that the contract shall only be deemed executory to the extent of the moneys available, and no liability shall be incurred by the state beyond the moneys available for the purpose. If any appropriation be made for the erection, alteration, repairs or improvements of buildings or plant in an appropriation act specifying two or more objects for which the appropriation is made and any one of such objects shall have been accomplished for a sum less than the amount specified in the Act, the unexpended balance shall be applicable to the completion of any other work specified in the Act, provided that after due advertisement no bids shall have been received within the amount specifically appropriated therefor.

Sec. 38. STREETS AND RAILROADS THROUGH HOSPITAL LANDS.] No public street or road for railroad or other purposes shall be opened through the lands of a State hospital, unless the Legislature by special law consents thereto.

Sec. 39. The commission may appoint agents, whose duty it shall be to secure from relatives and friends who are liable therefor, or who may be willing to assume the cost of support of any of the inmates of State hospitals as are being supported by the State, re-imbursement in whole or in part of the money so expended. The compensation of each agent shall not exceed five dollars a day and the necessary traveling and other incidental expenses incurred by him, to be approved by the State Auditor. The commission may fix a rate to be paid for the support of the inmates of State hospitals by relatives liable for such support or by those not liable for such support but willing to assume the cost thereof; but such rate shall be sufficient to cover a proper proportion of the cost of maintenance per capita (exclusive of cost of buildings, physicians' care and attendance and officers' salaries). The main-

tenance of any inmate of a State hospital, committed thereto upon a court order arising out of any criminal action or proceeding, shall be paid by the county from which such inmate was committed.

Sec. 40. LIABILITY FOR THE CARE AND SUPPORT OF THE INSANE, OTHER THAN THE POOR AND INDIGENT.] The father, grandfather, mother, grandmother, children, grandchildren, brothers or sisters of an insane person, if of sufficient ability; and the conservator of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

The costs and charges of the commitment and transfer of such insane person to a State hospital shall be paid by the conservator, or the father, grandfather, mother, grandmother, children, grandchildren, brothers or sisters of such person, to be recovered in an action brought in the name of the People by the commission, the hospital for the insane, by its corporate name, the county, or the overseer of the poor of the town where such insane person may be, but there shall be but one recovery for any sum due. In all claims of the State upon relatives liable for the support of a patient or upon moneys or property held by said patient, the State shall be deemed a preferred creditor.

Sec. 41. ENTRIES IN CASE BOOK.] Every superintendent or other person in charge of an institution for the care and treatment of the insane shall, within three days after the reception of a patient, make, or cause to be made, a descriptive entry of such case in a book exclusively set apart for that purpose. He shall also make or cause to be made, entries, from time to time, of the mental state, bodily condition and medical treatment of such patient during the time such patient remains under his care, and in the event of the discharge or death of such person, he shall state in such book the circumstances thereof, and make such other entries at such intervals of time and in such form as may be required by the commission.

Sec. 42. TRANSFER OF PATIENTS WHEN HOSPITAL IS OVERCROWDED.] When the building of any State hospital shall become overcrowded with patients or the number of buildings shall be reduced by fire or other casualties or for other cause, the commission may, in its discretion, cause the transfer of patients therefrom, or direct that patients required to be sent thereto, be transferred to another State hospital, where they can be conveniently received, or make, in special emergencies, temporary provision for their care, preference to be given in such transfers to a hospital in an adjoining rather than in a remote district. The expense of such transfer shall be chargeable to the State and the bills for the same, when approved by the commission, shall be paid by the treasurer of the State, on the warrant of the State Auditor, out of any moneys provided for the support of the insane.

Sec. 43. INVESTIGATION INTO THE CARE AND TREATMENT OF THE INSANE.]--When the commission has reason to believe that any person adjudged insane is wrongfully deprived of his liberty, or is cruelly, negligently or improperly treated, or inadequate provision is made for his skillful medical care, proper supervision and safe keeping, it may ascertain the facts, or may order an investigation of the facts by one of its members. It, or the commissioner conducting the proceeding, may issue compulsory process for the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers, and exercise the powers conferred upon a master in chancery in the circuit court. If the commission deem it proper, it may issue an order, directed to any or all institutions, directing and providing for such remedy or treatment, or both, as shall be therein specified. If such order be just and reasonable, and be approved by three circuit judges sitting *en banc*, who may require a notice to be given of the application for such approval, it shall be binding upon any and all institutions and persons to which it is directed, and any wilful disobedience of such order shall be a criminal contempt and punishable as such. Whenever the commission shall undertake an investigation into the general management and administration of any institution for the insane, it may give notice to the Attorney General of any such investigation, and the Attorney General shall appear personally or by deputy and examine witnesses who

may be in attendance. The commission, or any member thereof, may at any time visit and examine the inmates of any county or city almshouse, to ascertain if insane persons are kept therein.

Sec. 44. **HABEAS CORPUS.**]—Any one in custody as an insane person is entitled to a writ of habeas corpus upon a proper application made by him or some friend in his behalf. Upon the return of such writ, the fact of his insanity shall be inquired into and determined. The medical history of the patient, as it appears in the case book, shall be given in evidence, and the superintendent or medical officer in charge of the institution wherein such person is held in custody, and any proper person, shall be sworn, touching the mental condition of such person.

Sec. 45. **DISCHARGE OF PATIENTS.**]—The superintendent of a State hospital on filing his written certificate with the commission, may discharge any patient, except one held upon an order of a court or judge having criminal jurisdiction in an action or proceeding arising out of a criminal offense at any time, as follows:

1. A patient who, in his judgment, is recovered.

- 1a. A person who, in his opinion, is not insane; including dotards.

2. Any patient who is not recovered but whose discharge, in the judgment of the superintendent, will not be detrimental to the public welfare, or injurious to the patient: *Provided, however,* That before making such certificate, the superintendent shall satisfy himself, by sufficient proof, that friends or relatives of the patient are willing and financially able to receive and properly care for such patient after his discharge.

The superintendent may grant a parole to a patient, not exceeding thirty days, under general conditions prescribed by the commission.

A poor and indigent patient discharged by the superintendent because he is an idiot, or a dotard, not insane, or an epileptic, not insane, or because he is not a proper case for treatment within the meaning of this chapter, shall be received and cared for, by the superintendent of the poor or other authority having similar power, in the county from which he was committed. A patient held upon an order of a court or judge having criminal jurisdiction, in an action or proceeding arising from a criminal offense, may be discharged upon the superintendent's certificate of recovery, approved by any such court or judge.

Sec. 46. **CLOTHING AND MONEY TO BE FURNISHED DISCHARGED PATIENTS.**]—No patient shall be discharged from a State hospital without suitable clothing adapted to the season in which he is discharged; and if it can not be otherwise obtained, the steward shall, upon the order of the superintendent, furnish the same, and money not exceeding twenty-five dollars, to defray his necessary expenses until he can reach his relatives or friends, or find employment to earn a subsistence.

Sec. 47. **TRANSFER OF NON-RESIDENT PATIENTS.**]—If an order be issued by any judge, committing to a State hospital a poor or indigent person, who has not acquired a legal settlement in this State, the commission of control shall return such insane person, either before or after his admission to a State hospital, to the country or State to which he belongs, and for such purpose may expend so much of the money appropriated for the care of the insane as may be necessary, subject to the audit of the State Auditor.

Sec. 48. **SALE OF UNCLAIMED PERSONAL PROPERTY OF DISCHARGED OR DECEASED PATIENTS.**] All articles of personal property belonging to a discharged or deceased patient of a State hospital for the insane and in the custody of the superintendent or other proper officer of such hospital, may, if unclaimed by such discharged patient, or the legal representatives of such deceased patient for a period of six months after the discharge or decease of such patient, be sold at public auction in such manner and after such notice or advertisement as the commission shall prescribe, and the proceeds of such sale shall be paid into the amusement fund of such hospital.

Sec. 49. The Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, as constituted and established under an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the location, erection, organization and management of an asylum for insane criminals, and mak-

ing an appropriation for the construction of necessary buildings," approved June 1, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, is hereby declared to be under the jurisdiction of said commission of control, when established, and the same is to be controlled and managed by the provisions of this Act, the commission of control, a board of managers, consisting of seven members as herein provided and subject to all the provisions of this Act, in the management and purchase of supplies for the said institution and the making of reports; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to amend or repeal sections six, seven, eight, nine, ten and eleven of the Act in this section referred to and establishing the said Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals.

Sec. 50. The cost of the care and maintenance of persons so committed to the said Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals shall be defrayed in the manner now provided for by law, out of the treasury of the State of Illinois; but in the superintendence of the said institution and the expenditure of said moneys, the same shall be fully under the management and control of the Commission of Control and a board of managers, as provided for in this Act.

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STATE INSTITUTIONS.

Sec. 51. The Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children, at Lincoln, in the county of Logan, as established under the laws of 1865, and as amended; the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy, in the county of Adams, as established under the laws of 1885, and as amended; the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, at Chicago, in the county of Cook, as established under the laws of 1887, and as amended; the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago, in the county of Cook, as established under the laws of 1865, and as amended; the Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois, at Wilmington, in the county of Will, as established under the laws of 1895, and as amended; the St. Charles School for Boys, at St. Charles, in the county of Kane, as established by an Act passed and approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders, at Geneva, in the county of Kane, as established by an Act approved June 22, 1893, in force July 1, 1893; the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, at Normal, in the county of McLean, as established under the laws of 1865, are, and each of them is, hereby continued as State institutions, for the purposes for which they were established and under the various Acts by which they were established. Except as herein in this Act amended and changed, the said institutions and each of them are hereby declared to be under the jurisdiction and control, and subject to the supervision, of said commissioners of control, who shall exercise all of the power and authority hereinbefore granted to said Commission of Control over State institutions, in so far as the same may be applicable to said institutions; and all provisions and supplies necessary to be purchased and provided for in said institutions, shall be purchased and provided for under the authority of the general purchasing department of the State, hereafter to be provided by said Commission of Control, under the provisions of this Act; and each of said institutions shall have a steward; and the method of furnishing, providing, acquiring and reporting as to supplies and necessities of each of said institutions shall be the same, as near as may be, as the provisions hereinbefore provided and enacted for the regulation and management of the hospitals for the insane.

Sec. 52. Each of said State institutions, the Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children, at Lincoln; the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy; the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, at Chicago; the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago; the Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois, at Wilmington; the St. Charles School for Boys, at St. Charles; the State Home for Juvenile Female Offenders, at Geneva; and the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, at Normal, as provided for in section 51 of this Act, shall be under the control and management of a board of managers, subject to the statutory powers of the commission. On or after the first of October,

nineteen hundred and nine, the Governor shall appoint a board, consisting of seven members, not more than four of whom shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party. He shall so arrange their terms of office of one, two, three, four, five, six and seven years, that a term shall expire on the thirtieth day of September in each year, beginning with the year nineteen hundred and ten. After the expiration of such terms, managers shall be appointed for terms of seven years. If a vacancy occurs, otherwise than by expiration of term, the appointment of the manager to fill such vacancy shall be for the unexpired term of the manager whose office became vacant.

Sec. 53. APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL OF MANAGERS.] The members of the boards of managers provided for in section 52 of this Act shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, as often as a vacancy shall occur by expiration of term or otherwise, and they may severally continue in office until their successors are appointed and have qualified, and they shall be subject to removal by the Governor, after having been notified in writing of the reasons for the proposed removal and having been given an opportunity to be heard. All managers shall be residents of the State of Illinois. No person shall be eligible to the office of such manager who is either an elective State officer or a member of the Legislature, and if any such manager shall become a member of the Legislature or an elective State officer, his office as such manager shall thereupon be vacant. If any such manager fails for a period of six months to attend the regular meetings of the board of which he is a member, the secretary of the board shall notify the Governor of such absence, with any explanation thereof which may be submitted by such manager, and unless the Governor shall, within thirty days thereafter, notify the secretary that he has excused such manager for such absence, the office of such manager shall thereupon be deemed to be vacant: and if any manager fails for one year to attend such regular meetings, his office shall become vacant. When any such vacancy shall occur, the board, by resolution, shall so declare, and a certified copy of such resolution shall forthwith be transmitted by the board to the commission and to the Governor. In the month of January of each year, the secretary of the board of managers shall transmit to the Governor a statement showing the record of attendance of each manager at meetings of the board, the number and dates of visits to the hospital, with a statement of any other work for the hospital performed by such manager, which said manager may request to have transmitted to the Governor. The manager whose term is first to expire shall act as president of the board of managers of each said institution.

Sec. 54. GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF BOARDS OF MANAGERS.] The powers and duties conferred upon the board of managers of the hospitals for the insane under section 19 of this Act, so far as the same may be applicable, shall be and hereby are conferred upon the board of managers of the said institutions provided for in section 52 of this Act.

Sec. 55. OFFICERS.] The Commission of Control shall appoint, subject to the approval of the board of managers of each of said institutions, as often as a vacancy shall occur therein, a superintendent. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of superintendent of any of said institutions, the Commission of Control, with the approval of the board of managers of such institution, may transfer to such position the superintendent of any other of said institutions, subject to the consent of the board of managers of such other institution. Each superintendent shall be the treasurer of the said institution for which he is appointed unless the commission shall designate a person to act as treasurer, as in this Act provided; and before entering upon his duties as such treasurer, shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking to the people, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by the State Auditor, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. The superintendent may be removed by a vote of a majority of the board of managers, for cause stated in writing, and after an opportunity has been given him to be heard thereon, and such action, when approved by the commission, shall be final. Pending the investigation of any charges against a superintendent and the decision thereon,

the board of managers may suspend such superintendent. The commission may prefer charges of misconduct or incompetency against any superintendent to the board of managers of the hospital of which he is superintendent, and the board shall thereupon investigate the truth of such charges. On the first day of October, nineteen hundred and nine, the office of treasurer in each of the said State institutions shall be abolished and their powers and duties may be conferred upon the superintendent, or the commission may designate a person in its office to act as treasurer for all the said institutions, who shall have the powers and perform the duties of treasurer as to such institution as prescribed in this Act, and shall perform such other duties as the commission impose. The person so designated, before entering upon the performance of his duties as such treasurer, shall file with the State Auditor his undertaking, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by him, to the effect that he will faithfully perform his trust as such treasurer. A superintendent in office on the first day of October, nineteen hundred and nine, shall be continued in office until removed pursuant to law, notwithstanding the change hereby made in the manner of his appointment.

Sec. 56. The superintendent of each of said institutions shall be its chief executive officer, and in his absence or sickness, an assistant superintendent of the said institutions, and who shall exercise the powers and be subject to the responsibilities of the superintendent, shall be provided for by the rules and regulations of the said commission. Subject to the by-laws and regulations established by the commission and the managers under the provisions of this Act, the superintendent shall have general superintendence of the buildings, grounds and farm, together with their furniture, fixtures and stock, and the direction and control of all persons therein, and subject to such by-laws and regulations as may be provided for by the said Commission of Control.

Sec. 57. All of the powers, duties and regulations provided for the purchasing steward of the State hospital for the insane, under section 22 of this Act, shall be extended to the said institutions provided for in section 51 of this Act; and each of said institutions shall have a purchasing steward, with all of the powers, duties and responsibilities of purchasing stewards as provided for hereinbefore in this Act, and be subject to all of the rules and regulations and provisions herein enacted and hereafter to be provided for in a purchasing department for all of the institutions and hospitals under the control of the said Commission of Control.

Sec. 58. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to cover or extend to either of the Illinois State penitentiaries, the Illinois Reform School at Pontiac, or any of the educational institutions in this State, including the School for Deaf and for the Education of the Blind, at Jacksonville, in the State of Illinois.

Sec. 59. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to amend, revise or repeal any of the provisions of the Acts establishing the institutions set out and described in section 51 of this Act, except as herein specially provided; and to the end that the spirit and intent of this Act shall be fully carried out as to the said Illinois Asylum for Feeble-Minded, at Lincoln; the Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, at the city of Chicago; the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy; the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago; the Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois, at Wilmington; the St. Charles School for Boys, at St. Charles; the State Home for Juvenile Offenders, at Geneva; and the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans Home, at Normal, under the provisions and terms of this Act, said institutions, as to all matters and regulations not herein provided for, shall be subject to the jurisdiction and control of the specific Acts under which the said institutions were respectively established.

Sec. 60. All Acts and parts of Acts in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Ireland moved that the House refuse to recede from their amendments to Senate Bill No. 448, and asked the appointment of a Conference Committee on the part of the House to act with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust the differences arising between the two houses on said amendments.

And the motion prevailed.

Thereupon, the Speaker appointed as such Conference Committee: Messrs. Hope, Ireland, ApMadoc, Groves, W. M., and Bolin.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Tippet called up Senate Bill No. 77, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 77, a bill for "An Act to give the circuit courts of this State and the Superior Courts of Cook county in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts, in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts, and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof, and to repeal an Act therein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 114.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Hagan,	Luke,	Robinson,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Daley,	Holaday,	McGuire,	Scott,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Sollitt,
Blair,	English,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Bolin,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Espy,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Tippitt,
Browne,	Etherton,	King,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burns,	Finley,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Bush,	Flagg,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Forst,	Lantz,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Foulton,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Link,	Price,	Zipf,
Clark,	Griffin,	Logan,	Richter,	

Yeas—114

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL NO. 737.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry," approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903. And as amended by Act approved May 18th, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

Together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 737, in line 26, after the last "of" in said line, by inserting the following words, "any of the rivers or streams of this State."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend said bill in lines 26 and 27, by striking out the words "the channels of the Okaw, Cache, Saline, Sangamon and Little Wabash and Big Muddy rivers."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend said bill by adding the following at the end of section 1 of said bill, "*Provided, further*, that the persons or municipalities applying for the service of said convicts, shall make satisfactory arrangements with the commissioners of the penitentiary from which said convicts are obtained, to defray all expenses of board, lodging, surveillance and transportation of said convicts while they are so employed in said improvements."

Passed the Senate with amendments May 29th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 127.

A bill for "An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in lines two and three the words and figures "sixteen thousand two hundred dollars (\$16,200.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "six thousand two hundred dollars (\$6,200.00)."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by inserting in line four, after the word "for" and before the word "improvements," the following words: "the repair of target butts, erection of backstop, grading and other necessary."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out lines 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Passed the Senate, with amendments, May 29th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 126.

A bill for "An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois," together with the following amendments thereto, in the adoption of which amendments I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in lines two and three the words and figures "thirty thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$30,750)" and insert in lieu thereof "twenty thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$20,750)."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by inserting in line 4, after the word "for" and before the word "improvements," the following words: "barracks, buildings, pistol butts, targets, cement sidewalk, grading, dredging drainage ditch, and other necessary."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out lines 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10.
Passed the Senate, with amendments, May 29th, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing messages reporting Senate amendments to House Bills numbered 737, 126 and 127, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Dudgeon called up Senate Bill No. 463, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 463, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes,' approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 108; nays, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Gray,	Maclelan,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Black,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Murphy, Win.	Stearns,
Blair,	English,	Holaday,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Erby,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Hull,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Espy,	Hutzler,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Parker,	Troyer,
Bush,	Finley,	Keck,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Butts,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Flannigen,	King,	Pierson,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lane,	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Riley,	York,
Church,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Schumacher,	
Crawford,	Grace,	Link,	Scott,	

Yeas—108

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne. Corcoran, Murphy. E. J. Walsh,

Nays—4

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 173, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 173, a bill for "An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 108.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	English,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Staymates,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Myers,	Steverson,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Finley,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brady,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neill,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Parker,	Welborn,
Bush,	Glade,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Grace,	Lederer,	Pierson,	White,
Cermak,	Gray,	Lewis,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Clark,	Groves, J.	Link,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Riley,	York,
Curran,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	
DeWolf,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Scott,	Yeas—108

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Corcoran,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 430.

A bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission.

Together with the Senate amendment thereto, in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

Amend by striking out in lines 4, 5, 6 and 7 of section 1, on page 2 of printed bill, the following: "Two members thereof to be appointed from

the faculties or trustees of the following universities: University of Illinois, University of Chicago, Northwestern University, and three members from the State at large."

Passed by the Senate, with amendments, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing message reporting Senate amendments to House Bill No. 430, was ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

By unanimous consent, Mr. King called up Senate Bill No. 57, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 57, a bill for "An Act creating the office of State Fire Marshal, prescribing his duties and providing for his compensation and for the maintenance of his office."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 86; nays, 36.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Groves, W. M.	Lawrence,	Richter,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Rigney,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Scanlan,
Beck,	English,	Holaday,	Logan,	Schumacher,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hope,	Lyons,	Scott,
Brady,	Erickson,	Hull,	Maclean,	Shanahan,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Huston,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
Burgett,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Butts,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Finley,	Kannally,	Mills,	Terrill,
Carter,	Flagg,	Keck,	Montellus,	Ton,
Chipherfield,	Foster,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Troyer,
Church,	Fulton,	King,	Nelson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cliffe,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Corcoran,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	York,
Crawford,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Zinger,
Curran,	Gray,	Lane,	Price,	Zipf,
	Griffin,			Yeas—86

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Luke,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Allison,	Fahy,	McCollum,	Riley,	White,
Alschuler,	Forst,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.	Wilson, R. E.
Beckerneyer,	Galligan,	Morris,	Staymates,	Mr. Speaker,
Browne,	Geshkewich,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,	Nays—36
Burns,	Gorman,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,	
Clark,	Hilton,	Naylor,	Walsh,	
Daley,	Link,	O'Brien,	Werdell,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to concur with them in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 465.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 465 in House by striking out the title of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"An Act to create a waterway commission and make an appropriation therefor."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

That the Governor shall, within ten days after this Act takes effect, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint a commission of seven members, not more than four of whom shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party, to be known as the Waterway Commission of Illinois. The duty of said commission shall be to carry out the provisions of this Act, and each member shall be entitled to receive a salary of two hundred dollars per month, excepting the chairman of the commission, who shall be entitled to receive two hundred and fifty dollars per month; *Provided*, That such compensation shall be limited to the time necessary to perform the duties imposed by this Act, said time not to extend for a period longer than twelve months.

Sec. 2. The commission shall proceed forthwith to secure all necessary data, make all sufficient and needful investigations, and prepare plans and estimates of cost for a deep waterway and the works accessory thereto, authorized by the amendment to the Constitution of Illinois, adopted at the election on November 3, 1908, said plans and estimates to be based upon the construction of a channel of an ultimate depth of not less than twenty-four feet and to be otherwise in conformity with the recommendations of the Internal Improvement Commission of Illinois, submitted to the Forty-fifth General Assembly on April 10, 1907. The route of the deep waterway shall be by way of the Sanitary District Channel and the natural channel of the Desplaines and Illinois rivers, from the Lake Michigan level, and the present water power plant of the Sanitary and Ship Canal of Chicago, near Lockport, in Lockport township, Will county, to a point at or near Utica, in La Salle county. The channel of the Joliet level, extending from Lockport to Lake Joliet, shall be based upon the ultimate depth and a width, below the northern city limits of Joliet, of not less than four hundred feet between masonry dock walls. The channel below the Joliet level may be based upon a preliminary depth of not less than fourteen feet on a bottom width of not less than two hundred feet. All permanent structures in connection with the deep waterway shall be based upon an ultimate depth of not less than twenty-four feet in the channel; bridges shall have draw spans not less than four hundred feet in length, over all, with two openings of not less than one hundred sixty feet each in the clear; locks shall be five in number and not less than one hundred eight feet in width and nine hundred sixty feet in effective length. The sites for locks, dams and water power plants shall in general be so selected as to extend the several levels or pools down stream as far as practicable. The Kankakee level in particular shall extend below the mouth of the Kankakee river and as near to the city of Morris as physical conditions will permit, and the Morris level shall be extended to the vicinity of the city of Ottawa and so as to admit the diversion of the Fox river into the said level.

Sec. 3. The commission shall make a report on or before January 1st, 1910, setting forth its plans and estimates and submit the same to the Governor and the General Assembly and confer with the proper authorities of the United States of America and any agency authorized by Congress in regard to a program of coöperation and joint action by which the United States of America shall undertake or provide for those features which pertain most immediately to the easement for navigation, as locks and swing bridges, and to the end that all work shall be in harmony and of approved design and quality. In the consideration of all common purposes the United States En-

gineer officer immediately in charge of the Illinois division of the deep waterway may, with the consent of the Secretary of War, be an ex-officio member of the commission, in an advisory capacity only, and be allowed his incidental expenses as in the case of other members of the commission.

Sec. 4. The commission is authorized and empowered to employ any help and make all expenditures that may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of this Act the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 6. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants upon the State Treasurer for the sums herein appropriated, said warrants to be drawn only on itemized bills certified by the chairman of the commission and approved by the Governor.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Smejkal moved that the House refuse to recede from their amendments to House Bill No. 465, and asked the appointment of a conference committee on the part of the House to act with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust the differences arising between the two houses on said amendments.

And the motion prevailed.

Thereupon, the Speaker appointed as such Conference Committee: Messrs. Smejkal, Shanahan, Chipfield, Browne and Riley.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendment to House Bill No. 658, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as further amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.'"

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 658 in the Senate, section 25, in line 3, after the word "guns," printed bill by inserting the following words: "rabbits or."

Also in line 51 of section 25, after the word "game" printed bill by inserting the following words: "or rabbits."

Mr. English moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 658.

Whereupon, Mr. Foster moved to lay that motion upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

And the motion to non-concur was ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr. Foster moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 658, and,

On that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas. 90; nays, 20.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Chiperfield,	Gray,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Church,	Griffin,	Mills,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hagan,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Morris,	Shephard, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Staymates,
AmMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Bardill,	Erby,	Hull,	Murray,	Stevensor,
Beck,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Ton,
Browne,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Walsh,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pierston,	Welborn,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Price,	Werdell,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	White,
Campbell,	Glade,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Grace,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Zipf,

Yeas—90

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Behrens,	Durfee,	Finley,	McCollum,	Scott,
Briscoe,	English,	Groves, J.	Myers,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Espy,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.
Crawford,	Etherton,	Lewis,	Riley,	York,

Nays—20

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 658.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendments to House Bill No. 439, a bill for "An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Strike out all after the word "A bill" in the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A bill for an Act in relation to disposition of unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations and trust companies in this State."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following: That the circuit court, upon the application of the State's attorney of the proper county, or the Attorney General of the State, shall order and decree that all amounts of money heretofore or hereafter deposited with any bank, savings bank, banking association or trust company, doing business in the State of Illinois, to the credit of depositors who have not made a deposit on said account or withdrawn any part thereof or the interest, or in whose pass books the interest has not been added, which shall have remained unclaimed for more than ten (10) years after the date of such last deposit; withdrawal of any part of principal or interest or adding interest on the pass books and for which no claimant is known or the depositor of it cannot be found, shall, with the increase or proceeds thereof, be paid into the treasury of the State of Illinois, to be held and used by the State Treasurer according to law, subject to be repaid to the person or the heirs, executors or administrators of such person, having and establishing a lawful right thereto, with interest at the rate of three per cent per annum from the time when it was so paid into the State treasury to the time when it is paid over to such person. Upon the filing of the petition by the State's attorney or the Attorney General, summons shall forthwith issue to each defendant mentioned in the petition, and shall be served in the same manner as is provided in cases in chancery. Process shall also be issued against the

unknown owners and claimants by the name and description of unknown owners. A notice shall be given to such unknown owners in the same manner as notices are required to be given to unknown owners in proceedings in chancery.

Sec. 2. Any person or heirs, executors or administrators of such person, claiming a right to the money deposited with the State Treasurer under the provisions of the foregoing section may establish his right or the rights of the heirs, executors or administrators of such person thereof by filing a petition in chancery in the circuit court of Sangamon county, in the State of Illinois, stating the nature of his claim and praying such money to be paid to him, or the legal representatives, as herein provided. A copy of such petition shall be served upon the Attorney General. The court shall thereupon examine said claim and the allegations and proofs and if it shall find that such person or the heirs, executors or administrators of such person are entitled to any money paid into the State treasury, as aforesaid, such court shall find any decree the amount to which such person or the heirs, executors or administrators of such person, are entitled.

A certified copy of the order or decree of the circuit court shall be a sufficient voucher for the Auditor of Public Accounts for drawing a warrant on the State Treasurer for the payment to such person or his heirs, executors or administrators of the amount so found to be due him. It shall be the duty of the Auditor of Public Accounts, when the certified copy of such decree or order is filed with him, to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer, payable to the order of the person or his heirs, executors or administrators named in such decree for the amount therein mentioned and it shall be the duty of the treasurer to pay the amount of such warrant.

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 439.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 86.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hruby,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Dillon,	Huston,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Bardill,	Donahue,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Shepard, H. A.
Beck,	Erby,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Brady,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Burgett,	Finley,	Kieeman,	Murray,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lane,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Campbell,	Glade,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Carter,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Grace,	Liggett,	Piereson,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Clark,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Riley,	
Crawford,	Hamilton,			

Yeas—86

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 439.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cermak called up Senate Bill No. 226, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 226, a bill for "An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a house of correction employes pension fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 82; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hope,	Mills,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	English,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shepherd, H. A.
Adkins,	Erby,	Hull,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Sollitt,
Blair,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Lane,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Burns,	Forst,	Lawrence,	Naylor,	Tippitt,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lewis,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Link,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Price,	Wheelan,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Luke,	Richter,	White,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Wilson, F. J.
Crawford,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Scott,	York,
DeWolf,	Holaday,			Yeas—82

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Dudgeon,	Zipf,	Nays—2
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Chipperfield called up Senate Bill No. 497, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 497, a bill for "An Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any mechanical establishment or factory or laundry in order to safeguard the health of such employes, to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 86; nays, 9.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hilton,	Mills,	Scott,
Allison,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Morris,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Etherton,	Hull,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Finley,	King,	Nelson,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Butts,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Glade,	Lewis,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Chipperfield,	Grace,	Lyon,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gray,	McCollum,	Richardson,	York,
Crawford,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Scanlan,	Yeas—86
Curran,	Groves, J.			

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Burns,	Dudgeon,	Luke,	Riley,	Tippitt,
Bush,	Erby,	Montelius,	Shaw,	Nays—9

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 737, a bill for "An Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal

and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry,' approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 737, in line 26, after the last "of" in said line, by inserting the following words, "any of the rivers or streams of this State."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend said bill in lines 26 and 27, by striking out the words "the channels of the Okaw, Cache, Saline, Sangamon and Little Wabash and Big Muddy rivers."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend said bill by adding the following at the end of section 1 of said bill, "Provided, further, that the persons or municipalities applying for the service of said convicts, shall make satisfactory arrangements with the commissioners of the penitentiary from which said convicts are obtained, to defray all expenses of board, lodging, surveillance and transportation of said convicts while they are so employed in said improvements."

Mr. Tippit moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 737.

And the motion prevailed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 6:20 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 8:00 o'clock, p. m.

The motion prevailed.

The hour of 8:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to recede from their amendments to House Bill No. 737 a bill for "An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry," approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, and has requested that a committee of conference be appointed consisting of three members from each house to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Potter, Henson and Glackin.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull called up Senate Bill No. 512, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 512, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations,' approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 71; nays, 19.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford.	Holaday,	Mills,	Stearns,
Adkins,	Donahue.	Hull,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler.	Nelson,	Terrill,
Bardill,	Durfee.	Jewell,	Perkins.	Ton,
Beck,	Erby,	Kerrick.	Pervier,	Troyer,
Black,	Erickson,	King,	Pierson,	Welborn,
Brady,	Fieldstack.	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Rigney,	York,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Carter,	Grace,	Liggett,	Shanahan,	Yeas—71
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	
Church,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Smejkal,	
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	McMackin.	Sollitt,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Fahy,	Griffin,	Murphy, Wm.	White,
Briscoc,	Forst,	Luke,	Shephard, H. A.	Wilson, R. E.
Browne,	Foster,	McGuire,	Staymates,	Nays—19

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hull called up Senate Bill No. 414, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 414, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the creation of art commissions in cities and to define their powers,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 88.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams.	Clark,	Hilton,	Mills.	Stearns,
Adkins,	Crawford.	Holaday,	Montelius.	Stevenson.
Allison,	Donahue.	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan.
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler.	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill.
Bardill,	Durfee,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Ton,
Beck,	Erby,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Keck,	Perkins,	Walsh,
Black,	Fahy,	Kerrick.	Pervier,	Welborn,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	King,	Pierson,	Wardell,
Brownback.	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick.	Richter,	White,
Browne	Fulton,	Kleeman.	Rigney,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lederer.	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Grace,	Lewis,	Shanahan.	York,
Carter,	Gray,	Liggett.	Shaw,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Griffin,	Link,	Shephard, H. A.	Zipf,
Chiperfield.	Groves, J.	Logan,	Shepherd, F. W.	Yeas—88
Church,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Sollitt,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 472.

A bill for "An Act to appropriate two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes.

HOUSE BILL No. 470.

A bill for an Act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an Act entitled, "An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor," approved May 27, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 721.

A bill for an Act to amend section ninety-one (91) of an Act entitled, "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875.

HOUSE BILL No. 36.

A bill for an Act to amend section four of an Act entitled, "An Act to organize and regulate county fire insurance companies," approved June 2, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877, so as to allow persons other than members to be appointed treasurer.

HOUSE BILL No. 488.

A bill for an Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum, and other biological products for free distribution to the live stock producers of the State of Illinois and making an appropriation therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 92.

A bill for an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to reconvey."

HOUSE BILL No. 401.

A bill for an Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments, and defining certain offenses in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

HOUSE BILL No. 688.

A bill for an Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

HOUSE BILL No. 458.

A bill for an Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended April 26, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 95.

A bill for an Act authorizing the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, located at Normal, Illinois, to sell lots two (2) and three (3) in block thirty-seven (37) in Cassady's addition to the city of Joliet, Will county, Illinois.

HOUSE BILL No. 645.

A bill for an Act making appropriation to repair bridges over the Illinois and Michigan canal at points where highways existed prior to construction of said canal.

HOUSE BILL No. 683.

A bill for an Act to make an appropriation to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river.

HOUSE BILL No. 711.

A bill for an Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the services and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State, and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation, and extending the time for the report of said commission.

HOUSE BILL No. 714.

A bill for an Act to amend section 37 of an Act entitled, "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act entitled, "An Act to amend section thirty-seven, seventy-four and one hundred and one of an Act entitled, "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, approved May 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883.

HOUSE BILL No. 462.

A bill for an Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872. Title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874, and in force July 1, 1874.

HOUSE BILL No. 39.

A bill for an Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate courts and county courts having probate jurisdiction so as to include the complete administration of testate estates.

HOUSE BILL No. 56.

A bill for an Act in relation to unclaimed money in the county treasury and for the appointment of administrators or executors in relation thereto.

HOUSE BILL No. 686.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows," in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 687.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing ground hogs," approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 275.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of article XV of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to township organization," approved and in force March 4, 1874.

HOUSE BILL No. 604.

A bill for an Act in relation to certain old mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancellation thereof on the records, as incumbrances against real estate.

HOUSE BILL No. 156.

A bill for an Act to amend sections two and three of an Act entitled, 'An Act creating the office of supervising architect of the State of Illinois, and defining his powers and duties,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 16, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

HOUSE BILL No. 363.

An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to the probate of wills," approved June 3, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.

Passed by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 732.

A bill for an Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages under an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.

Passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of House amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 385.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employés in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof," which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend section three (3), line 25, by striking out the word "within" and inserting the word "without."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend section ten (10) line three (3) by striking out the word "each" and inserting "such" so as to read "such female" instead of "each female."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 in House by striking out all of section 6.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 in House by striking out all of section 7 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 7. No employé of any factory, mercantile establishment, mill or workshop, shall operate or tamper with any machine or appliances with which such employé is not familiar and which is in no way connected with the regular and reasonably necessary duties of his employment, unless it be by and with the direct or reasonably implied command, request or direction of the master or representative or agent. ffl

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 in House by renumbering section 7 to make it read section 6 and all sections thereafter so as to make them read numerically.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 in House by adding the word "sand" in line three after the word "and."

Concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 11.

A bill for "An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record,' approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, and to repeal section 119 thereof."

Which amendment is as follows: Amend Senate Bill No. 11, by striking out of the title the figures "120" and by striking out in line 2 of section 1 the figures "120" and by striking out in said bill the section appearing as section 120."

Amendment concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 337.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 2.

By striking out in line 9, section 1 of the printed bill, the words and figures "\$3,000," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two thousand (\$2,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

By striking out in section 1, lines, 19 and 20.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

By inserting between lines 20 and 21 of the printed bill, "For maintenance, repairs and care of the Illinois State Fair Grounds and buildings thereon, the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars per annum for the years 1909 and 1910."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

By inserting in line 3, section 1 of the printed bill, after the words "sums" the following: "Which sums shall be used by the said board for the purposes specified and no other."

Amendments concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 96, a bill for "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 4, line 3, by inserting the word "public" before the word "schools."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 4, line 23, by striking out the word "require" and inserting therefor the word "request."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 96 in House, section 15, line 11, by inserting the word "public" before the word "school."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in House, section 114, line 15, by inserting the words "the public" before the word "schools."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in House, section 114, line 16, by inserting the word "public" before the word "school" where it first appears.

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend Senate Bill in the House, section 114, line 21, by inserting before the word "schools" the word "public."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in the House, section 115, line 25, by inserting the word "public" before the word "school."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in House, section 114, line 3, by inserting after the words "county or circuit court of the county," a comma, and the words "to inquire into the case of any child of compulsory school age who is."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in House, section 262, line 2, by inserting the word "colored" before the word "child."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in House by striking out after the word "districts" in line 1, section 48, of the printed bill, the following words: "having a population of one thousand inhabitants or more."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in the House by striking out in lines eight (8) and nine (9) on page 82 of the printed bill the words and figures "two and one-half" and "two and one-half" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one and one-half" and "one and one-half."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in the House by adding after the word "districts" in line 6, section 88 of the printed bill, the following: "When part of a township has been included in a high school district pursuant to any of the provisions of this Act, the remainder of such township not included in any high school district shall constitute a township for high school purposes."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in the House by striking out all of section 89 of page 39 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 89. Any school district having a population of two thousand (2,000) inhabitants or more may, in the manner herein provided for establishing and maintaining a township high school, establish and maintain a high school for the benefit of the inhabitants of such school district, and elect a board of education therefor with the same powers conferred on township high school boards of education. The territory of such district when so organized for high school purposes shall constitute a high school district for high school purposes distinct and separate from the common school district having the same boundaries, and the high school board of education of such high school district shall have the same power to levy taxes and establish and maintain high schools as township high school boards of education organized under this act possess, and such taxes shall be in addition to the taxes authorized to be levied by section 189 of this Act. All school districts which have heretofore organized under this section, elected a high school board of education and are maintaining a high school shall be regarded as high school districts distinct and separate from the common school district having the same boundaries and the high school board of education of such high school district shall have the power of taxation as township high school boards of education organized under this Act. A township or part of a township in which there is no township high school may be annexed to an adjacent high school district organized under this section in the same manner as near as may be as is provided in sections 94, 95 and 96 of this Act for the annexation of territory to a township in which a high school has been established.

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Amend Senate Bill 96 in the House by striking out the words "in municipalities having less than 100,000 inhabitants" in line 10 and line 11 of section 189, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "provided that."

Amendments concurred in by the Senate, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Oswood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 174.

A bill for "An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State, and instruments or writings relating to any obligation enforceable in this State, executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto; which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate Bill No. 174 by inserting after the word "State" in line three (3) of the title the following: "that may have been heretofore or that shall hereafter be."

Concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of House amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 197.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes.

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

By striking out in line 8, section 3 of the printed bill the figures "\$6,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,000."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

By striking out in line 6, section 4 of the printed bill the figures "\$6,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000."

Concurred in by the Senate.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of House amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 490.

A bill for "An Act making appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate Bill 490 in the House by striking out in section 1, lines 2 and 3 of the printed bill the figures "\$40,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$50,000."

Amendments concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of House amendment to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 145.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois and to repeal certain Acts therein named.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate Bill 145, section 11, line 11, by striking out the word "less" and inserting the word "more."

Concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker:—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to a bill of the following title.

HOUSE BILL No. 448.

A bill for "An Act to regulate the State charitable institutions and to repeal certain Acts," Senators Hay, McKenzie, Dunlap, Manny and Burton.
Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL No. 501.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State educational institutions herein named," Senators Lish, Dailey and Burton.
Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 723.

A bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named," Senators Hurburgh, Barr and Hearn.
Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 724.

A bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named," Senators Hurburgh, Barr and Hearn.
Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 670, a bill for "An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

In the title after the words and figures "July 1, 1872," add the following words and figures: "As amended by Act approved May 18, 1905. In force July 1, 1905."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

In section 1, line 4, after the words and figures July 1, 1872," insert the following words and figures: "As amended by Act approved May 18, 1905. In force July 1, 1905."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendments to House Bill No. 670.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 96.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Riley,
Allison,	Erby,	Kannally,	Mills,	Scanlan,
Beck,	Erickson.	Keck,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Black,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Brady,	Fieldstack,	King,	Murphy, E. J.	Shepherd, F. W.
Browne,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Bush,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Campbell,	Foster,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Ton,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lederer,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Pervier,	White,
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Pierson,	Wilson, F. J.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Luke,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
DeWolf,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Richter,	York,
Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Dudgeon,				Yeas—96

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 670.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to recede from the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 730, a bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly," and the Senate requests the House of Representatives to appoint a committee of conference to consist of four members on the part of the House, to meet a like committee on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Hurburgh, Gardner, Juul and Manny.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for a Committee of Conference to adjust the differences arising between the two houses on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 730, And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker thereupon appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Shanahan, Smejkal, Glade and DeWolf.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Browne called up Senate Bill No. 313, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 313, a bill for "An Act to amend section 120 of an Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record," approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 36; nays, 93.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Allison,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Werdell,
Beckemeyer,	Fahy,	Lederer,	Murphy, Wm.	White,
Bolin,	Fieldstack.	Liggett,	Murray,	Wilson, G. H.
Browne,	Forst,	Link,	Naylor,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Foster,	McGuire,	Nelson,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Geshkewich,	Mills,	O'Toole,	Yeas—36
Cliffe,	Griffin,			

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	McConnell,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	English,	Huston,	McMackin,	Scilitt,
Beck,	Erby,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Behrens,	Espy,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Stearns,
Black,	Etherton,	Kannally,	O'Neil,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Finley,	Keck,	Parker,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	King,	Pervier,	Ton,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Troyer,
Burns,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Welborn,
Bush,	Glade,	Lane,	Price,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Richardson,	York,
Campbell,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Carter,	Gray,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Logan,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.
Church,	Groves, W. M.	Luke,	Schumacher,	Nays—93
Crawford,	Hagan,	Macleam,	Scott,	

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

Mr. Browne offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 61.

WHEREAS, This House is desirous of expressing its unbounded appreciation of the services of its efficient Speaker, Edward D. Shurtleff, and to make such evidence of its appreciation a part of the records of this session of the General Assembly; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives that its sincere thanks be extended to its Speaker, Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff, for the fairness, ability and devotion to duty with which he presided and conducted all of the affairs of this House during his term as its presiding officer.

Elected by the members of the House, he has at all times sought to protect their rights, and maintain the constitutional rights of all.

He has at all times been ready to assist in the advancement of any wise, conservative and constructive legislation and to give to the least experienced member the same consideration as he might to the one who has had the longest service. Be it further

Resolved, That as a highest evidence of the appreciation that this House has for his services it unanimously says to him by this resolution "Well done, good and faithful servant." Be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be instructed to present to the said Hon. Edward D. Shurtieff a suitable engrossed copy of this resolution and that the same be spread at large upon the records of this House.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative,

And the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Lederer, from the Committee on Conference submitted the following report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned committee on conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses relative to the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 501, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Educational Institutions herein named," beg leave to report that we recommend as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively,

That the Senate concur in the amendments numbered one and three to said bill adopted by the House of Representatives, and that the following be substituted for amendment No. 2:

"Amend by striking out in section one, in line five, the figures, "\$83,426.75," and inserting in lieu thereof, the figures "\$155,926.75."

Dated this 29th day of May, 1909.

I. M. LISH,
JOHN DAILEY,
F. W. BURTON,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

CHARLES LEDERER,
OLIVER SOLLITT,
W. A. KANNALLY,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

The question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?"

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 108.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Montelius.	Stearns,
Abrahams.	Erickson,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stevenson.
Adkins,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Allison,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Alschuler,	Feldstack,	Keck,	Murray,	Tippit,
ApMadoc,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Ton,
Beckemeyer,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Behrens,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Brady,	Foster,	Lantz,	Perkins.	Welborn.
Briscoe,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Wheelan.
Browne,	Gillespie,	Lewis,	Pculton.	White,
Burns,	Glade,	Liggett,	Price	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Gorman,	Link,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Grace,	Logan,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Griffin,	Maccan,	Rigney,	Wilson. R. E.
Cermak,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scanlan,	York,
Clark,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan.	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hope,	McMackin.	Shaw,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shephard, H. A.	
Durfee,	Hull,	Mills,	Sollitt,	

Yeas—108

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following conference committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned committee on conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses relative to the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 501, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Educational Institutions herein named," beg leave to report that we recommend as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively,

That the Senate concur in the amendments numbered one and three to said bill adopted by the House of Representatives, and that the following be substituted for amendment No. 2:

"Amend by striking out in section one, in line five, the figures, "\$83,426.75," and inserting in lieu thereof, the figures "\$155,926.75."

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Committee on behalf of the Senate.

CHARLES LEDERER,
OLIVER SOLLITT,
W. A. KANNALLY,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Tippit moved that a committee of three on conference be appointed to confer with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust the differences between the two houses with reference to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 737.

And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker thereupon named as such committee: Messrs. Tippit, Beckemeyer and McMackin.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Tippit, from the Committee on Conference submitted the following report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned committee of conference appointed on the part of the Senate and House of Representatives to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to House Bill No. 737, being a bill for an Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the employment of convicts and prisoners in the penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Illinois, and providing for the disposition of the products of their skill and industry," approved May 11, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and as amended by Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 737, in line 26, after the last "of" in said line, by inserting the following words, "any of the rivers or streams in this State."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend said bill in lines 26 and 27 by striking out the words, "the channels of the Okaw, Cache, Saline, Sangamon and Little Wabash and Big Muddy rivers."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend said bill by adding the following at the end of section 1 of said bill, "Provided further, that the persons or municipalities applying for the services of said convicts, shall make satisfactory arrangements with the commissioners of the penitentiary from which said convicts are obtained, to defray all expenses of board, lodging, surveillance and transportation of said convicts while they are so employed in said improvements."

Respectfully recommend that the Senate amendments Nos. 1, 2 and 3 be stricken out and insert before the word "rivers" in the last line of said bill the words, "Saline and Sangamon." And that the same be adopted as the amendments of the Senate and the House.

THOS. TIPPIT,
H. J. C. BECKEMEYER,
C. L. McMACKIN,

Committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

W. O. POTTER,
J. A. HENSON,
E. J. GLACKIN,

Committee on the part of the Senate.

The question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?"

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Hull,	McCullum.	Shepherd, F. W.
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Huston,	McMackin.	Staymates,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Stearns,
Allison,	Daley,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Jewell,	Morris,	Terrill,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Beck,	Durfee,	Keck,	Naylor,	Ton,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kerrick.	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Black,	Espy,	King,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Bolin,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	White,
Browne,	Galligan,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Richardson,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Butts,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Riley,	Wright,
Campbell,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Scanlan.	York,
Carter,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Schumacher.	Zinger,
Cermak,	Hamilton.	Link,	Scott,	
Chiperfield,	Hilton,	Logan,	Shaw,	
Church,	Holaday,	Luke,	Shephard, H. A.	

Yeas—102

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 32.

WHEREAS, There is great need in the State of Illinois for a surgical institute for children where the afflicted crippled children of poor parents can be treated at the expense of the State with the hope that as the result of such treatment such children may become self sustained men and women; and

WHEREAS, In Illinois there is no free institution for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, The 45th General Assembly committed itself to this object by the passage of a bill appropriating \$60,000.00 for this purpose, but which was necessarily vetoed for want of funds; and

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives has at this session again passed such bill; and

WHEREAS, It is suggested that at several of the existing State institutions there are buildings available for such purpose, or which can without great expense be adapted to the use of such institutions; and

WHEREAS, It is very desirable to intelligently proceed with this plan after obtaining full information on this subject; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein: That we cordially approve of the establishment of such surgical institution and firmly commit ourselves to such project and pledge ourselves at such subsequent time as may be possible by our votes to establish a surgical institution for crippled children; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Governor is hereby authorized to appoint a commission of five to make a complete investigation of this subject and to include in such investigation the availability of existing institutions and to make a full report thereon to the Governor and the General Assembly not later than September 1, 1909.

Concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Conference submitted the following report:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to House amendments to Senate Bill No. 448, "A bill for 'An Act to revise the laws relating to charities,'" beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and House of Representatives respectively: Strike out the House amendment and insert in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for an Act to revise the laws relating to charities and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois represented in the General Assembly:*

SECTION 1. PREAMBLE—PURPOSE OF THE ACT.]. That the purpose of this Act is to provide humane and scientific treatment and care and the highest attainable degree of individual development for the dependent wards of the State;

To provide for delinquents such wise conditions of modern reformatory education and training as will restore the largest possible portion of them to useful citizenship;

To promote the study of the causes of dependency and delinquency, and mental, moral and physical defects, with a view to cure and ultimate prevention;

To secure the highest attainable degree of economy in the business administration of the State institutions consistent with the objects above enumerated, and this Act, which shall be known as the code of charities of the State of Illinois, shall be liberally construed to these ends.

Sec. 2. STATE CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.] The following are the State charitable institutions:

- The Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin;
- The Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, at Kankakee;
- The Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane, at Jacksonville.
- The Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane, at Anna;
- The Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, at Watertown;
- The Illinois General Hospital for the Insane, at South Bartonville;
- The Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, at Chester;
- The Illinois School for the Deaf, at Jacksonville;

The Illinois School for the Blind, at Jacksonville;
The Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, at Chicago;
The Illinois Asylum for Feeble Minded Children, at Lincoln;
The Illinois State Colony for Epileptics;
The Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy;
The Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois, at Wilmington;
The Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, at Normal;
The Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago;
The State Training School for Girls, at Geneva;
The St. Charles School for Boys, at St. Charles;

Sec. 3. INSTITUTION TITLES.] The State institutions, named in this section, shall be known and designated hereafter by their respective titles as expressed in this section, namely:

The Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin, shall be known and designated as the Elgin State Hospital.

The Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, at Kankakee, shall be known and designated as the Kankakee State Hospital.

The Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane, at Jacksonville, shall be known and designated as the Jacksonville State Hospital.

The Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane, at Anna, shall be known and designated as the Anna State Hospital.

The Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, at Watertown, shall be known and designated as the Watertown State Hospital.

The Illinois General Hospital for the Insane, at South Bartonville, shall be known and designated as the Peoria State Hospital.

The Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, at Chester, shall be known and designated as the Chester State Hospital.

The Illinois Asylum for Feeble Minded Children, at Lincoln, shall be known and designated as the Lincoln State School and Colony.

The Illinois State Colony for Epileptics shall be known and designated as the Illinois State Colony for Improvable Epileptics.

Sec. 4. (A) BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION—APPOINTMENT—TERM OF OFFICE—CLASSES OF MEMBERS—QUALIFICATION—OATH.] The Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint, within thirty days after July 1, A. D. 1909, five persons, no more than three of said persons shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party, to be called and known as the Board of Administration, referred to and designated hereafter in this Act as the "board." One person appointed on the board shall be qualified by experience to advise the board regarding the care and treatment of the insane, feeble-minded and epileptic. One person appointed on the board shall be, and shall be designated in the appointment as, the president, who shall be the executive officer of the board. From time to time the Governor shall designate the member of the board who shall be its president. The remaining three members of the board shall be reputable citizens. Members of the board, so appointed, shall hold office, one for two years, two for four years and two for six years, and until their successors are appointed and qualified, and after the terms prescribed in the foregoing shall have expired, the successors of the members appointed for said terms shall, when appointed, hold office for six years, and until their successors are appointed and qualified. Each member, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution of this State for State officers. Said oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State. No member shall qualify or enter upon the duties of his office, or remain therein while he is a trustee, manager, commissioner, director of or in any manner officially related to an institution subject to the administration, visitation and inspection of the board.

(B) REMOVAL OF MEMBERS—VACANCY.] The Governor shall have the power to remove any member of the Board of Administration, for incompetency, neglect of duty, or malfeasance in office. In case of a vacancy in the board, the said vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in

session, the Governor may make appointments to fill vacancies, but all appointments made when the Senate is not in session shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate at its next session before becoming permanent: *Provided*, that in case of a vacancy in the board caused by the death, resignation or removal of the member appointed because of his qualifications to advise the board regarding the care and treatment of the insane, feeble-minded and epileptic, the appointment of the successor of such member shall be made as prescribed for the original appointment in section 4 (A) of this Act. The failure on the part of any member of the board to attend three consecutive meetings of the board, unless excused by a formal vote of the board, may be treated by the Governor as a resignation by such non-attending member, and the Governor may appoint his successor.

(C) ORGANIZATION—FISCAL SUPERVISOR, SECRETARY AND OTHER OFFICERS AND EMPLOYES.] Within a reasonable time after appointment the members of the board shall complete their organization by electing one member of the board to be the fiscal supervisor, whose duties are hereinafter prescribed, and by electing one member to be the secretary, whose duties shall be prescribed in rules adopted by the board. The board shall have the power to employ such other officers, agents and employes as it may deem necessary for the efficient conduct of its business.

(D) SALARY—EXPENSES.] Each member of the board shall receive an annual compensation of six thousand dollars, and shall be allowed his actual traveling expenses incurred in official business. Each member shall devote his entire time to the duties of his position and shall hold no other lucrative office, nor follow any other gainful profession, occupation or employment.

(E) OFFICE—SEAL.] The Secretary of State shall provide said board with suitably furnished offices in the capitol building at Springfield; and shall provide said board with the necessary blank books, blanks, stationery and printed matter. The board shall have an official seal. Every process, order or other paper issued or executed by the board may be attested, by direction of the board, under its seal, by its secretary or by any member of the board, and when so attested, shall be deemed to be duly executed by the board.

(F) GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES.] The board provided for herein shall:

1. Be a body corporate under and by the name of "The Board of Administration," and, in addition to the powers expressly conferred, shall have all such authority as may be necessary to the full and complete performance thereof.

2. Exercise executive and administrative supervision over all State charitable institutions, now existing or hereafter acquired or created.

3. Succeed to all property rights of the boards of trustees, managers, or commissioners of the State charitable institutions. All the rights, title and interest of the boards of trustees, managers or commissioners of the State charitable institutions in and to land, money, or other property, real and personal, held for the benefit of their respective institutions, or for other public use, are hereby divested and are, without further process of the law, vested in the Board of Administration, created by this Act, but in trust and for the use and by the authority of the State of Illinois. Any and all unexpended appropriations heretofore made by the Forty-sixth General Assembly, or that may hereafter be made by said General Assembly, to any of the State charitable institutions named in this Act shall be payable to the Board of Administration when this Act goes into full force and effect, as provided in section 36 of this Act, to be used by it for the purposes for which the same were appropriated. All unexpended appropriations made to the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities shall be payable, when this Act goes into full force and effect, to the Charities Commission created in this Act, except that unexpended appropriations for the Department of the Visitation of Children shall be payable to the Board of Administration. The unexpended appropriations heretofore or hereafter made by the Forty-sixth General Assembly

to the several State charitable institutions mentioned in this Act for ordinary, or maintenance expenses, and received by the Board of Administration, as hereinbefore provided in this section, shall be consolidated and may be used by the said Board of Administration for the several institutions according to the needs of such institutions respectively. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the Board of Administration and to the Charities Commission, respectively, the moneys heretofore or hereafter appropriated by the Forty-sixth General Assembly to the several State charitable institutions named in this Act, and the moneys heretofore or hereafter appropriated by the said General Assembly to the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities, which remain unexpended on January 1, 1910, and are herein transferred to the Board of Administration and to the Charities Commission, respectively, by drawing his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the moneys herein transferred to said Board of Administration, on the order of said Board, attested by its Secretary, with the seal of said Board attached, and approved by the Governor, and by drawing his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the moneys transferred herein to the Charities Commission, upon the order of said Commission, attested by its executive secretary, with the seal of said commission attached, and approved by the Governor.

4. Accept and hold in behalf of the State, if for the public interest, a grant, gift, devise or bequest of money or property to the State of Illinois, to the Board of Administration, or to any State hospital, or the trustees thereof, heretofore or hereafter made in trust for the maintenance or support of an insane person or persons in a State hospital or hospitals, or for any other legitimate purpose connected with any such hospital or hospitals. The board shall cause each said gift, grant, devise or bequest to be kept as a distinct fund, and shall invest the same in the manner provided by the laws of this State as the same now exist, or shall hereafter be enacted, relating to securities in which the deposit in savings banks may be invested. But the board may, in its discretion, deposit in a proper trust company or savings bank, during the continuance of the trust, any fund so left in trust for the life of a single person, and shall adopt rules and regulations governing the deposit, transfer or withdrawal of such fund. The board shall, on the expiration of any trust as provided in any instrument creating the same, dispose of the fund thereby created in the manner provided in such instrument. The board shall include in its annual report a statement showing what funds are so held by it and the condition thereof: *Provided*, that moneys deposited with managing officers by relatives, conservators or friends of inmates, for the special comfort and pleasure of such inmates, shall remain in the hands of the said managing officers for disbursement to or for the benefit of such inmates; but each managing officer shall keep in a book an itemized account of all receipts and expenditures of funds described in this proviso, which book shall be open at all times to the inspection of any member of the Board of Administration or of the Charities Commission, created in this Act.

5. Be charged with the duties of inspection and investigation of outdoor poor relief, almshouses, children's homefinding societies, orphanages and lying-in hospitals.

6. Be charged with the duties of investigating, inspecting and licensing all institutions, houses or places, in which any person is or may be detained for care or treatment for mental or nervous diseases, as hereinafter provided.

7. Have the power of appointment and removal of the superintendents or managing officers of the State charitable institutions; and, subject to the State Civil Service law, the appointment and removal of all other employes of the said institutions of the State Psychopathic Institute provided for herein, and of the Board of Administration.

8. On complaint in writing of at least two reputable citizens, may visit and inspect any charitable society, institution or association which appeals to the public for aid, or is supported by trust funds; and shall report to the Governor upon its efficiency, economy and usefulness.

9. Inspect and investigate county jails, city prisons, houses of correction, workhouses, and all places in which persons convicted or suspected of crime are confined, to collect important statistics concerning the inmates; to ascertain the sanitary condition of such institutions and to ascertain how the insane are treated.

10. Regulate the admission of patients and inmates into State hospitals and the Lincoln State school and colony as provided herein.

11. Be charged with the visitation of children placed in family homes and the certification of home-finding associations and orphanages and with the duty of examining into the merits and fitness of all associations which purpose caring for dependent, neglected or delinquent children and which seek incorporation and of reporting its findings and recommendations relative to incorporation to the Secretary of State.

12. Succeed to the powers and duties given by law to the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities in relation to the Illinois State Colony for Improvable Epileptics.

(G) RULES.] The board shall make all rules necessary for the execution of its powers. The managing officer of each State institution, embraced in this Act, shall make such special rules as may be needful, subject to the approval of the board.

(H) ANNUAL REPORT.] The board shall, on or before the fifteenth of October of each year, report to the Governor its acts, proceedings and conclusions for the preceding fiscal year, which report shall contain a complete financial statement of the various State institutions under its jurisdiction, and shall state whether the moneys appropriated for their aid are or have been economically and judiciously expended, whether the objects of the several institutions are accomplished, whether the laws in relation to them are fully complied with, and whether all parts of the State are equally benefited by said institutions, together with such other information and recommendations as it may deem proper. The board shall make such other reports as the Governor may require.

(I) OFFICIAL VISITS.] Each State institution shall be visited at least once a quarter by a member of the board. Such visits shall be made on such days and at such hours of the day or night, and for such length of time, as the visiting member may choose. But each member may make such other visits as he, or the board, may deem necessary. Each visit shall include to the fullest extent deemed necessary, an inspection of every part of each institution and the out-houses, places, buildings and grounds belonging thereto or used in connection therewith. The board, from time to time, shall make an examination of all the records and methods of administration, the general and special dietary, the stores and methods of supply, and, as far as circumstances may permit, of every patient or inmate confined therein, especially those admitted since the last preceding visit, giving such as may require it opportunity to converse with the members of the board, apart from the officers and attendants. At the next regular or special meeting of the board, after any such visit, the visiting member shall report the result thereof, with such recommendations as he may deem necessary for the better management or improvement of any institution.

(J) The board, at least once each year, at a time to be appointed by the board, shall meet the superintendents and managing officers of each State institution, and members of the Charities Commission, hereinafter provided for, or as many of the number as practicable, in conference, and consider in detail all questions relating to the treatment and care of the insane, epileptics, the feeble-minded, delinquents and the poor, and other wards of the State and all questions of management and improvement of institutions caring for such wards.

Sec. 5. CHARITIES COMMISSION—APPOINTMENT—TERMS OF OFFICE—OATH.] The Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint, within thirty days after this Act shall take effect, five persons to be called and known as the Charities Commission. Not more than three persons so appointed shall belong to the same political party. The members

shall be appointed, one for one year, one for two years, one for three years, one for four years and one for five years, from the first day of March, 1909, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualify. And on the first day of March, 1910, and at the end of each year thereafter, the Governor shall, in like manner, appoint one person as the successor of the member whose term shall expire in that year, to serve as such member of the Charities Commission for five years, and until his successor is appointed and qualifies. Three members of this commission shall constitute a quorum. Each member of this commission, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution of this State for State officers. Said oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State. No member shall qualify or enter upon the duties of his office, or remain therein, while he is a trustee, manager, commissioner, director of or in any manner officially related to an institution subject to the visitation and inspection of this commission.

(B) VACANCY.] In case of a vacancy in the Charities Commission, the unexpired term shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in session the Governor may make appointments to fill vacancies, but all appointments made when the Senate is not in session shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate at its next session before becoming permanent. The failure on the part of any member of this commission to attend three consecutive meetings of the Charities Commission, unless excused by a formal vote of such commission, may be treated by the Governor as a resignation by such non-attending member, and the Governor may appoint his successor.

(C) OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES—PRESIDENT, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY AND OTHER EMPLOYEES.] The Charities Commission shall annually elect one of its members as president. The board shall employ an executive secretary at a salary of \$3,600 per annum, and such other officers, agents and employes as it may deem necessary.

(D) NO COMPENSATION—TRAVELING EXPENSES—OFFICE—STATIONERY.] The members of this commission shall serve without compensation for their time or services, but the actual traveling expenses of each one of them while engaged in the performance of the duties of his office, on being made out and certified as provided in this Act, shall be paid to him out of any moneys appropriated for that purpose. In like manner any employé of this commission, acting under the direction of this commission, shall be allowed his actual traveling expenses. The Secretary of State shall provide the Charities Commission with suitably furnished offices in the capitol at Springfield and with the necessary blank books, blanks, stationery and printed matter.

(E) DUTIES.] The Charities Commission shall investigate the whole system of public charitable institutions of the State, examine into the condition and management thereof, especially of State hospitals, jails and almshouses; and the officers in charge of all such institutions shall furnish to the Charities Commission, on its request, such information and statistics as it may require. The Charities Commission, when directed by the Governor, shall investigate as a whole commission, or by a committee thereof, into any or all phases of the equipment, management or policy of any State charitable institution and report its findings and recommendations to the Governor. The Charities Commission may inquire, in its discretion, into the equipment, management and policies of all institutions and organizations coming under the supervision and inspection of the Board of Administration. The Charities Commission, annually, on the fifteenth of October, shall submit to the Governor a printed report of all its doings during the preceding fiscal year, stating in detail all expenses incurred, all officers and agents employed, and such suggestions and recommendations as this commission deems necessary and pertinent.

(F) MEETINGS—RULES.] Regular meetings of the Charities Commission shall be held quarterly, or oftener, if required. The said commission may make such rules for the conduct of its business as it may deem necessary.

Sec. 6. BOARDS OF TRUSTEES—COMMISSIONERS AND MANAGERS.] The boards of trustees, commissioners and managers of the State charitable institutions named in section 2, of this Act, shall have no further legal existence.

Sec. 7. (A) VISITORS—APPOINTMENT.] The Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint, within thirty days after this Act shall take effect, a board of three (3) visitors for each State charitable institution, under the management of the Board of Administration. The members of each Board of Visitors shall be appointed: one for two years, one for four years, and one for six years from the first day of March, 1909, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualify. And on the first day of March, 1911, and every two years thereafter, the Governor shall in like manner appoint one person as the successor of each member of each Board of Visitors whose term shall expire in that year, to serve as such member for six years and until his successor is appointed and qualifies. Two members of each Board of Visitors shall constitute a quorum. One member of each Board of Visitors shall be a woman. Each member of the Board of Visitors before entering upon the duties of his, or her, office, shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution of this State for State officers. The said oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

(B) VACANCY.] In case of a vacancy in any Board of Visitors, provided for herein, the unexpired term shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in session the Governor may make appointments to fill vacancies, but all appointments made when the Senate is not in session shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate at its next session before becoming permanent.

(C) DUTIES.] Each Board of Visitors provided for herein shall:

1. Maintain an effective inspection of its respective institution, for which purpose the visitors, or a majority thereof, shall visit and inspect the institution at least once each quarter in the cases of institutions having the whole State for a district and at least once each month in the cases of institutions whose districts are fractional parts of the State. For such purpose each visitor shall have free access at any time to the grounds, buildings and all books and papers of the institution. All persons connected with any such institution shall give such information and afford such facilities for any inspection, examination, or investigation as the visitor may require. It shall make a written report to the Charities Commission within ten days after such inspection, such report to be signed by each member making the inspection. Such report shall state in detail the condition of the institution, and of its inmates, and such other matters pertaining to the management and affairs thereof, as, in the opinion of the visitors, shall be brought to the attention of the Charities Commission and may contain recommendations as to needed improvement in the institution or its management.

2. Keep in a book, provided for that purpose, a fair and full record of its doings, which shall be open at all times to the inspection of the Governor, a committee of either house of the Legislature, the Charities Commission, or any person appointed by the Governor, or the said Charities Commission to examine the same.

3. Hold regular meetings at least once each quarter in the cases of institutions having the whole State for a district and at least once each month in the cases of institutions whose districts are fractional parts of the State; and cause to be typewritten, within ten days after each such meeting, the minutes and proceedings of such meeting, and cause a copy thereof to be sent forthwith to each visitor and to the Charities Commission.

4. Enter in a book, kept at the institution for that purpose, the date of every visit of each visitor.

5. Make to the Charities Commission, in July of each year, a detailed report of the result of its visits and inspections, with suitable suggestions,

and such other matters as may be required of it by the said Charities Commission for the year ending on the thirtieth day of June preceding the date of such report.

(D) No COMPENSATION—EXPENSES.] The said visitors shall receive no compensation for their time or services, but the actual expenses of each one of them, while engaged in the duties of his office, and any actual outlay made by them for any actual aid and assistance required in examination and investigation, on being made out and verified as provided herein, shall be paid them by the Board of Administration out of moneys appropriated for the maintenance of the institutions.

Sec. 8. EXPENSES—HOW CERTIFIED.] Bills for traveling expenses of any member of the Board of Administration, the Charities Commission, or any visitor, superintendent, managing officer, or other officer or employé under either board or commission shall be itemized and made out on blanks, as follows:

Date.	TRANSPORTATION.		Fare.	Sleeping Car and Extra Fares.	Bus, Cab, Carriage and Car Fare.	Hotel and Meals.	INCIDENTALS.		Total.
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Such bills for traveling expenses shall be certified to by the person making the charge, as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just; that the detailed items charged within are taken and verified from a memorandum kept by me; that the amounts charged for subsistence were actually paid, and the expenses were occasioned by official business or unavoidable delays, requiring my stay at hotels for the time specified; that I performed the journey with all practicable dispatch, by the shortest route usually traveled, in the customary reasonable manner, and that I have not been furnished with transportation, or money in lieu thereof, for any part of the journey herein charged for.

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Sec. 9. OFFICERS NOT TO BE INTERESTED IN CONTRACTS—PENALTY.] No member of the Board of Administration or of the Charities Commission; and no officer, agent or employé of either board or commission, and no officer or manager or visitor of any State institution shall be directly or indirectly interested in any contract or other agreement for building, repairing, furnishing or supplying said institutions, or for disposing of the product, or products, of any said institution. Any violation of this section shall subject the offender, on conviction, to be punished by a fine of not more than double the amount of said contract or agreement, or by imprisonment in the penitentiary of the State of Illinois for a term of not less than one nor more than three years.

Sec. 10. PSYCHOPATHIC INSTITUTE.] The Board of Administration shall maintain the State Psychopathic Institute and shall appoint a director thereof and a psychologist, who shall perform their duties under the direction of the board. They shall receive annual salaries to be fixed by the board. All State institutions shall coöperate with the psychopathic institute in such manner as the board may from time to time direct. The board may employ such assistants as are necessary for the service of the State Psychopathic Institute.

Sec. 11. APPOINTMENTS—CIVIL SERVICE.] All employés of the Board of Administration, and all employés of the Charities Commission and of the State charitable institutions, and the director, psychologist and employés of the State Psychopathic Institute, shall be appointed under and subject to the provisions of "An Act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended: *Provided*, that the managing officers of all State charitable institutions are hereby exempted from the operation of the civil service law.

Sec. 12. EMPLOYEES OF INSTITUTIONS—SALARIES.] The Board of Administration, from time to time, with the approval in writing of the State Civil Service Commission, except as to the salaries of managing officers, shall determine the annual salaries of the officers and employes of the State institutions, which shall be uniform, as far as practicable, for like service.

Sec. 13. FISCAL SUPERVISOR—GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES.] Under the supervision and direction of the Board of Administration the fiscal Supervisor shall:

1. Examine into the condition of all buildings, grounds and other property connected with any State charitable institution, and into its methods of bookkeeping, storekeeping and all matters relating to its business and financial management.

2. Study and become familiar with the relative advantages and disadvantages of the said institutions as to location, freight rates, efficiency of farm and equipment, for the purpose of aiding in the determination of the local and general requirements both for maintenance and improvement.

3. In all instances of important transactions refer to the Board for counsel and approval.

4. Report regularly every quarter to the board and annually, as part of the board's report to the Governor, the acts and proceedings of his office.

5. Receive, examine and present with his written opinion to the board, every plan and specification for new construction or repair exceeding in estimated value one thousand dollars. He shall examine into every plan and specification of new construction or improvement, if such improvement exceeds two hundred dollars in cost: *Provided*, that all contracts for new construction, improvement or repair must be approved by the State Architect or his Consulting Engineer and by the board, if they exceed in value one thousand dollars, and by the Fiscal Supervisor, if they exceed in value two hundred dollars: *Provided, further*, that such approval is also required when such work is undertaken by the management of any institution without contract: *Provided, further*, that, in case of an emergency, such as the breaking down of equipment, so as to bring to a standstill any necessary part of the operative machinery of a State institution, whose administration is provided for in this Act, the Fiscal Supervisor, with the approval in writing of the board and of the Governor, may go into the open market and secure such repairs as are necessary to restore the institution to operative efficiency at the earliest possible time. A surety bond in such penal sum as determined by the fiscal supervisor shall be furnished by the contractors whenever the value of any work exceeds five hundred dollars.

6. Arrange for interchange of farm products and other products between and among the various institutions.

7. Enforce the provisions of this Act for the collection of money to reimburse the State for the cost of the maintenance of patients and inmates.

Sec. 14. APPROPRIATIONS.] Each managing officer of an institution, when required by the Fiscal Supervisor, shall present to said Fiscal Supervisor an itemized list of appropriations desired for maintenance and special, as he considers necessary for the period of time to be covered by such appropriations. The Fiscal Supervisor shall tabulate such statements and present them to the Board of Administration with his recommendations. It shall then become the duty of the board, with the approval of the Governor, to present the needs of the institutions to the Legislature. For this purpose an average per capita allowance for the insane and other dependents, defectives and delinquents shall be arrived at and a total allowance asked for on the

basis of actual population and estimated increase, this fund to be used as further provided in this Act. Every special need shall be itemized and the appropriation shall be asked for that specific purpose. It shall be the duty of the Fiscal Supervisor and of all other members of the board to present to the Governor and to the Legislature such information regarding appropriations asked for as may be required. It is the intent and meaning of this section that all appropriations for the State institutions shall be made to the Board of Administration and that the ordinary, or maintenance, appropriation shall be made to the board in a lump sum to be used for the several institutions according to their varying needs.

Sec. 15. BOARD OF JOINT ESTIMATE—PURCHASE OF SUPPLIES.] The Fiscal Supervisor shall call, at least annually, the managing officers of the various State institutions to a joint meeting with a committee appointed by the board, of which he shall be the head, for the purpose of classifying the supplies and estimating requirements of the various institutions, so as to provide for their most practical and economical purchase: *Provided*, that any managing officer may, at such meetings be represented by an officer of the institution, whom he appoints for that purpose. This joint board shall be known as the Board of Joint Estimate. It shall be its duty, under the direction of the board, to provide for the purchase of supplies in large quantities on contracts for periods not exceeding fifteen months from the date of the contract. To this end the Board of Joint Estimate shall annually elect from among its members two persons to serve, with the Fiscal Supervisor, as a standing purchasing committee to execute the purchases. The fiscal supervisor shall have full knowledge of all details of every business transaction of said committee. The purchase of all supplies shall be decided by competitive bidding, and competitive proposals shall be advertised for in one or more newspapers of general circulation, published in each one of the seven largest cities in the State, according to the last general census published by the United States. Such further advertisement shall be given as the Board of Administration may prescribe. Said proposals shall be opened in public on the day and hour and at the place specified in the advertisement. The purchasing committee shall have the power, however, to reject any or all bids, readvertise for competitive proposals, as hereinbefore provided: *Provided, however*, that the purchasing committee shall have the power to purchase supplies for emergencies. In such cases the said purchasing committee shall have certified in writing to the Board of Administration that an emergency exists, and said board shall have authorized the purchase.

It shall be the duty of the State Food Commissioner to coöperate with the purchasing committee, or managing officer, in making such tests as are necessary to determine the quality, strength or purity of food supplies.

Supplies and material produced in the State shall be preferred in the purchase, provided that such preference shall not be made at the expense of the State.

Sec. 16. MONTHLY ESTIMATES OF EXPENSES—CONTINGENT FUND.] For the purpose of proper regulation, recording and auditing of the various expenditures of the institutions, the managing officer of each institution shall prepare and present to the fiscal supervisor in triplicate, not less than fifteen days before the first day of the month referred to, and on forms furnished by the Board of Administration, a detailed monthly estimate of all needed supplies, materials, salaries and improvements. It shall be the duty of the fiscal supervisor to review and, for reasons given in writing, alter, if deemed by him necessary, such estimates, provided that the managing officer issuing the estimate shall have the right of appeal to the board, should he consider, in his best judgment, such alteration harmful to the best interests of the institution under his charge. Estimates for periods longer than one month may be made in the same manner by managing officers for staples designated by the Board of Joint Estimate or for other supplies. Each estimate may include a contingent fund of not to exceed 2 per cent of the total amount of the estimate for maintenance for the period of the estimate, for which con-

tingent fund no detailed account need be given in the estimate, but which can not be drawn upon except in due form specified by this Act, and by the rules of the board.

The fiscal supervisor shall return to the managing officer one copy of the monthly and other estimates with his approval or alteration in writing, one copy so approved or altered he shall present to the State Auditor, and one copy so approved or altered he shall file in his own office. It shall be the duty of the State Auditor to ascertain that the estimates so received do not exceed the respective appropriations. The State Auditor shall draw warrants on the State Treasurer monthly for the salary funds and contingent funds for each institution, and such funds shall be placed in the hands of the managing officer of each institution. Itemized vouchers for all funds, including pay rolls, shall be drawn in triplicate, one copy being held by the managing officer issuing such voucher, one copy presented to the fiscal supervisor and one copy to the State Auditor, who shall issue a warrant on the State Treasurer for each voucher. Each voucher shall contain a sworn affidavit of the managing officer, or some other bonded officer designated by the managing officer, certifying that the supplies and materials purchased or improvements and repairs made or special services rendered were fully satisfactory, or conforming to sample, as the case may be; that the approving officer was in no way financially interested in the purchase or work performed, and that he has full knowledge of the value of the purchase or work, such affidavit being made according to forms provided by the board: *Provided*, that pay rolls for temporary employes employed in case of emergency may be made at any time after the services are performed. All such pay rolls shall be sworn to by the managing officer the same as in cases of other vouchers, and the affidavit shall show that each and every person named in the pay roll actually rendered the services for the time and at the rate charged in the pay rolls.

Sec. 17. STATE TREASURER TO BE TREASURER—EXCEPTION.] It is the intent of this Act that the State Treasurer shall act as treasurer for all funds in the jurisdiction of the Board of Administration, and shall pay no moneys except in accordance with the provisions of this Act: *Provided*, that the moneys designated and approved of by the fiscal supervisor and the State Auditor as salary fund and contingent fund in the monthly estimate shall be placed, not later than on the first day of the month so provided for, in the hands of the managing officer of each institution, who shall act as treasurer for such funds. Institution moneys in the hands of the several institution treasurers, when this Act goes into effect, shall be transferred forthwith to the State Treasurer. Moneys collected from various sources by superintendents and in the hands of the superintendents or the institution treasurers when this Act goes into effect shall be transmitted forthwith by such superintendents or treasurers to the State Treasurer. Moneys collected from various sources, such as the sale of manufactured articles, of farm products and of all miscellaneous articles, shall be transmitted monthly to the State Treasurer and a detailed statement of such collections shall be made monthly to the Fiscal Supervisor by the managing officer of the institution.

Sec. 18. BONDED EMPLOYES.] The Board of Administration shall prescribe and require surety bonds from the fiscal supervisor, and from each managing officer, steward, storekeeper or any other State officer or employé, under the jurisdiction of the Board of Administration, where deemed advisable, in such penal sums to be determined by the board. The cost of such bonds shall be paid by the State out of funds appropriated to the board. Whenever a vacancy occurs in any position held by any bonded officer or employé, there shall forthwith be made an inventory of stock, supplies and records under the charge of such officer or employé.

Sec. 19. ADMISSION OF PATIENTS AND INMATES.] The admission of patients and inmates to State hospitals for the insane and the Lincoln State School and Colony shall be under the control and direction of the Board of Administration. The board is authorized to divide the State into districts, for the purpose of regulating the admission of patients to hospitals for the insane.

The said board shall have power to change the boundaries of such districts, from time to time, as may be necessary or expedient. Whenever such division or regulation shall have been made, as aforesaid, the said board shall forthwith make and sign a report to that effect, designating the boundaries of and the counties included within each district and the number of patients apportioned to each hospital, and file the same with the Secretary of State, and send a copy thereof to the superintendent of each hospital, and to each county judge, and to the clerk of each county in the State, to be filed in his office, and thereafter the State shall be divided into such districts. Whenever any change in such classification or regulation shall be made thereafter, a like report shall be made and filed, and a copy thereof sent to the county judges and to the clerks of all counties affected by such change, as well as to the superintendents of the respective State hospitals. Each State hospital for the insane shall receive patients, whether in an acute or chronic condition of insanity, from the district in which the hospital is situated.

Sec. 20. REMOVAL OF INSANE AND FEEBLE MINDED FROM COUNTY ALMSHOUSES TO STATE INSTITUTIONS.] The Board of Administration is hereby required and empowered to cause the removal of insane persons from county almshouses to State hospitals for the insane and of feeble minded women and children from county almshouses to the Lincoln State School and Colony as rapidly as room is provided for such patients and inmates in such State institutions. As such room is provided, from time to time, the board shall forthwith direct the superintendents of county asylums or almshouses, to send such number of insane patients to State hospitals and such number of feeble minded women and children to the Lincoln State School and Colony as can be accommodated therein. All county authorities sending patients or inmates to any State hospital or the Lincoln State School and Colony shall comply with all directions prescribed by the Board of Administration.

After sufficient accommodations shall have been provided in State institutions for all the pauper and indigent insane of all the counties of the State, the cost of clothing and other incidental expenses of county insane patients in State hospitals shall not be a charge upon any county after the first of January next ensuing, but the cost of the same shall be paid out of the funds provided by the State for the support of the insane. It shall be the duty of the Board of Administration to determine whether the accommodations are sufficient within the purview of this section, and to hold a meeting for that purpose, and, if satisfied of the sufficiency of such accommodations, to make a certificate to that effect and file the same with the Secretary of State and send a copy thereof to the superintendents of each State hospital and county asylum, and to each county almshouse and to each county judge, and to the clerk of each county in the State, to be filed in his office. Until such certificate is made and filed, the said cost of clothing and other incidental expenses of county insane patients shall continue to be a charge upon the county as under existing laws.

The foregoing provisions of this section relating to the insane shall not apply to or include counties of more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants as determined by the then last preceding Federal census, until all the counties of this State having a population of less than 150,000 inhabitants shall have been provided for. Whenever the counties of over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, or any one of them, desire to be included in the provisions of this section relating to the insane, such counties, or any one of them, may be included therein in the following manner: The county board of such county so desiring to be included therein shall pass a resolution and spread such resolution upon the records of such county board, making application to the Governor to transfer any or all of such buildings, land, appurtenances and equipment as are used by it as a county insane asylum to the State to be used for the same purpose. A certified copy of such resolution shall be sent to the Governor and the said resolution shall be considered the required application.

The Governor shall thereupon transmit said application to the Board of Administration, whereupon said board shall examine into the condition

of such buildings, land, appurtenances and equipment, with a view to ascertain whether such property is suitable for the purposes of a State hospital for the insane, and shall report its findings and conclusions to the Governor. Whereupon, if the board approves the transfer to the State, and if the Governor shall approve the same, said county insane asylum shall be converted into a State hospital for the insane, and its inmates shall become wards of the State.

Sec. 21. RETURN OR COMMITMENT TO COUNTY INSTITUTIONS FORBIDDEN—COUNTY CARE OF INSANE FORBIDDEN.] No insane person now, or hereafter, under the care of any State hospital in this State, shall be returned or committed to the care of any county insane asylum or almshouse, or to any county, town or city authorities; and the said county, town or city authorities are hereby forbidden to receive any such patient who may be returned or committed to them in violation of this section. After the State has assumed complete care of the public insane, no insane person shall be permitted to remain under county care, but all public insane shall be committed to State hospitals for the insane, or to private hospitals for the insane, as provided herein.

Sec. 22. TRANSFER OF INSANE PATIENTS.] The Board of Administration shall have the power to transfer, by its order, patients from one State hospital for the insane to another, when in its judgment such transfers are advisable.

Sec. 23. SUPPORT OF INMATES.] The Board of Administration shall secure from relatives or friends, who are liable or may be willing to assume the cost of support of inmates of State hospitals, reimbursement, in whole or in part, of the money expended for such support; said board may appoint agents, whose duty it shall be to secure from relatives and friends who are liable therefor, or who may be willing to assume the costs of the support of any such inmates, reimbursement, in whole or in part, of the money so expended. The compensation of each agent shall not exceed five dollars a day and the necessary traveling and other incidental expenses actually incurred by him.

The said board may fix a rate to be paid for the support of the inmates of State hospitals by the relatives liable for such support, or by those not liable for such support but willing to assume the costs thereof, but such rate shall be sufficient to cover the proper proportion of the cost of maintenance and necessary repairs and improvements.

Sec. 24. POSTAL RIGHTS.] Any insane patient in any State hospital shall be allowed to correspond, without restriction, with any member of the Board of Administration, of the Charities Commission and of the Board of Visitors of the State hospital where such insane patient is given treatment and care; and with the county judge and the State's attorney of the county from which such insane patient was committed.

Sec. 25. SALE OF UNCLAIMED PERSONAL PROPERTY OF DISCHARGED OR DECEASED PATIENTS.] All articles of personal property belonging to a discharged or deceased patient of a State hospital for the insane and in the custody of the superintendent or other proper officer of such hospital, may, if unclaimed by such discharged patient, or the legal representative of such deceased patient, for a period of six months after the discharge or decease of such patient, be sold at public auction in such manner and after such notice, or advertisement, as the Board of Administration shall prescribe, and the proceeds of such sale shall be paid into the amusement fund of such hospital. If any money deposited with a managing officer by relatives, conservators or friends of any inmate for the special comfort or pleasure of any such inmate remains unexpended after the discharge or death of such inmate, the said unexpended balance shall be paid into the amusement fund of the State institution which provided care and treatment for the said inmate: *Provided*, that the money is not claimed by a discharged inmate within six months after discharge, or by the legal representative of such deceased inmate within six months after the death of such inmate.

Sec. 26. BOARDING OUT INSANE PATIENTS.] Any insane patient in any State hospital for the insane may be placed at board in a suitable family

home by the board, if said board considers such course expedient. The cost to the State of the maintenance of any such boarded out patient shall not exceed the average per capita cost of maintenance in the institution from which such patient is so boarded out. Bills for the support of a patient so boarded out shall be payable quarterly out of the proper maintenance funds and shall be audited as are other accounts of the board. The board shall cause all persons who are boarded out by it in family homes at public expense to be visited at least once each three months, and for this purpose the said board is authorized and empowered to appoint, subject to the provisions of the State civil service law, such visitors as are necessary. Upon the complaint of any boarded out patient or of any responsible citizen or member of the household where such patient is boarded out, the board immediately shall send a visitor to investigate, and, if needful, such patient shall be removed at once to a State hospital for the insane or to another boarding place. Where there is no complaint the board shall cause to be removed, as above, any patient who, upon visitation, is found to be abused, neglected or improperly cared for when boarded out in a family home. The board may permit any boarder temporarily to leave custody as an insane person in charge of his guardian, relatives, friends or by himself, for a period not exceeding one year, and may receive him again into such custody when returned by any such guardian, relative or friend or upon his own application, within such period, without any further order of commitment and may, during such temporary absence, assist in his maintenance to an amount not exceeding the rate paid for his board when boarded out in a family home by the board.

Sec. 27. AFTER CARE OF THE INSANE.] To secure for patients in State hospitals for the insane, the earliest possible discharge from such hospitals and a continuance of expert medical service after discharge, free of cost, each such hospital shall institute a plan for the after-care of paroled patients and of discharged convalescent patients as follows:

A staff physician, or some other suitable person, shall, when the superintendent deems necessary, visit the home of any paroled patient or any convalescent patient before discharge and advise with the family as to the care and occupation most favorable for the patient's continued improvement and return to health; and such visits shall be made from time to time to the patient after parole or discharge, as are considered advisable by the superintendent.

Sec. 28. INSTITUTIONS FOR MENTAL AND NERVOUS CASES—BOARD TO LICENSE—COMMITMENTS TO UNLICENSED INSTITUTES FORBIDDEN.] All institutions, other than State institutions, giving treatment and care to persons suffering from mental and nervous diseases, shall provide the Board of Administration with detailed information from time to time, regarding their physical equipment and medical and nursing service, and shall furnish the board a written certified statement every three months, giving the admissions, deaths and discharges during the previous three months. The board shall license such institutions as it deems, after careful inspection, to be suitably equipped and conducted for the treatment and care of persons suffering from mental or nervous diseases, and no person so suffering shall be committed to or received or kept against his, or her, will, contrary to law, in any such institution not having a valid license from the board. Any superintendent or responsible head of an institution receiving or keeping, contrary to his, or her, will, any person in any such institution, not licensed as aforesaid, shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 29. OCCUPATION FOR INMATES.] It shall be the duty of each managing officer to develop such occupations as shall serve the mental, moral and physical improvement or the happiness of the inmates, and it shall be the duty of the board so to coördinate these activities as will best serve an

educational, economical and efficient administration of all the institutions, but without prejudice to the primary needs of suitable education for the inmates.

Sec. 30. VISITATION OF CHILDREN—CERTIFICATION OF ASSOCIATIONS.] The Board of Administration shall possess and have all the powers and shall perform all the duties in regard to the visitation of children placed in family homes and the incorporation, supervision and certification of associations whose objects may embrace the care of dependent, neglected or delinquent children, which are now vested by law in the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities; and the said Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities is hereby relieved from any duty heretofore imposed upon it by any law of this State in relation thereto, and the said Board of Administration is fully authorized and empowered from and after the date this Act goes into effect to perform the same.

Sec. 31. STATE CONFERENCES.] The Charities Commission, at such times and places as it deems advisable, may hold conferences of officers of State, county and municipal charitable institutions, officials responsible for the administration of public funds used for the relief or maintenance of the poor, and boards of institution visitors, and of county visitors, to consider in detail questions of management, the methods to be pursued and adopted to secure the economical and efficient conduct of such institutions, the most effective plans for granting public relief to the poor, and similar subjects. All officials duly invited to such conferences shall be entitled to actual necessary expenses, payable from any funds available for their respective boards and institutions, provided they procure a certificate from the executive secretary of the said Charities Commission that they were invited to and were in actual attendance at the sessions of the conference.

Sec. 32. PLANS FOR JAILS AND ALMSHOUSES SUBMITTED TO BOARD.] No county, city or village shall erect, add to or remodel a jail, almshouse, infirmary, prison, house of correction or workhouse without first submitting plans and specifications therefor to the Board of Administration for its criticism and suggestions for the improvement of same.

Sec. 33. INVESTIGATIONS.] The Board of Administration and the Charities Commission may make such investigations as may be necessary to the performance of their respective duties imposed by law. In the course of any such investigation each member of either board or commission shall have the power to administer oaths, and either board or commission shall have power to secure by its subpoena both the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers relevant to such investigation.

Sec. 34. COMPELLING TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES—PRODUCTION OF BOOKS AND PAPERS.] Any person who shall be served with a subpoena by the Board of Administration or the Charities Commission to appear and testify, or to produce books and papers, issued by either board or commission in the course of an investigation authorized by law, and who shall refuse or neglect to appear, or to testify, or to produce books and papers relevant to said investigation, as commanded in such subpoena, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, on conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court. The fees of witnesses for attendance and travel shall be the same as the fees of witnesses before the circuit courts of this State. Any circuit court of this State, or any judge thereof, either in term time or vacation, upon application of any member of either board or commission may, in his discretion, compel the attendance of witnesses, the production of books and papers, and giving of testimony before either board or commission, or before any member of either board or commission, by an attachment for contempt or otherwise, in the same manner as production of evidence may be compelled before said court. Every person who, having taken an oath or made affirmation before a member of either board or commission, shall wilfully swear or affirm falsely, shall be guilty of perjury, and upon conviction shall be punished accordingly.

Sec. 35. EXPENSES BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION.] There is hereby appropriated to the Board of Administration for the two years ending June 30, 1911, the following amounts per annum, or so much thereof as may be necessary: For chief clerk, \$2,500 per annum; for statistician, \$2,100 per annum; for general bookkeeper, \$1,800 per annum; for salaries of bookkeepers, clerks, stenographers and all other necessary employes, \$10,000 per annum; for traveling, office and all other expenses of the board and its employes, \$14,000 per annum.

Sec. 36. TIME WHEN ACT GOES INTO FULL EFFECT.] To give the Board of Administration, provided for herein, adequate time to prepare the administrative details for its actual service, no part of this Act shall be in force and effect before the first day of January, 1910, except paragraphs A, B, C, D and E, of section 4. and section 35, which shall go into effect on July 1, 1909. This Act shall be in full force and effect in all of its particulars from and after the first day of January, 1910, when the Board of Administration shall assume all of its duties. The salaries of the members of the said Board of Administration shall be allowed them beginning with the date of their taking the oath prescribed in section 4 of this Act; and they, further, shall be allowed, from any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, such expenses as are incurred in preparation of the details of the service which becomes operative fully on the first day of January, 1910..

Sec. 37. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized to draw his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the moneys appropriated in this Act to the Board of Administration upon the order of said board and attested by the Secretary, with the seal of said board attached, and approved by the Governor.

Sec. 38. REPEAL.] The following Acts and parts of Acts are hereby repealed:

An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and defining their duties and powers," approved and in force April 9, 1869.

An Act entitled "An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane," approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

H. T. IRELAND,
EDWARD HOPE,
W. M. GROVES,
W. T. APMA DOC,
C. E. BOLIN,

Committee on Behalf of the House.

LOGAN HAY,
J. C. MCKENZIE,
H. M. DUNLAP,
WALTER I. MANNY,
F. W. BURTON,

Committee on Behalf of the Senate.

The question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?"

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 79; nays, 48.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Macleam,	Schumacher.
Allison,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McCullum.	Scott,
ApMadoe,	English,	Hope,	McConnell,	Shanahan.
Beck,	Erby,	Hruby,	McMackin.	Sollitt.
Blair,	Erickson,	Hull,	McNichols,	Stearns.
Brady,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Montellus,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Mvers,	Troyer.
Burgett,	Finley,	Jewell,	Parker,	Welborn.
Bush,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Poplton.	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Flannigan,	Kieeman,	Perkins.	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Pervier.	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pierson,	York,
Cliffe,	Gillespie,	Lawrence.	Price,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zipf,
Curran,	Gray,	Lewis,	Riley.	Mr. Speaker.
Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Logan,	Scanlan,	Yeas—79

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Espy,	Huston.	Mills,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins.	Fahy,	Keck,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Terrill,
Black,	Gorman.	Liggett,	Naylor,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Grace,	Link,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Browne,	Griffin,	Lyon,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Rigney,	White,
Campbell,	Hamilton.	McLaughlin,	Shaw,	Wilson, R. E.
Dillon,	Hilton,			Yeas—47

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Durfee called up Senate Bill No. 22, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 22, a bill for "An Act to amend section 13 of 'An Act in regard to wills,' approved March 20, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 104.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Schumacher.
Abrahams,	Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	McCollum.	Scott,
Adkins,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Aischuler,	English,	Hoiaday,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hope,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson.	Hruby,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Fieldstack.	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Burns,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Bush,	Flagg,	King,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bulfs,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gray,	Link,	Richter,	York,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Luke,	Riley,	Zipf.
Crawford,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Scanlan,	Yeas—104

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of House amendments to a bill of the following title:

SENATE BILL NO. 77.

A bill for "An Act to give circuit courts of this State and the superior court of Cook county, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts and farm drainage and levee districts and the operation thereof, and to repeal an Act therein named; which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

Amend the title of Senate Bill No. 77 by striking out the last four words and by placing in lieu thereof the words "All Acts in conflict herewith."

AMENDMENTS No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 77 by striking out section 3 thereof and by inserting in lieu thereof the following to be known as section 3:

Section 3. Appeals may be taken from the final orders, judgments and decrees from either of the county or circuit courts to the Supreme Court.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 77 by striking out section 4 thereof and by inserting the following as section 4:

Section 4: All Acts or parts of Acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend Senate Bill No. 77 by adding the following to be known as section 5. Section 5. Whereas, an emergency exists, therefore this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as the committee of conference on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences of the two houses in regard to the amendments to Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act," Senators Schmitt, Curtis, Potter, Breidt and Manny.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Lantz offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 62.

Resolved, That the thanks of the members of this House be and are hereby tendered to the chairman of the committee on enrolled and engrossed bills for the able and efficient manner of conducting the affairs and business before said committee.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Sollitt called up Senate Bill No. 476, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 476, a bill for "An Act requiring cities and villages and incorporated towns to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness to the voters of any such city or village or incorporated town."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 110; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Scott,
Adkins,	English,	Hope,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Aischuler,	Erby,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hull,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Espy,	Huston,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Brady,	Finley,	Jewell,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Forst,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bush,	Galligan,	King,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Welborn,
Cermak,	Glade,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Church,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Clark,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	Liggett,	Richter,	York,
Curran,	Hagan,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Daley,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Riley,	Zipf,
Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—110

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Lantz,	Luke,	Murphy, Wm.	Nays—4
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This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Hruby called up Senate Bill No. 44, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 44, a bill for "An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,' approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	DeWolff,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Dillon,	Groves, W. M.	Maclean,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Shepard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	English,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Black,	Erby,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
Blair,	Erickson,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Espy,	Hruby,	Mills,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Etherton,	Huston,	Montelius,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Burgett,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Bush,	Forst,	King,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Butts,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Carter,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	White,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Clark,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	York,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Grace,	Lewis,	Rigney,	
Curran,	Gray,	Lank,	Riley,	
Daley,	Griffin,	Logan,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—113

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Parker,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 239.

A bill for "An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, truant, subnormal, convalescent and incipient invalid children and authorizing the manner of payment therefor."

HOUSE BILL No. 237.

A bill for an Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants or more to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor.

HOUSE BILL No. 528.

A bill for an Act to amend section 11 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the deposit of reserve and the registration of policies and annuity bonds by life insurance companies of this State," approved April 18, 1899, in force July 1, 1899, as amended by an Act approved May 20, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 706.

A bill for an Act requiring common carriers of freight to provide and maintain side tracks and connections for shippers and receivers of freight.

HOUSE BILL No. 361.

A bill for an Act to amend section four (4), five (5) and six (6) of an Act entitled, "An Act to protect cemeteries and to provide for their regulation and management," approved June 29, 1885, in force July 1, 1885, as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1889, in force July 1, 1889.

HOUSE BILL No. 654.

A bill for an Act authorizing the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the building laws of the State of Illinois.

Passed by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 490.

A bill for "An Act authorizing the making of additions to, and the correction of names of Illinois Soldiers or Sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within the Illinois State Monument, or Memorial Temple, in the National Military Park at Vicksburg, Mississippi, and providing for the appointment of commissioners therefor; and making appropriation for the payment of the cost and expenses thereof."

Passed by the Senate by a two-thirds vote, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Cermak moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 512 had failed to pass,

And the motion prevailed.

And the vote by which Senate Bill No. 512 had failed to pass was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

And the question again being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 99; nays, 7.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Holaday,	Lyon,	Rigney,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hope,	Maclean,	Riley,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hruby,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hull,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Huston,	McGuire,	Shaw,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	English,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Blair,	Erby,	Kannally,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Brady,	Erickson,	Keck,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Briscoe,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Troyer,
Burgett,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Myers,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	White,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Parker,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Gray,	Lederer,	Pervier,	York,
Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	Lewis,	Price,	Zinger,
Church,	Hagan,	Link,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Richter,	Yeas—99

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Foster,	Griffin,	Wilson, R. E.	Nays—7
Fahy,	Gorman,	Shephard, H. A.		

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. F. J. Wilson called up Senate Bill No. 528, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 528, a bill for "An Act to amend section four (4) of article XII of chapter twenty-four (24) of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing,' approved June 10, 1897, in force July 1, 1897."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 88; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Murphy, Wm.	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Flannigan,	Kowalski,	Murray,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Fulton,	Lane,	Myers,	Smejkal,
Brady,	Galligan,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Sollitt,
Briscoe,	Glade,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Stearns,
Burns,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Parker,	Sullivan,
Butts,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Tippit,
Cermak,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Troyer,
Chiperfield,	Holaday,	Logan,	Price,	Walsh,
Church,	Hollenbeck,	Lyon,	Richardson,	Werdell,
Clark,	Hope,	Maclean,	Richter,	Wheelan,
Curran,	Hruby,	McGuire,	Rigney,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Riley,	Wilson, G. H.
English,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Robinson,	Wilson, R. E.
Erby,	Ireland,	Mills,	Scanlan,	York,
Erickson,	Kannally,	Montelius,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Morris,	Scott,	
Finley,	King,	Murphy, E. J.	Shanahan,	Yeas—88

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Kirkpatrick,

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Flannigen called up Senate Bill No. 305, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 305, a bill for "An Act to provide for judges of circuit courts and judges of the superior court of Cook county holding court in the several circuits of the State and Cook county by order of the Supreme Court or any judge thereof."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 100.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McGuire,	Rigney,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Riley,
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	McMackin,	Scanlan,
Beck,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Mills,	Schumacher.
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Keck,	Montelius,	Shanahan,
Behrens,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Morris,	Shephard, H. A.
Black,	Fahy,	King,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejjkal,
Blair,	Feldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Finley,	Kleeman,	Myers,	Stearns,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Burns,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Eush,	Galligan,	Lantz,	O'Brien,	Walsh,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Parker,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Glade,	Liggett,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Logan,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Pierson,	York,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Macleam,	Poulton,	Zinger,
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Price,	Zipf.
Crawford,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Richter,	
Curran,				Yeas—100

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 115.

The motion prevailed.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said amendment.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 125, a bill for "An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service-uniforms for the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill in lines two and three by striking out the words and figures "ninety-one thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$91,495.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "eighty-one thousand four hundred ninety-five dollars (\$81,495.00)."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out lines 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 125, and,

On that motion a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Richter,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Rigney,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Robinson,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hope,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Beck,	English,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Shaw,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Shephard, H. A.
Black,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Smekjal,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Brady,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Burns,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Bush,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Butts,	Flannigen,	King,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Carter,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Walsh,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Clark,	Glade,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Price,	York,
Crawford,	Grace,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Curran,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Richardson,	Zipf,
Daley,	Groves, W. M.	Link,		

Yeas—113

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 125.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 294.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; together with the following amendment thereto in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

Amend House Bill No. 294 in the Senate by inserting after the word "value" in the 44th line on page 3, the following words, "and the rate per cent of the school tax for educational purposes shall not be reduced below a rate of one dollar and five cents on each one hundred dollars assessed value."

Passed by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of a bill of the following title:

HOUSE BILL No. 75.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March

7, 1872, and as amended," together with the following amendment thereto in the adoption of which amendment I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

Amend House Bill No. 75 in the Senate by striking out the word "sixty" in section 1, line 12, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

Passed by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The foregoing messages reporting Senate amendments to House Bills numbered 75 and 294, were ordered to lie on the Speaker's table.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 127, a bill for "An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in lines two and three the words and figures "sixteen thousand two hundred dollars (\$16,200.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "six thousand two hundred dollars (\$6,200.00)."

AMENDMENTS No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by inserting in line four after the word "for" and before the word "improvements" the following words, "the repair of target butts, erection of backstop, grading and other necessary."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend printed bill by striking out lines 5, 6 and 7.

And the question being; "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendments to House Bill No. 127.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 110; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Daley,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
ApMadoe,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hull,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Beck,	English,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Erby,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Terrill,
Black,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Ton,
Bolin,	Espy,	Keck,	Murray,	Troyer,
Brady,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Fahy,	King,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burns,	Flagg,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Butts,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Reynolds,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wright,
Chipfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Rigney,	York,
Church,	Grace,	Logan,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gray,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Shanahan,	
Crawford,	Groves, J.,			

Yeas—110

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Kirkpatrick, Nays—1

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 127.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendments to House Bill No. 126, a bill for "An Act to provide for the improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in lines two and three the words and figures "thirty thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$30,750)" and insert in lieu thereof "twenty thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$20,750.)"

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by inserting in line four after the word "for" and before the word "improvements" the following words: "barracks, buildings, pistol butts, targets, cement sidewalk, grading, dredging drainage ditch and other necessary."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out lines 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10.

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendments to House Bill No. 126.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 96.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cermak,	Flagg,	Lederer,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Chiperfield,	Flannigen,	Luke,	Shaw,
Allison,	Church,	Forst,	Maclean,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	Clark,	Fulton,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Cliffe,	Geshkewich,	McConnell,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Corcoran,	Gillespie,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Curran,	Glade,	Mills,	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Daley,	Grace,	Morris,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Dillon,	Gray,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Black,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Murphy, Wm.	Walsh,
Blair,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Murray,	Werdell,
Bolin,	Durfee,	Holaday,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Brady,	English,	Hruby,	O'Toole,	White,
Briscoe,	Erby,	Hull,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Browne,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Burgett,	Espy,	Keck,	Reynolds,	Zipf,
Burns,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Richter,	
Bush,	Fahy,	Kirkpatrick,	Robinson,	Yeas—96
Butts,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Scanlan,	
Carter,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Schumacher,	

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 126.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 430, a bill for "An Act for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend by striking out in lines 4, 5, 6 and 7 of section 1 on page 2 of printed bill, the following: "Two members thereof to be appointed from the faculties or trustees of the following universities; University of Illinois, University of Chicago, Northwestern University, and three members from the State at large."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing amendment to House Bill No. 430.

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 107.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Clark,	Hilton,	McConnell,	Riley,
Adkins,	Cliffe,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Allison,	Corcoran,	Hollenbeck,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Crawford,	Hope,	McNichols,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Curran,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Shepard, H. A.
Beck,	DeWolf,	Hull,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Ireland,	Murphy, E. J.	
Behrens,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Staymates,
Blair,	Dudgeon,	Keck,	Murray,	Stearns,
Bolin,	English,	Kerrick,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Brady,	Erby,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fahy,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Finley,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Burns,	Flagg,	Lederer,	Parker,	Wardell,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lewis,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Forst,	Liggett,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Galligan,	Link,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Maclean,	Reynolds,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	McCullum,	Richter,	Zipf,
Church,	Hagan,			

Yeas—107

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 430.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lawrence called up Senate Bill No. 244, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 244, a bill for "An Act entitled, 'An Act to amend section 14 of 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization; and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by an Act approved May 15, 1903, in force July 1, 1903."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 100; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Forst,	Lane,	Pervier,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Foster,	Lawrence,	Price,
Adkins,	Corcoran,	Fulton,	Lederer,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Crawford,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Shaw,
Beck,	Curran,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Shepard, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Daley,	Gillespie,	Link,	Shepherd, F. W.
Behrens,	DeWolf,	Glade,	Lyon,	Stearns,
Black,	Dillon,	Gorman,	McConnell,	Stevenson,
Blair,	Donahue,	Grace,	McLaughlin,	Terrill,
Brady,	Dudgeon,	Gray,	McMackin,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Durfee,	Hagan,	Mills,	Troyer,
Brownback,	English,	Hamilton,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Browne,	Erby,	Holaday,	Morris,	Wardell,
Burgett,	Erickson,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Wheeler,
Burns,	Espy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Etherton,	Hull,	Myers,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Feldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	York,
Carter,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Flagg,	King,	Parker,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	
Church,				

Yeas—100

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bolin, Kirkpatrick,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 14, a bill for "An Act to amend section 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named,' approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend by striking out of said bill after the enacting clause and insert the following in lieu thereof:

That section 19 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, as amended by Act approved June 17, 1891, in force July 1, 1891, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 19. *When County Board May Aid Town in Construction of a Bridge.*] When it is necessary to construct or repair any bridge over a stream, or any approach or approaches thereto, by means of an embankment or trestle work on a public road, in any town or on or near to or across a town line, in which work the town is wholly or in part responsible, and the cost of which will be more than twenty cents on the one hundred dollars on the latest assessment roll, and the levy of the road and bridge tax for two years last past in said town was in each year for the full amount of forty cents on each one hundred dollars allowed by law for the commissioners to raise, the major part of which is needed for the ordinary repair of roads and bridges, the commissioners may petition the county board for aid, and if the foregoing facts shall appear, the county board shall appropriate from the county treasury a sum sufficient to meet one-half the expenses of the said bridge or other work, on condition the town asking aid shall furnish the other half of the required amount:

Provided, that said commissioners shall, when it is determined by them that they will ask said county aid, as provided for in this section, and before any contract for work or material or any other expense may have been entered into, present their said petition to the county board, if it shall be in session, and if it shall not be in session to the chairman of said county board, whereupon said county board or the chairman thereof, as the case may be, shall appoint three members of said board, none of whom shall reside in the town asking aid as aforesaid, to represent the county in said matter, and said supervisors, when so appointed and notified, shall meet said commissioners at time and place to be selected by said commissioners, and the commissioners and supervisors shall organize by electing one of their members chairman, and said commissioners and supervisors shall make all contracts in manner provided by law for work, material and other expenses necessary for the construction or repairing of said bridge, or approach or approaches thereto, a majority vote of said commissioners and three supervisors being necessary to make any contract or incur any expense:

Provided, further, that no county shall be compelled under this Act, to expend in county aid for bridges more than one-fifth of the seventy-five cents on the one hundred dollars, which it is entitled by law to raise for county purposes; and,

Provided, further, that in case the towns aided under the provisions of this Act would be entitled to more than the aforesaid one-fifth, the towns shall each be aided to the extent of their pro rata proportion of the aforesaid one-fifth: and,

Provided, further, that all expenditures shall be made by said commissioners and supervisors, and the county board shall not be liable for any part of said expenses or compelled to pay any part of its appropriation until all of the work has been fully completed and accepted by said commissioners and supervisors and said facts properly certified to by said supervis-

ōrs and presented to said county board at a meeting held after the completion of said work, which certificate shall contain an itemized account of the expenditures: and,

Provided, further, if the supervisors and commissioners, when organized as aforesaid, shall fail to agree or come to a conclusion on the matters before them, they shall, on account of a tie, summon a reputable citizen, who is a householder of said county but not a resident of the town asking aid, said summons to be served by any constable of the county, and all questions in dispute and remaining unsettled shall be submitted to him, whose decision shall be final on all matters so submitted. The fees of the householder shall be the same as that of the supervisors, and the constable's fees shall be the same as constable's fees for summoning a jury, and all of said fees of said members of said commission and constable fees shall be paid out of said funds as part of the expenses.

Mr. Gray moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 14.

The motion prevailed.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said amendment.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Donahue called up Senate Bill No. 431, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 431, a bill for "An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State Reform School, and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency,' approved April 15, 1875, in force July 1, 1875, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Rigney,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Curran,	Glade,	Lederer,	Schumacher,
Bardill,	Daley,	Grace,	Link,	Shaw,
Beck,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	Logan,	Shephard, H. A.
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Stevenson,
Blair,	English,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Troyer,
Brady,	Erby,	Hope,	Mills,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Hull,	Montelius,	Werdell,
Burns,	Etherton,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Nelson,	White,
Butts,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Forst,	King,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipherfield,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Price,	
Church,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Richardson,	

Yeas—83

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL No. 72.

A bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages,' approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended."

HOUSE BILL No. 69.

A bill for an Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties not under township organization and to provide for the adoption of the same," approved May 10, 1901.

HOUSE BILL No. 70.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 13, 14, 19, 83, and 119 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named," approved June 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883, and as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 71.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 62 and 64 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the organization of road districts, the election and duties of officers therein, and in regard to roads and bridges, in counties not under township organization, and to repeal an Act and parts of Acts therein named," approved May 4, 1887, in force July 1, 1887, and as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 73.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to the rate of taxation in cities, villages and incorporated towns," approved and in force May 30, 1881.

HOUSE BILL No. 74.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of article VIII of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889, as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 76.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments," approved May 2, 1873, in force July 1, 1873, and as amended.

HOUSE BILL No. 77.

A bill for an Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, "An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control," approved June 17, 1893, in force July 1, 1893, and as amended May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.

HOUSE BILL No. 600.

A bill for an Act to amend section 9 of "An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers," approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889; as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897; as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901; as amended by an Act approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

HOUSE BILL No. 293.

A bill for an Act to amend sections 17 and 18 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named,' approved February 25, 1898, in force July 1, 1898.

Passed Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Carter called up Senate Bill No. 351, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 351, a bill for "An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899, in force July 1, 1899."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto, having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

Pending a verification of the roll, Mr. Clark moved that the roll be called over again.

Whereupon, Mr. Church moved to lay that motion upon the table,

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion of Mr. Clark was ordered to lie upon the table.

The roll was there upon verified with the following result: Yeas, 63; nays, 40.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hope,	Mills,	Stearns,
Black,	Fahy,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Murray,	Ton,
Bush,	Finley,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Butts,	Forst,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Campbell,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Werdell,
Carter,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gillespie,	Link,	Riley,	York,
Crawford,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Scott,	Zipf,
DeWolf,	Grace,	McConnell,	Shaw,	Yeas—63
Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Allison,	Etherton,	Jewell,	McCullum,	Scanlan,
Alschuler,	Glade,	Keck,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Gray,	King,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Griffin,	Kirkpatrick,	Morris,	Tippit,
Blair,	Groves, J.	Lane,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Burns,	Hagan,	Lederer,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Cliffe,	Hruby,	Lewis,	Poulton,	White,
Curran,	Huston,	Luke,	Richter,	Nays—40
Durfee,				

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

Mr. Hruby moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 351 had failed to pass.

Whereupon, Mr. Tippit moved to lay that motion upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, a division of the House was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 36; nays, 30.

The motion prevailed.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table:

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the passage of House bills of the following titles:

HOUSE BILL NO. 186.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the dissolution of towns, cities and villages organized under the laws of Illinois."

HOUSE BILL No. 627.

A bill for an Act granting power to the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns to license and regulate advertising by means of bill boards, sign boards and signs.

Passed by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Smejkal, from the Committee on Conference submitted the following report:

To the Honorable, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate:

We, the undersigned committee of conference appointed to consider the differences between the two houses relative to the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act, begs leave to report that we recommend that the amendments, adopted by the House of Representatives be concurred in by the Senate.

Dated this 29th day of May, 1909.

EDWARD J. SMEJKAL,

T. H. RILEY.

LEE O'NEIL BROWNE,

B. M. CHIPERFIELD,

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

W. O. POTTER,

HERMAN H. BREIDT,

WALTER I. MANNY,

E. C. CURTIS,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

The question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?"

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 100; nays, 11.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Glade,	McConnell,	Schumacher.
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Curran,	Griffin,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Daley,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Beck,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Myers,	Stearns,
Black,	Durfee,	Huston,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Blair,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Browne,	Fahy,	King,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Finley,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Flagg,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Flannigan,	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Foster,	Lewis,	Richardson,	York,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Link,	Richter,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	Logan,	Riley,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gillespie,	Luke,	Scanlan,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—100

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Fulton,	Hagan,	Hull,	Kirkpatrick,	Lyon,
Grace,	Hamilton,	Kerrick,	Lawrence,	Montelius,
Gray,				Nays—11

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Bush called up Senate Bill No. 62, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 62, a bill for "An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars used by any person, receiver, or corporation operating a line of railroad situated wholly or in part within the State."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 78; nays, 7.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Galligan,	Link,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Crawford,	Glade,	McCollum,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Curran,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Griffin,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Hope,	Myers,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Blair,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Durfee,	Hutzler,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	English,	Jewell,	Pervier,	White,
Burns,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Fieldstack,	King,	Price,	York,
Futts,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Chipperfield,	Fiannigen,	Lederer,	Riley,	
Church,	Fulton,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—78

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Carter,	Grace,	Kerrick,	Lane,	Welborn,
Erby,	Huston,			Nays—7

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Lantz called up Senate Bill No. 443, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 443, a bill for "An Act concerning the election and powers of trustees in villages and incorporated towns organized and existing under special Acts."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 88.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Church,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Clark,	Glade,	Link,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	Maclean,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Corcoran,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Crawford,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Curran,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Daley,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Sullivan,
Black,	DeWolf,	Hope,	Mills,	Tippit,
Blair,	Dillon,	Hruby,	Morris,	Ton,
Brownback,	Donahue,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Welborn,
Browne,	English,	Keck,	Myers,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Erickson,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fetherston,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Wilson, R. E.
Futts,	Flagg,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Zipf,
Carter,	Foster,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Mr. Speaker,
Cermak,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Price,	Yeas—88
Chipperfield,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Richter,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Holaday called up Senate Bill No. 272, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 272, a bill for "An Act in relation to the adoption, use and price of public school text books in the free public schools of this State."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 121; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Durfee,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Riley,
Abrahams,	English,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Erby,	Hope,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Allison,	Erickson,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Etherton,	Huston,	Mills,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Brady,	Flagg,	Keck,	Murphy, Wm.	Sollitt,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Stearns,
Browne,	Forst,	King,	Myers,	Stevenson,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Naylor,	Sullivan,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kieeman,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lane,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	O'Toole,	Walsh,
Clark,	Glade,	Lederer,	Parker,	Welborn,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Corcoran,	Grace,	Link,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Crawford,	Gray,	Logan,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Curran,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Price,	York,
DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Richardson,	White,
Dillon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Donahue,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Dudgeon,				Yeas—121

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bush, Zipf,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 75, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872, and as amended."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 75 in the Senate by striking out the word "sixty" in section 1, line 12, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 75?"

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Stevenson,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Montelius,	Sullivan,
Bardill,	English,	Hull,	Morris,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Huston,	Murphy, E. J.	Tippit,
Blair,	Espy,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Troyer,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Kannally,	Myers,	Walsh,
Browne,	Fahy,	Keck,	Naylor,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Werdell,
Bush,	Finley,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Lane,	O'Neil,	White,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wright,
Church,	Glade,	Link,	Price,	York,
Clark,	Gorman,	Luke,	Richter,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lyon,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Scanlan,	Yeas—103
DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 75.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House Senate amendment to House Bill No. 294, a bill for "An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes,' approved May 9, 1901, in force July 1, 1901, as amended by an Act approved March 29, 1905, in force July 1, 1905."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 294 in the Senate by inserting after the word "value" in the 44th line on page 3, the following words: "and the rate per cent of the school tax for educational purposes shall not be reduced below a rate of one dollar and five cents on each one hundred dollars assessed value."

And the question being, "Shall the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 294?"

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 103.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Glade,	Link,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Curran,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Daley,	Grace,	Maclean,	Sullivan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Gray,	McCollum,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Dillon,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McGuire,	Troyer,
Blair,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Walsh,
Bolin,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Morris,	Welborn,
Brady,	English,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Werdell,
Browne,	Erby,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Frickson,	Hruby,	Murray,	White,
Burns,	Espy,	Hull,	Nelson,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Etherton,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Wright,
Carter,	Fieldstack,	King,	O'Toole,	York,
Cermak,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Zinger,
Chiperfield,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	Zipf,
Church,	Foster,	Lane,	Richter,	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Rigney,	Yeas—103
Cliffe,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Scanlan,	

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 294.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Church called up Senate Bill No. 359, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 359, a bill for "An Act concerning sinking funds."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 113.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hilton,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepard, H. A.
Allison,	Donahue,	Hruby,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Aischuler,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Montelius,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Huston,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Beck,	English,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Keck,	Murray,	Tippit,
Blair,	Etherton,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flagg,	Kleeman,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Flannigen,	Kowalski,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Burns,	Forst,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	White,
Butts,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Pierson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Link,	Price,	York,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Logan,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Church,	Gray,	Lyon,	Richter,	Zipf,
Clark,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker.
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	McCollum,	Riley,	Yeas—113
Corcoran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 672, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 4 and 19 of an Act entitled, 'An Act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same, and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith, filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 672 in the Senate by inserting in the title of the bill, after the words "for an Act to amend section 4" the figures "10."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 672 in the Senate by inserting in line 2 on page 1, of the bill as printed in the House, after the words "that sections 4," the figures "10."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 672 in the Senate by inserting between lines 23 and 24 on page 2 of the bill as printed in the House the following:

Section 10. No person shall drive a motor vehicle or motor bicycle upon any public highway in this State at a speed greater than is reasonable and proper having regard to the traffic and the use of the way or so as to endanger the life or limb or injure the property of any person. If the rate

of speed of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated upon any public highway in this State where the same passes through the closely built up business portions of any incorporated city, town or village exceeds ten (10) miles an hour for a distance of one-eighth of a mile or if the rate of speed of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated on any public highway in this State where the same passes through the residence portions of any incorporated city, town or village exceeds fifteen (15) miles an hour for a distance of one-eighth of a mile or if the rate of speed of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated on any public highway in this State outside the closely built up business portions and the residence portions of any incorporated city, town or village exceeds twenty (20) miles an hour for a distance of one-fourth of a mile such rates of speed shall be prima facie evidence that the person operating such motor vehicle or motor bicycle is running at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper having regard to the traffic and use of the way or so as to endanger the life or limb or injure the property of any person. If the rate of speed of a motor vehicle or motor bicycle operated on any public highway in this State in going around a corner or curve in a highway where the operator's view of the road traffic is obstructed exceeds six (6) miles an hour such rate of speed shall be prima facie evidence that the person operating such motor vehicle or motor bicycle is running at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable having regard to the traffic and the use of the way or so as to endanger the life or limb or injure the property of any person.

Mr. H. A. Shephard moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 672.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 97; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Daley,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Shephard, H. A.
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Shepherd, F. W.
Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Smejkal,
Allison,	Durfee,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Stearns,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Sullivan,
Beck,	Erby,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Terrill,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Mills,	Tippit,
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Troyer,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murphy, E. J.	Walsh,
Briscoe,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Finley,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Flagg,	King,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Poulton,	York,
Carter,	Galligan,	Lane,	Richardson,	Zinger,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Zipf,
Church,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Chipherfield,	Glade,	Lewis,	Scanlan,	Yeas—97
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Link,	Schumacher,	
Curran,	Gray,	Logan,	Shaw,	

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Browne,

Nays—1

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 672.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendment to House Bill No. 448, a bill for "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collecting of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes,' approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893, as amended by an Act approved and in force January 31, 1895."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend House Bill No. 448 in the Senate by striking out of the printed bill the words and figures "eighteen (18)" in line 10 of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirty (30)."

Mr. Holaday moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 448.

The motion prevailed.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said amendment.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 731, a bill for "An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 17, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 56, 57, 58, 61, 63 and 64 of 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held November 7, 1905, and adopted as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, adopted at the election held September 17, 1907."

Which amendments are as follows:

Amend the title of the bill by inserting after "49" the figures "50" and "50a" and by inserting after "61" the figures "62" and by adding to the end of said title the following: "And to add thereto two new sections, to be known as sections 50e and 59a."

Strike out all of section 1 after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 17, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 50, 50a, 56, 57, 58, 61, 62, 63 and 64 of "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905; as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905.'" be and the same are hereby amended, and that said Act be and is hereby further amended by adding thereto two additional sections, to be known as sections 50e and 59a, which said sections as amended and said additional sections shall read as follows:

Page 2, section 2, in line 18, after the word "implied" insert the words "actions on judgments."

Page 2, section 2, in line 27, strike out the word "where" and insert in lieu thereof the word "when."

Page 2, section 2, in line 28, before the word "sought" insert the words "claimed or the value of the property."

Line 96, page 5, strike out the word "additioaal" and insert in lieu therefor the word "additional."

Page 6, section 8, line 127, strike out the words "six thousand (\$6,000)" and insert in lieu thereof "eight thousand (\$8,000)."

Page 6, in line 134, strike out the words "six thousand (\$6,000)" and insert in lieu thereof "eight thousand (\$8,000)."

Section 48a, line 467, insert after the word "served" the words "or levied." Section 48a, in line 470, after the word "such" insert "defendant when he claims that the property is exempt from executions or attachment by virtue of the exemption laws of this State or by such."

Page 19, in line 485, strike out the words "other cases" and insert in lieu thereof "any case."

Page 19, in line 487, strike out the word "the" before the word "cases."

Page 19, in line 493, after the word "if" insert the word "he."

By adding the following, amend section 50 to read as follows:

Sec. 50. Upon the arrest of any person for any criminal or quasi criminal offense within the jurisdiction of the municipal court, any judge of the municipal court, or any judge of the circuit or superior court of Cook county,

shall have power criminal offense or for any offense when the punishment is by fine or imprisonment otherwise than in the penitentiary, the chief of police, or any captain or lieutenant or sergeant of police of the city of Chicago, or any deputy clerk designated for that purpose by an order signed by a majority of the judges of the municipal court, shall have power to let such person to bail. The bail bond in any criminal case in which the punishment may be otherwise than by fine, shall be conditioned for the personal appearance of the person arrested before some branch court at a time fixed in said bond for such personal appearance, and from day to day thereafter until the final judgment or order of the court. In quasi criminal cases and in criminal cases in which the punishment may be by fine only, the bail bond shall be conditioned for the personal appearance of the person arrested before some branch court at a time fixed in said bond for such personal appearance and from day to day thereafter until the final judgment or order of the court, and in default of such personal appearance for the immediate payment of any judgment that may be rendered in said case. Any bond so taken shall be signed by one or more sureties to be approved by such judge or officer, who shall be authorized and required to administer oaths for the purpose of ascertaining the sufficiency of the sureties. All bonds so taken shall be filed with the clerk of the municipal court at the branch court at which the person so arrested is required to appear. The exercise of the power hereby conferred of letting to bail shall be subject to regulations by such rules as may be adopted by a majority of the judges of the municipal court, as herein provided. But any person so arrested shall have the right to be brought immediately before the municipal court in the district in which he is arrested; or, if there be no judge then in attendance upon such court, before the municipal court in any other district at which there may be then a judge in attendance, to be dealt with by such court according to law. The court may by rule provide that any defendant arrested in any criminal case in which the punishment is by fine or imprisonment otherwise than in the penitentiary, or in any quasi criminal case, in lieu of giving bail for his personal appearance, may deposit with the clerk or with the police officer letting such person to bail, to be by such police officer paid over to the clerk within twenty-four hours after such deposit is made, such sums of money as the court may deem sufficient to secure his personal appearance at the time or times fixed therefor, such sum to be forfeited and paid into the city treasury in case such defendant shall fail to appear in person at the time or times so fixed; except that in quasi criminal cases and criminal cases in which the punishment may be by fine only, the judgment and costs shall be deducted from such cash deposit, and the balance returned to the person depositing same. If upon an application made at any time within thirty days after any forfeiture provided for in this section such defendant shall prove to the satisfaction of the court that his failure to so appear was the result of serious illness, or other unavoidable accident, the court may, by order, set aside such forfeiture. Other proceedings for the forfeiture of recognizances and bail bonds in criminal and quasi criminal cases shall be the same, as near as may be, as provided for the forfeiture of recognizances and bail bonds in criminal cases in the criminal court of Cook county.

By adding the following, amend section 50a to read as follows:

Sec. 50a. The practice and proceedings in the municipal court in bastardy cases shall be as follows:

First—Whenever an unmarried woman, who shall be pregnant or delivered of a child, which by law would be deemed a bastard, shall file in the municipal court, if she be pregnant or so delivered in the city of Chicago, or the person accused be found in said city of Chicago, her complaint in writing, under oath or affirmation, accusing a person of being the father of such child, the court shall order a warrant to issue against the person so accused and cause him to be brought forthwith before the court.

Second—Such warrant shall be issued to the bailiff and to all sheriffs, coroners and constables in the State of Illinois and may be executed by any officer in any county.

Third—If, upon the appearance of the defendant in any bastardy case, the woman be not delivered and the probable date of the delivery is thirty days or more after the appearance of the defendant, as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the court to examine the woman, upon oath or affirmation, in the presence of the man alleged to be the father of the child, touching the charge against him. The defendant shall have the right to controvert such charge, and evidence may be heard as in case of trial before the county court. If the court shall be of the opinion that sufficient cause appears, it shall be the duty of the court to bind the person so accused, in recognizance with sufficient security, to appear before said court at a time after the probable date of the birth of the child, to which said cause may be continued, to answer to said charge. On neglect or refusal to enter into a recognizance with security, the court shall cause such person to be committed to the jail of the county of Cook, there to be held to answer to the complaint. If, at the time to which said cause may be continued, said child be not born, or the mother be unable to attend court, said cause shall be further continued until she is able, and any recognizance entered into by the defendant to secure his appearance shall stand until the final disposition of the cause. After the birth of the child the court shall cause an issue to be made up whether the person charged, as aforesaid, is the real father of the child or not, which issue shall be tried by a jury, unless the parties shall elect to waive a trial by jury, in which case the issue shall be tried by the court without a jury.

Fourth—Pending the trial of such issue and the final disposition of the matter, if the defendant shall not have given bond as aforesaid prior to such delivery, the court shall require the defendant to enter into a recognizance in such amount and with such sureties as the court may deem just, for the appearance of the defendant from day to day until the entry of the final judgment.

Fifth—All further proceedings in the case shall be the same, as near as may be, as are provided by law for similar cases in the criminal court of Cook county.

Sixth—The practice in cases of appeals from and writs of error to the municipal court in bastardy cases shall be the same, as near as may be, as is in this Act provided for cases of the first class, such appeals to be taken to and such writs of error to be sued out from the appellate court of the first district.

By adding the following:

Sec. 50e. Any judge of the municipal court to whom application is made for a warrant, capias or writ of attachment, in any case of criminal or quasi criminal nature, when he is not presiding in court, shall have the power and authority to issue such warrant, capias or writ of attachment and sign the same with his own name as judge of the municipal court, and indorse thereon, the amount of bail in which defendant shall be held, which warrant, capias or writ of attachment, when so signed by the judge, shall have the same force and effect as if the same were issued and signed by the clerk of the court. Any complaint or affidavit received by such judge upon the issuance of such warrant, capias or writ of attachment shall be filed with the clerk as soon as may be after the issuing of such warrant, capias or writ of attachment.

Section 56, line 564, before the word "case" insert the word "any."

Line 619, strike out the letter "s" from the word "officers."

Lines 619 and 620, strike out the words "and where an alias writ is delivered to him he."

Line 633, strike out the letter "s" from the word "officers."

Line 642, strike out the letter "s" from the word "executions."

Line 658, strike out the first letter "a" and insert the letter "o" in the word "appressive."

Page 25, section 57, line 702, strike out the word "made" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may."

Page 28, section 58, lines 743 and 744, strike out the words "two dollars (\$2.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words "three dollars (\$3.00)."

By adding the following:

Sec. 59a. Whenever any law provides that any document or instrument shall be acknowledged, filed or entered before a justice of the peace, in such case the clerk of the municipal court shall have powers of a justice of the peace in respect thereto.

By adding the following, amend section 62 to read as follows:

Sec. 62. It shall be the duty of the chief justice of the municipal court to superintend the keeping of the records of said court. He shall have power and authority to prescribe abbreviated and amplified forms of entries of orders, judgments and decrees in the municipal court, which abbreviated forms shall stand for and represent the respective amplified forms thereof. The entry by any branch court of any such order, judgment or decree in such abbreviated form shall in legal effect be the adoption by the court of the prescribed amplified form corresponding to such abbreviated form, and shall have the same force and effect as if such judgment, order or decree were written out in full in the records of said court. Said chief justice shall have power and authority to prescribe any rules and regulations concerning the adoption and use of any abbreviated and amplified forms of orders, judgments and decrees that are not inconsistent with this Act.

On page 36, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

For consenting to the Act entitled, "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905; as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, entitled, 'An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905."

Against consenting to the Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905; as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, entitled 'An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago,' approved May 18, 1905."
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Mr. Church moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 731, and,

On this motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 104; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Gorman,	Lyon,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Grace,	Maclean,	Shaw,
Allison,	Daley,	Gray,	McCullum,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Griffin,	McConnell,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Groves, J.	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hagan,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Beckemeyer,	Durfee,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Behrens,	English,	Holaday,	Morris,	Stearns,
Black,	Erby,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Blair,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Bolin,	Etherton,	Iutzyer,	Murray,	Terrill,
Briscoe,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Myers,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Burgett,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Butts,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheeler,
Carter,	Fulton,	Lane,	Perkins,	White,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Church,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Clark,	Gillespie,	Link,	Riley,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Glade,	Logan,	Scanlan,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Hull,

King,

Kirkpatrick,

Nays—3

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 731.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to recede from their amendments to House Bill No. 115, a bill for an Act making an appropriation for the University of Illinois.

I am further directed to inform the House that the Senate requests a committee of conference to consist of four members from each House to consider the differences of the two houses in regard to the amendments to the bill.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Hurburgh, Dunlap, Landee and Gibson.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for a Committee of Conference to adjust the differences arising between the two houses on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 115, And the motion prevailed.

The Speaker thereupon appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Shanahan, Zinger and R. E. Wilson.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Nelson called up Senate Bill No. 390, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 390, a bill for "An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 86; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Gorman,	Link,	Riley,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Grace,	Logan,	Scanlan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Gray,	Macleam,	Schumacher,
Alschuler,	Durfee,	Griffin,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	English,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Beck,	Erby,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Black,	Erickson,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Stearns,
Blair,	Fahy,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Sullivan,
Brownback,	Fieldstack,	Hull,	Myers,	Terrill,
Burgett,	Finley,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Butts,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Welborn,
Carter,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Cermak,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Price,	White,
Church,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zipf,
Clark,				Yeas—86

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Hilton,

Kerrick,

Murray,

Nays—3

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Shanahan moved that a Committee of Conference consisting of four members on the part of the House be appointed to meet with a like committee on the part of the Senate, to consider the differences arising between the two houses in regard to the amendments to House Bill No. 136.

And the motion prevailed.

Thereupon, the Speaker appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Shanahan, Sollitt, Glade and Dillon.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Myers called up Senate Bill No. 106, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 106, a bill for "An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, 'An Act to promote the safety of employes and travelers upon railroads by compelling common carriers engaged in moving traffic by railroad between points in the State of Illinois, to equip their cars with automatic couplers and continuous brakes and their locomotives with driving wheel brakes, and for other purposes,' approved May 12, 1905, and in force July 1, 1905, by adding thereto a new section."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 120; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Morris,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Durfee,	Hope,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hruby,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Etherton,	Hull,	Myers,	Sullivan,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Huston,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Blair,	Finley,	Ireland,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flags,	Jewell,	O'Neil,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kannally,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burns,	Forst,	Keck,	Parker,	Werdehl,
Bush,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Butts,	Galligan,	King,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Kirkpatrick,	Pierson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Richter,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Lederer,	Rigney,	York,
Clark,	Gray,	Liggett,	Riley,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Logan,	Robinson,	Zipf,
Corcoran,	Groves, J.	McConnell,	Scanlan,	

Yeas—120

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Erby, Hagan,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Butts called up Senate Bill No. 364, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 364, a bill for "An Act relating to private employment agencies and to repeal parts of a certain Act relating thereto."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 102.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hope,	Morris,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	English,	Hruby,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Black,	Erby,	Hull,	Myers,	Troyer,
Brady,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Burgett,	Etherton,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burns,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	King,	Parker,	White,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pierson,	Wright,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Lane,	Poulton,	York,
Chipherfield,	Gilliespie,	Lawrence,	Price,	Zinger,
Church,	Glade,	Lederer,	Reynolds,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Richardson,	
Cliffe,	Gray,	Logan,	Richter,	
Corcoran,	Griffin,	Maclean,	Robinson,	

Yeas—102

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Abrahams called up Senate Bill No. 281, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 281, a bill for "An Act for the regulation of pawnbrokers, and repealing a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 109; nays, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Gillespie,	McConnell,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Glade,	McGuire,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Curran,	Grace,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Griffin,	McMackin,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	Mills,	Stearns,
Beck,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Montelius,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Black,	Durfee,	Hollenbeck,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Blair,	English,	Hope,	Murray,	Tippit,
Brady,	Erby,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Briscoe,	Erickson,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Espy,	King,	O'Brien,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Etherton,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	White,
Burns,	Fahy,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Butts,	Flagg,	Lawrence,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Flannigen,	Lederer,	Price,	Wright,
Carter,	Forst,	Lewis,	Reynolds,	York,
Cermak,	Foster,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zinger,
Chipherfield,	Fulton,	Logan,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Church,	Galligan,	Lyon,	Robinson,	

Yeas—109

Those voting in the negative are: Mr.

Groves, W. M.

Nays—1

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Nelson called up Senate Bill No. 389, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 389, a bill for "An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures, and to repeal a certain Act therein named."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time.

Pending roll call, Mr. Poulton moved that further consideration be postponed,

And the motion was lost.

And the question then being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 54; nays, 24.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cermak,	Espy,	Kleeman,	Richter,
Allison,	Church,	Fahy,	Lawrence,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Cliffe,	Fieldstack,	Maclean,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Crawford,	Flannigen,	Mills,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Curran,	Fulton,	Morris,	Troyer,
Blair,	Daley,	Gorman,	Murray,	Werdell,
Brady,	Dillon,	Grace,	Myers,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Nelson,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Dudgeon,	Jewell,	O'Neil,	Wilson, R. E.
Butts,	Erby,	Keck,	Parker,	Zipf,
Carter,	Erickson,	Kittleman,	Perkins,	Yeas—54

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Durfee,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Price,
Adkins,	English,	Kerrick,	McMackin,	Rigney,
Browne,	Foster,	Lane,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,
Clark,	Galligan,	Link,	Murphy, Wm.	White,
DeWolf,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	Poulton,	Nays—24

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fulton called up Senate Bill No. 433, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 433, a bill for "An Act providing for a system of probation, for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and authorizing the suspension of final judgment and the imposition of sentence upon persons found guilty of certain defined crimes and offenses and legalizing their ultimate discharge without punishment."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 63; nays, 16.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Campbell,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Pervier,
Abrahams,	Cernak,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Poulton,
Adkins,	Chiperfield,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Price,
Allison,	Church,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	Richter,
Alschuler,	Clark,	Galligan,	Kleeman,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Cliffe,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Stearns,
Beck,	Crawford,	Glade,	Logan,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Curran,	Gray,	Maclean,	Troyer,
Black,	DeWolf,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Werdell,
Bolin,	Dillon,	Holaday,	Montelius,	Wilson, F. J.
Burgett,	English,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Zinger,
Bush,	Erickson,	Hruby,	O'Brien,	Yeas—63
Butts,	Etherton,	Hull,	Parker,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	Erby,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Carter,	Gorman,	Hilton,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Daley,	Groves, J.	Lane,	Scanlan,	White,
Dudgeon,				Nays—16

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of the amendment to Senate Bill No. 359, a bill for an Act concerning sinking funds; which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate bill by inserting after section 2 of said bill the following as section 3 of said bill.

Section 3. Whereas, an emergency exists, this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Amendment concurred in by the Senate May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stevenson called up Senate Bill No. 159, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to provide for the sale of the Kaskaskia Commons upon the Island of Kaskaskia, in the county of Randolph and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale, and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 67; nays, 30.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Erby,	Hull,	Maclean,	Richter,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Huston,	McCollum,	Rigney,
Beck,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Mills,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Keck,	Montelius,	Stearns,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kerrick,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Butts,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Carter,	Grace,	Lane,	Parker,	Welborn,
Chiperfield,	Gray,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Curran,	Hagan,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Zipf,
Dudgeon,	Hamilton,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Yeas—67
Durfee,	Holaday,	Logan,	Price,	
English,	Hruby,	Lyon,	Richardson,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Alschuler,	Daley,	Geshkewich,	McGuire,	O'Brien,
Behrens,	DeWolf,	Gorman,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Blair,	Dillon,	Griffin,	Morris,	Sullivan,
Browne,	Donahue,	Hilton,	Murphy, E. J.	Werdell,
Cermak,	Fahy,	Kannally,	Myers,	White,
Cliffe,	Flagg,	Luke,	Naylor,	Wilson, R. E.

Nays—30

This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

Mr. Tippit gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 159 had failed to pass.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 59, a bill for "An Act to provide for the election of town clerks in counties under township organization (except in the county of Cook) and to fix their term of office."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by striking out of the title of said bill the words "except in the county of Cook."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by striking out of line 4, section 1, of the printed bill the words "except in the county of Cook."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by inserting in line 4 of section 1, of the printed bill after the figures "1910" the words "and every two years thereafter."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend House Bill No. 59 in Senate by striking out all of line 6 in section 1 of the printed bill all words after the word "until" also line 7 and inserting in place thereof the words "their successors are elected and qualified" and the term of said office is fixed at two years.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the title by inserting after the word "clerks" the words "township assessors and township collectors."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend section one (1), line two (2), by inserting after the word "clerks" the words, "township assessors and township collectors."

Mr. Burgett moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 59, and on that motion,

A call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 81; nays, 11.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	Lewis,	Price,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hope,	Logan,	Richter,
Beck,	English,	Hruby,	Lyon,	Rigney,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hull,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
Black,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	McCollum,	Schumacher,
Brownback,	Etherton,	Ireland,	McLaughlin,	Shanahan,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	McMackin,	Shaw,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kannally,	Mills,	Smejkal,
Eutts,	Fulton,	Keck,	Myers,	Sollitt,
Carter,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Cermak,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Stevenson,
Chiperfield,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Church,	Grace,	Kowalski,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Cliffe,	Gray,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Crawford,	Hagan,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Mr. Speaker.
Donahue,				Yeas—81

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne,	Griffin,	Murphy, E. J.	Sullivan,	Wilson, R. E.
Foster,	Hilton,	Murray,	White,	Nays—11
Gorman,	McGuire,			

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 59.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Chipfield in the Chair, Mr. Shurtleff offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 63.

Resolved, That Mr. James Kinney, who has been present each day of the sessions of the Forty-sixth General Assembly, and has performed work and services in this House, and has been for some time, by appointment by the Speaker under a resolution, assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk, be paid for such service from January 6, 1909, at the per diem allowed by statute, until the date of his appointment, March 22d.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted by a two thirds vote.

Mr. Dudgeon offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 64.

WHEREAS, Mr. Henry Doebler, Secretary to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly has rendered special services during the entire session, as Secretary to the Speaker; therefore be it

Resolved, That he be paid for such extra services, at the rate of \$3.00 per diem, from January 6, 1909, to date and that the Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for the same.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted by a two thirds vote.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Richter called up Senate Bill No. 393, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 393, a bill for "An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, 'An Act concerning land titles,' approved and in force May 1, 1897."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, 'Shall this bill pass?' it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 90.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Richter,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Rigney,
ApMadoc,	Durfee,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Scanlan,
Beck,	English,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Schumacher,
Behrens,	Erby,	Hull,	Mills,	Shanahan,
Black,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Brownback,	Etherton,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Murray,	Sollitt,
Bush,	Finley,	Keck,	Myers,	Stearns,
Butts,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Carter,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Kleman,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Chipfield,	Gillespie,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Church,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Curran,	Grace,	Lewis,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Daley,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Price,	Zinger,
Dillon,	Hagan,	Logan,	Richardson,	Zint,

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Beck called up Senate Bill No. 91, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 91, a bill for "An Act to prohibit the killing, interfering with or injuring carrier pigeons and to provide punishment for the violation thereof."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 83; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Dillon,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Rigney,
Alschuler,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	Logan,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	Lyon,	Schumacher,
Beck,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Black,	English,	Hope,	McGuire,	Shepherd, F. W.
Blair,	Erby,	Hruby,	McLaughlin,	Smejkal,
Brownback,	Erickson,	Hull,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Burgett,	Etherton,	Huston,	Mills,	Tippit,
Bush,	Fieldstack,	Hutzler,	Murphy, E. J.	Troyer,
Butts,	Flannigen,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Werdell,
Carter,	Fulton,	Keck,	Nelson,	White,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Gillespie,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	York,
Church,	Glade,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Gorman,	Lane,	Poulton,	Mr. Speaker.
Curran,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Price,	Yeas—83
DeWolf,	Griffin,	Lederer,	Richter,	

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Browne, Shaw,

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has receded from their amendment to House Bill No. 448, a bill for an Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes, approved June 17, 1893, in force June 17, 1893.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Kleeman called up Senate Bill No. 508, in the order of third reading.

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 508, a bill for "An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois, and regulating the conditions and provisions of policies of life insurance companies, organized under the laws of this State, or doing business herein,' approved May 20, 1907, in force January 1, 1908."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 89.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Geshkewich,	Liggett,	Price,
Adkins,	Crawford,	Gillespie,	Logan,	Richter,
Alschuler,	Curran,	Gorman,	Luke,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Daley,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Shanahan,
Beckemeyer,	DeWolf,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Donahue,	Hamilton,	McGuire,	Sollitt,
Blair,	Dudgeon,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Stearns,
Brady,	Durfee,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Troyer,
Brownback,	English,	Hope,	Mills,	Walsh,
Burns,	Erby,	Hull,	Montelius,	Welborn,
Bush,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Werdell,
Butts,	Etherton,	Keck,	Naylor,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Fahy,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Fieldstack,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Wright,
Cermak,	Finley,	Lane,	O'Toole,	York,
Chiperfield,	Flannigen,	Lantz,	Parker,	Zinger,
Church,	Foster,	Lederer,	Pierson,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Galligan,	Lewis,	Poulton,	

Yeas—89

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fieldstack called up Senate Bill No. 154, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 154, a bill for "An Act to amend section 121 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes,' approved March 30, 1872, in force July 1, 1872."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 105.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Corcoran,	Grace,	McCollum,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Griffin,	McGuire,	Schumacher,
Adkins,	Daley,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hamilton,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Holaday,	Mills,	Sollitt,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hollenbeck,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Beck,	Durfee,	Hruby,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	English,	Hull,	Murphy, E. J.	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Erby,	Huston,	Murray,	Tippit,
Blair,	Erickson,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Ton,
Briscoe,	Espy,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Walsh,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fieldstack,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Finley,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	White,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Kleman,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Butts,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Fulton,	Lawrence,	Pierson,	Wright,
Carter,	Geshkewich,	Lederer,	Poulton,	York,
Chinerfield,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Price,	Zinger,
Church,	Glade,	Logan,	Richter,	Zipf,
Clark,	Gorman,	Luke,	Riley,	
Cliffe,				

Yeas—105

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Troyer called up Senate Bill No. 376, in the order of third reading,

Whereupon, Senate Bill No. 376, a bill for "An Act in relation to tax deeds."

Was taken up, and all amendments adopted thereto having been engrossed and printed, was read at large a third time,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote: Yeas, 59; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Butts,	Finley,	Lewis,	Poulton,
Abrahams,	Campbell,	Flannigen,	Logan,	Price,
Adkins,	Carter,	Geshkewich,	Luke,	Richardson,
Alschuler,	Cermak,	Gillespie,	Maclean,	Scanlan,
ApMadoc,	Chiperfield,	Groves, J.	McLaughlin,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Clark,	Hagan,	McMackin,	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Corcoran,	Hilton,	Mills,	Stevenson,
Black,	Dillon,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Welborn,
Blair,	Dudgeon,	Keck,	Murphy, E. J.	Werdell,
Brownback,	Durfee,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Zopf,
Burns,	English,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Mr. Speaker.
Bush,	Erickson,	Lederer,	Pervier,	Yeas—59

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

McGuire,	Murray,	Wilson, R. E.	Nays—3
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This bill having failed to receive the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared lost.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 44.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That when the two houses adjourn to-day, they stand adjourned until Thursday, June 3, 1909, at four o'clock, p. m.; and, be it further

Resolved, That when the two houses adjourn on that date, they stand adjourned *sine die*.

Adopted by the Senate, May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to adopt the conference committee's report, as follows: *To the Honorable, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate:*

We, the undersigned committee of conference appointed to consider the differences between the two houses relative to the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for an Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to

create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act, begs leave to report that we recommend that the amendments, adopted by the House of Representatives be concurred in by the Senate.

Dated this 29th day of May, 1909.

EDWARD J. SMEJKAL,
T. H. RILEY,
LEE O'NEIL BROWNE,
B. M. CHIPERFIELD,
DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

W. O. POTTER,
HERMAN H. BREIDT,
WALTER I. MANNY
E. C. CURTIS,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives, that the Senate has refused to recede from their amendments to House Bill No. 136, a bill for an Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois and to provide for the extension of the Agricultural Experiment Station and to make appropriations therefor.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the original bill by striking out in section 1 the words and figures "fifty-eight thousand five hundred (58,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "sixty thousand (60,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the original bill by striking out in section 4 the words and figures "fifty thousand (50,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "sixty-five thousand (65,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the original bill by striking out in section 5, the words and figures "fifteen thousand (15,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty thousand (20,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the original bill by adding an additional section known as section 8 to read as follows: "That it shall be the duty of the College of Agriculture through its department of Household Science to make such investigations and give such instruction and demonstrations as are calculated to advance the art of practical housekeeping in the State, with special reference to supplying practical instruction to those desiring to take special courses in the sciences relating to and in the art of practical housekeeping, and that to carry out the provisions of this section there be, and hereby is, appropriated ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars annually for the year 1909 and 1910.

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend the original bill by renumbering sections 8 and 9 to read "9 and 10" respectively.

I am also directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate requests a committee of conference on said bill to consist of four members from each house to consider the differences of the two houses on the amend-

ments to the bill, and that the President of the Senate has appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Hurburgh, Dunlap, Landee and Gibson.

Action taken May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned committee of conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses relative to the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 501, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State Educational Institutions herein named," beg leave to report that we recommend as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives, respectively, that the Senate concur in the amendments numbered one and three to said bill adopted by the House of Representatives, and that the following be substituted for Amendment No. 2:

"Amend by striking out in section one, in line five, the figures "\$83,426.75" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$155,926.75."

Dated this 29th day of May, 1909.

I. M. LISH,
JOHN DAILEY,
F. W. BURTON,
Committee on behalf of the Senate.
CHARLES LEDERER,
OLIVER SOLLITT,
W. A. KANNALLY,
Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

Adopted May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Chipperfield in the Chair, Mr. Shurtleff moved that all Senate Bills, except appropriation bills, the deep waterway bill and all bills in conference, be ordered to lie upon the table.

The motion prevailed,

And it was so ordered.

Mr. Church offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:
HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 65.

Resolved, That the members and chairman of committees are hereby relieved from any liability for any statute issued to such member or committee, and that they may be allowed to retain said statutes.

Unanimous consent being granted for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the resolution was adopted.

At the hour of 11:59 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shurtleff moved that the House do now adjourn until Monday, May 31, 1909, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m.

And the motion prevailed.

MONDAY, MAY 31, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of Saturday, May 29, was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Shanahan, the further reading of the same was postponed, And the motion prevailed.

At the hour of 10:20 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, June 1, 1909.

TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was being read, when, on motion of Mr. Hope, the further reading of the same was postponed.

At the hour of 10:10 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Hope moved that this House do now adjourn until Thursday, June 3, 1909.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 3, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Honorable C. E. Bolin.

The Journal of Tuesday, June 1 was read and approved.

At the hour of 10:20 o'clock, a. m., Mr. Chipperfield moved that this House do now take a recess until 5:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 5:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Mr. Shanahan moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 498 was ordered to lie upon the table,

And the motion prevailed.

And the vote by which Senate Bill No. 498 was tabled, was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

And the Senate Bill No. 498, a bill for "An Act to tax gifts, legacies, inheritances, transfers, appointments and interests in certain cases and to provide for the collection of the same, and repealing certain Acts therein named."

Having heretofore been read at large a third time, was again taken up,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 116; nays, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hilton,	Maclean,	Scott,
Adkins,	Daley,	Holaday,	McCollum,	Shanahan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Erickson,	Hull,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Finley,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Black,	Flagg,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Brady,	Fiannigen,	Keck,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Browne,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Chipperfield,	Grace,	Lewis,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Robinson,	Wright,
Clark,	Hagan,	Link,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Crawford,				

Yeas—116

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Donahue,

Groves, J.

Nays—2

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of their amendments to Senate Bill No. 62, a bill for “An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars used by any person, receiver, or corporation operating a line of railroad situated wholly or in part within the State.

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 in the House by striking out of lines 6 and 7, in section 1 of the printed bill the words “suitable water closets;” also by inserting after the word “cupolas” in line 7 the words “and with.”

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 in House by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 4 as follows:

Sec. 4. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to the use of caboose cars in yard and in transfer service, nor to the use of caboose cars now owned by any railroad or railway company operating in this State; and it is further provided that in case of unusual and unforeseen demands of traffic, caboose cars not of standard construction may be used temporarily, provided that the railway company or companies, desiring to use the same, shall apply to and obtain an order of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission granting the privilege to temporarily use the same.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 in House by adding to the title thereof the words “And providing a penalty in the event of failure.”

Passed the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the following preamble and joint resolution, to-wit:.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 31.

WHEREAS, This General Assembly has adopted House Joint Resolution No. 10, and under the authority thereof a commission has been appointed with power to purchase new desks and chairs for the House and Senate, said commission is proceeding with its duties, and it is expected that such new furniture will in due time be installed in the Hall of the House and the Senate Chamber, of a character suited thereto, and

WHEREAS, It has been the practice of the officials in charge of the two chambers to remove the furniture thereof from time to time to permit their use by the public for various purposes, and

WHEREAS, The moving about of such furniture will be greatly injurious to it and should not be further permitted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein. That the Secretary of State be requested not to permit the removal of the furniture from the Senate Chamber and the Hall of the House.

Concurred in by the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 128, a bill for "An Act making appropriation for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois."

Which amendment is as follows:

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 8, 9, 10 and 11.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 126, and,

On that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 122.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Curran,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Scott,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Shanahan,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shephard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	McMackin,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Hruby,	McNichols,	Sollitt,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Hull,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Black,	Espy,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Blair,	Fahy,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Stevenson,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Ireland,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Brady,	Finley,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kannally,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Keck,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Browne,	Forst,	Kerrick,	Parker,	Werdell,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Pervier,	White,
Bush,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lane,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lantz,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lawrence,	Rigney,	Wilson, R. E.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Lederer,	Riley,	Wright,
Church,	Grace,	Lewis,	Robinson,	Zinger,
Clark,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Link,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,				Yeas—126

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 128.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate asks for a second conference committee to consider the differences between the two houses in regard to the amendments to Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act," said committee to consist of five members from each house, and to report to the two houses by 9:00 o'clock this P. M.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President of the Senate has appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Curtis, Schmitt, Potter, Ball and Hearn.

Action taken June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Smejkal moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for a new conference committee on House amendments to Senate Bill No. 465.

And the motion prevailed.

Thereupon, the Speaker appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Smejkal, Chipfield, Shanahan, Browne and Riley.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Shanahan submitted the following Conference Report on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 115, and moved the adoption of the committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 115 in the Senate, "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois," would respectfully submit the following amendments in lieu of said amendments to House Bill No. 115, and ask their adoption:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 5, section 1, the words and figures "\$500,000 per annum" and insert the words and figures "\$525,000."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 9, the words and figures "\$5,000" and insert the words and figures "\$2,000."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 10, the words and figures "\$50,000" and insert the words and figures "\$25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 15, the words and figures "\$5,000" and insert the words and figures "\$2,500."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 18 and 19, the words and figures "eighty-two thousand five hundred" and insert the words and figures "eighty thousand (\$80,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 22 and 23, the words and figures "\$2,500" and insert the words and figures "\$5,000."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 28 and 29, the words and figures "\$27,500" and insert the words and figures "\$25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend printed bill by inserting after line 35 the following: "For equipment and maintenance of chemical laboratory ten thousand (10,000) dollars per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend printed bill in section 2, line 3 and 4, by striking out the words and figures "\$6,000" and insert the words and figures "\$3,000."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 2, lines 6 and 7 the words and figures "\$58,000" and insert the words and figures "\$50,000."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

In section 2 of the printed bill, strike out line eight (8).
All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. F. HURBURGH,
H. M. DUNLAP,
F. A. LANDEE,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,
ALBERT GLADE,
OLIVER SOLLITT,
MARTIN J. DILLON,

Committee on behalf of the House.

And the question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?" a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:
Yeas, 126.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Crawford,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hilton,	McLaughlin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	DeWolf,	Holaday,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F.W.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hope,	Montelius,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hruby,	Morris,	Stearns,
Beck,	Erby,	Hull,	Murphy, Wm.	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murray,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Naylor,	Tippit,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Troyer,
Elair,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Welborn,
Bolin,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Werdell,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Wheelan,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	White,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Wilson, F. J.
Browne,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Burns,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wright,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Richter,	Zinger,
Carter,	Glade,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Riley,	Mr. Speaker.
Chiperfield,	Grace,	Link,	Scanlan,	Yeas—126
Church,	Griffin,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	
Clark,	Groves, J.	Macleane,	Scott,	
Cliffe,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Shanahan,	

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Shanahan submitted the following Conference Report on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 136, and moved the adoption of the committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 136, a bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois, and to provide for the extension of the agricultural experiment station, and to make appropriations therefor," beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively.

Strike out in section 1, the words and figures "\$58,500" and insert the words and figures "\$50,000."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out in section 4 the words and figures "\$50,000" and insert the words and figures "\$60,000."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Strike out in section 7, the words and figures "\$7,500" and insert the words and figures "\$8,000."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend original bill by adding an additional section to be known as section 8 to read as follows:

Section 8. That it shall be the duty of the College of Agriculture through its department of household science, to make such investigations and give such instructions and demonstrations as are calculated to advance the art of practical housekeeping in the State with special reference to supplying practical instruction to those desiring to take special courses in the science relating to and in the art of practical housekeeping, and that to carry out the provisions of this Act there be, and hereby is, appropriated two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) per annum, for the years 1909 and 1910.

Amend the original bill by renumbering sections eight and nine to read nine and ten respectively.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. F. HURBURGH,

H. M. DUNLAP,

F. A. LANDEE,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

ALBERT GLADE,

OLIVER SOLLITT,

M. J. DILLON,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

And the question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?" a call of the roll was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 127.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Schumacher,
Abrahams,	Crawford,	Groves, W. M.	McCollum,	Scott,
Adkins,	Curran,	Hagan,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Allison,	Daley,	Hamilton,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shepard, H. A.
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hollenbeck,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hope,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beck,	Erby,	Hruby,	Morris,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Huston,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Behrens,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Black,	Etherton,	Ireland,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Blair,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Briscoe,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Browne,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	White,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wright,
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Chipperfield,	Griffin,	Liggett,	Riley,	Zipf,
Church,		Link,	Scanlan.	Mr. Speaker.
Clark,				Yeas—127

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Shanahan submitted the following Conference Report on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 723, and moved the adoption of the committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 723, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named," beg leave to report that we recommend the following as to the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively:

Amend amendment No. 1, by striking out "\$981,815" and insert in lieu thereof "\$1,135,815.00."

We recommend that the House concur with the Senate in amendments Nos. 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 19, 21, 22, 24, 26, 27, 31, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 54, 55, 57, 58 and 59.

We recommend that the Senate recede from amendments Nos. 16, 28, 30, 32, 33, 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 56, 60, 61 and 62.

Amend the printed bill by inserting after line 20, "railroad switch \$10,000."

Amend amendment No. 5, by striking out "\$113,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$123,000."

Amend amendment No. 6, by striking out "\$30,000" and "\$60,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$40,000" and "\$80,000."

Amend amendment No. 9, by striking out the figures "\$15,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$20,000."

Amend amendment No. 12, by striking out "\$157,000" and insert "\$182,000."

Amend by striking out amendment No. 17, and insert in lieu thereof "new building complete \$50,000."

Amend amendment No. 18, by striking out "\$54,500" and insert in lieu thereof "\$119,500."

Amend amendment No. 20, by striking out line 54.

Amend amendment No. 23, by striking out "two electric elevators" and insert in lieu thereof "fire protection and water supply."

Amend amendment No. 25, by striking out the figures "\$102,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$104,000."

Amend amendment No. 29, by striking out "\$116,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$126,000."

Amend amendment No. 34 by striking out the figures "\$63,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$62,500."

Amend amendment No. 49, by striking out the figures "\$3,500" and insert in lieu thereof "\$6,000."

Amend amendment No. 53, by striking out the figures "\$13,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$18,000."

Amend amendment No. 63, by striking out "\$59,100" and insert in lieu thereof "\$94,100."

All of which is respectfully submitted,

C. F. HURBURGH,

R. J. BARR,

C. S. HEARN,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

ROBERT E. WILSON,

LOUIS ZINGER,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

And the question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?" a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 119.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shephard, H. A.
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Hubby,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erby,	Huston,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beckmeyer,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Behrens,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Black,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Finley,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Brownback,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Browne,	Forst,	Kleeman,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	White,
Burns,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Riley,	Zinger,
Church,	Griffin,	Link,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Groves, J.	Maclean,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Crawford,	Hagan,	McCollum,	Scott,	Yeas—119

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Browne moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 280 failed to pass on May 29.

And the motion prevailed.

And the vote by which Senate Bill No. 280 failed to pass was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

And Senate Bill No. 280, a bill for "An Act to regulate the public service of stallions in Illinois."

Was again taken up,

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 111; nays, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Huston,	Montelius,	Shephard, H. A.
Bardill,	Espy,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Fahy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Jewell,	Naylor,	Sollitt,
Black,	Finley,	Kannally,	Nelson,	Stearns,
Brady,	Flagg,	Keck,	O'Brien,	Stevenson,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	O'Neil,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Toole,	Troyer,
Browne,	Foster,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Kowalski,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lane,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lantz,	Price,	White,
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Richardson,	Wilson, F. J.
Carter,	Glade,	Lederer,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Lewis,	Rigney,	Wilson, H. W.
Church,	Grace,	Liggett,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Cliffe,	Griffin,	Link,	Robinson,	Wright,
Crawford,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hamilton,	McConnell,	Schumacher,	Mr. Speaker,
Daley,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Yeas—111
Dillon,				

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Bolin, Groves, J. Staymates,

Nays—3

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

At the hour of 6:30 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 8:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 8:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

The Speaker in the Chair.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am instructed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 115 in Senate, "An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois," would respectfully submit the following amendments, in lieu of said amendments to House Bill No. 115, and ask their adoption.

Amend the printed bill by striking out in line 5, section 1, the words and figures "\$500,000 per annum" and insert the words and figures "\$525,000."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 9, the words and figures "five thousand (\$5,000)" and insert the words and figures "two thousand (\$2,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 10, the words and figures "fifty thousand (\$50,000)" and insert the words and figures "twenty-five thousand (\$25,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, line 15, the words and figures "five thousand (\$5,000)" and insert the words and figures "two thousand five hundred (\$2,500)."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 18 and 19, the words and figures "eighty-two thousand five hundred" and insert the words and figures "eighty thousand (\$80,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 22 and 23, the words and figures "two thousand five hundred (\$2,500)" and insert the words and figures "five thousand (\$5,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 1, lines 28 and 29, the words and figures "twenty-seven thousand five hundred (\$27,500)" and insert the words and figures "twenty-five thousand (\$25,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Amend printed bill by inserting after line 35 the following: "For equipment and maintenance of chemical laboratory ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars per annum."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Amend printed bill in section 2, lines 3 and 4, by striking out the words and figures "six thousand (\$6,000)" and insert the words and figures "three thousand (\$3,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Amend printed bill by striking out in section 2, lines 6 and 7 the words and figures "fifty-eight thousand (\$58,000)" and insert the words and figures "fifty thousand (\$50,000)."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

In section 2 of the printed bill, strike out line eight (8).
All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. F. HURBURGH,

H. M. DUNLAP,

F. A. LANDEE,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

OLIVER SOLLITT,

ALBERT GLADE,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

Adopted June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned, Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 136, a bill for "An Act to extend the equipment and increase the instruction in the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois and to provide for the extension of the agricultural experiment station, and to make appropriations therefor, beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and House of Representatives respectively:

Strike out in section 1 the words and figures "fifty-eight thousand five hundred (\$58,500)" and insert the words and figures "fifty thousand (\$50,000)."

Strike out in section 4 the words and figures "fifty thousand (\$50,000)" and insert the words and figures "sixty thousand (\$60,000)."

Strike out in section 7 the words and figures "seven thousand five hundred (\$7,500)" and insert the words and figures "eight thousand (\$8,000)."

Amend original bill by adding an additional section to be known as section 8 to read as follows:

Section 8. That it shall be the duty of the College of Agriculture through its department of household science, to make such investigation and give such instructions and demonstrations as are calculated to advance the art of practical housekeeping in the State with special reference to supplying practical instruction to those desiring to take special courses in the sciences relating to and in the art of practical housekeeping, and that to carry out the provisions of this Act there be, and hereby is, appropriated two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars per annum for the years 1909 and 1910.

Amend the original bill by renumbering sections eight and nine to read nine and ten respectively.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. F. HURBURGH,

H. M. DUNLAP,

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Committee on behalf of the Senate.

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A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

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We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 723, a bill for "An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named," beg leave to report that we recommend the following as to the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively:

Amend amendment No. 1, by striking out \$981,815 and insert in lieu thereof \$1,135,815.00.

We recommend that the House concur with the Senate in amendments Nos. 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 19, 21, 22, 24, 26, 27, 31, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 54, 55, 57, 58 and 59.

We recommend that the Senate recede from amendments Nos. 16, 28, 30, 32, 33, 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 56, 60, 61 and 62.

Amend the printed bill by inserting after line 20 "railroad switch \$10,000."

Amend amendment No. 5 by striking out \$113,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$123,000."

Amend amendment No. 6 by striking out "\$30,000" and "\$60,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$40,000" and "\$80,000."

Amend amendment No. 9 by striking out the figures "\$15,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$20,000."

Amend amendment No. 12, by striking out "\$157,000" and insert "\$182,000."

Amend by striking out amendment No. 17 and insert in lieu thereof "new building completé \$50,000."

Amend amendment No. 18 by striking out "\$54,500" and insert in lieu thereof "\$119,500."

Amend amendment No. 20 by striking out line 54.

Amend amendment No. 23, by striking out "two electric elevators" and insert in lieu thereof "fire protection and water supply."

Amend amendment No. 25, by striking out the figures "\$102,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$104,000."

Amend amendment No. 29, by striking out "\$116,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$126,000."

Amend amendment No. 34 by striking out the figures "\$63,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$62,500."

Amend amendment No. 49, by striking out the figures "\$3,500" and insert in lieu thereof "\$6,000."

Amend amendment No. 53 by striking out the figures "\$13,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$18,000."

Amend amendment No. 63, by striking out "\$59,100" and insert in lieu thereof "\$94,100."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. F. HURBURGH,

R. J. BARR,

C. S. HEARN,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

ROBERT E. WILSON,

LOUIS ZINGER,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Flannigen, from the Committee on Elections, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly:

Your Committee on Elections to which was referred the election contests of James A. Watson, contestant v. William E. Finley, in the 48th district, James T. Callahan, contestant v. Michael S. Link, in the 47th district and Charles A. E. Martin, contestant v. Louis Zinger in the 30th district, hereby respectfully report that the committee met on March 30, 1909, for the purpose of taking up such contests.

It was on that day decided by the committee to refer each of the above contests to a sub-committee of five for consideration, and the chairman of the elections committee appointed as such sub-committee, Messrs. Lederer, Scanlan, Cliffe, Browne and Poulton.

The said sub-committee after giving due notice to all of the parties interested in said contests proceeded to hear arguments of the attorneys representing the contestant and contestee in each case above cited, upon the notice, petition and affidavits filed in each of the above cases; all of said parties to such contests being present by counsel or in their own proper person; and upon full consideration of each of the above contests the sub-committee did, on April 28, 1909, submit to the full committee the report of its findings of each of the contests named above, as follows:

Your committee appointed by the general election Committee to consider the contests above named, respectfully reports that in each of the above cases a motion to dismiss the contest was made by the contestee, and that in each of the above cases the same question of law was involved and which, in the opinion of your sub-committee, is decisive of all of said contests. It appears in each of said contests that the contestant has filed his notice of contest against only one member of the House of Representatives of the district of which said contestant was a member, although each of said Senatorial districts has three members in the House of Representatives of the 46th General Assembly elected at the same general election in which the contestee in each of the above cases was certified to have been elected. The contestant in each of the above cases has omitted to make parties to said notice or petition of contest any of the other candidates who were elected to the House of Representatives in the 46th General Assembly at said general election, and still each of the contestants in the above cases claims the right to have unseated the contestee in said respective cases on said notice and petition and the proof to be adduced thereunder.

In our opinion, all of the Representatives elected from each of the respective districts from which the above contests arose should have been made parties to the notice of contest. The mere allegation in the notices of contest filed in these cases that the contestant received more votes than the contestee, would not, in our opinion, prove that the contestee was not entitled to a seat as a member of the House of Representatives, for although it might be true, that the contestant received more votes than the

contestee, yet the contestee may have received more votes than one of the other two members elected from that Senatorial district to the House of Representatives and would, therefore, nevertheless have been duly elected at said general election as a member of the House of Representatives from that district. On the other hand, it would be impossible, under the notice or petition of contest filed in these cases, to investigate the vote of the other two members of the House of Representatives elected from each of the said Senatorial districts, inasmuch as they are not made parties to said notice or petition of contest. In short then, these notices or petitions of contest amount only to a request to allow the contestants to go on a fishing expedition in order to investigate and assure themselves that they got more votes than the contestee, without affirmatively showing anywhere in said notice or petition of contest that even if they did receive more votes than the contestee they would, therefore, be able to unseat the contestee under such showing. In this state of the pleadings it is clearly unjustifiable to allow an opening of the ballots.

While this one question, in the opinion of your sub-committee, is decisive of the contests before them, yet in justice to the contestants it desires to report that it has investigated the notices or petitions of contest from all the points of view presented by the arguments of contestants, and that there are many other objections to said notices or petitions of contest which do not even present a prima facie case for contest, and would therefore result in a report in conformity with the report submitted by the sub-committee.

Any further investigation of the subject could not change the state of the written pleadings in these cases and it is, therefore, absolutely clear that the General Assembly should not place the parties to enormous expense and make uncertain the expressed wish of the people upon pleadings which do not even upon their face show that any person elected to the General Assembly could be unseated even if everything alleged therein were proved, and your sub-committee, therefore, respectfully reports that each of the motions to dismiss the contest in each of the above cases be sustained and that said contests be dismissed.

[Signed] CHARLES LEDERER,
ADAM C. CLIFFE,
WILLIAM M. SCANLAN,
JOHN J. POULTON,
Members of the Committee.

Hon. Lee O'Neil Browne submitted the following minority report on the part of the sub-committee:

"As one of the members of this sub-committee, I find myself unable to agree with the other members of the committee on the general proposition upon which the majority report hinges and is based, namely, that a failure on the part of the contestant to make all the other members of the House in that particular district contestees, is fatal to the petition, or notice, and therefore fatal to the contest.

At first when that question was raised, and I had given it some consideration before it was raised,—in fact I think I may say that it was because of inquiries made by myself in the main committee that counsel in at least one of the contests began an investigation of that proposition,—I say that at first I was inclined to think that that was the controlling question, and that the failure to make the other parties contestees was fatal. Since that time I have given the matter a great deal of individual thought, trying to get "right" upon the proposition if I could, and I have also canvassed the matter with several legal gentlemen for whose opinion I have the highest regard; and I find myself in the condition of mind on that proposition where I am unwilling to subscribe to the report of the committee dismissing the contest upon that ground, and hold that the failure to make the other members from those particular districts contestees is fatal. It may be that that is fatal. It may be that that renders the contests invalid and fruitless. There is no law upon it, either in this State or in any other State

that I have been able to find or that has been called to my attention. Neither is there any precedent of any kind by which this committee can be guided or governed.

Along one line of thought or reasoning, I find myself coming to the conclusion that it is fatal. Again, it appears to me that the man that contests the election may select one, if he sees fit, and if it turns out, from an examination of the ballots that the contestant has more votes than that particular one, and it does not interfere with the other two who have not been made parties (the canvass of the ballots whether or not you want it so, necessarily involves a canvass as to all), that then he is entitled to be seated.

I cannot say at this time that I will be willing to dismiss these contests on that ground. I am not prepared to say that it is not fatal. I find myself rather inclined to the conclusion, however, that it is not. Feeling that way I would be reluctant to decide these contests upon that proposition.

Now, with regard to the first case that was considered by the committee, the case of *Watson v. Finley*, I find the petition so far as I can see, in that contest, or the notice, rather, as it is characterized in the statute—I find it to be sufficient, in my opinion, to cover the requirements of the statute. I believe it is sufficient unless the failure to make the other two parties, is fatal. As I say, I do not subscribe to that proposition. Otherwise it would seem to me that the notice presented by Mr. Watson is sufficient upon its face to present a *prima facie* case, and to entitle him to a further hearing. It seems that way to me. Feeling that way about it, so far as the minority report by myself is concerned, I should refuse to dismiss that contest. I base it solely upon the proposition that I stated.

In the next case considered by this committee, the contest of Mr. Callahan v. Mr. Michael Link, eliminating in this case the same question that I did at first, I find, as it seems to me, that while this notice or petition (whatever it may be called), has been inartificially drawn, as it seems to me, on some particulars, it seems to me that it does contain sufficient allegations to make out a *prima facie* case with one exception. There is an absolute and utter failure in the first paragraph of this petition, of this notice, to bring Mr. Callahan within the class of people specified in the statute who may bring contests.

Reading the language, "That I, the undersigned, James T. Callahan, being an elector and one of the regular nominees and having been regularly nominated and qualified, and my name," etc. Now, it does not state what Callahan is an elector of, whether of the 46th district or the 41st, or what county—anything. There is nothing there, rather, whereby, except by the most violent stretch of the imagination, that you can place Mr. Callahan in the class that is outlined and specified by the statute.

Were it not for that I should feel that the petition of Mr. Callahan was sufficient on its face to entitle him to a hearing further in this matter. I believe it is sufficient with that exception, eliminating the question in the first place as I have stated; but not having placed himself within that category, within the class specified by the statute, I should feel that this petition was insufficient. I agree with the members of the committee upon the dismissal of that contest but upon different grounds as I have stated.

Now, as to the contest of Martin against Zinger, I have read that petition over before leaving here and during the arguments of the case, with a great deal of care, for the purpose of endeavoring to reconcile myself, if I could, to the proposition that it was sufficient upon its face to make out a *prima facie* case. I did that in view of the earnest and certainly sincere representations of Senator Leeper that he was satisfied it was sufficient upon its face. I have tried to see it in that light if I could, but I cannot. It seems to me that that petition or notice is absolutely without meaning. It presents no *prima facie* case. There isn't anything on that page constituting a notice, that begins to state a *prima facie* case, or that does anything more than merely, with a little more verbiage, state that Martin has beaten Mr. Zinger, and I consider that far too general entirely upon which to base

a contest. There is no attempt at specifications of any kind, sort or description, and I agree with the other members of the committee in their judgment upon this contest but not upon the same grounds. In accordance with these views, as expressed in this minority report, it is my opinion that the contests of Callahan v. Link, and Martin v. Zinger, should be dismissed; and that the motion to dismiss the contest in the case of Watson v. Finley should be overruled and a further hearing had therein; and I accordingly make that finding herein."

LEE O'NEIL BROWNE,
Member of Committee.

Your committee would respectfully report that both of the above reports were duly considered by it and it was voted to lay the minority report upon the table and the majority report was adopted by the Election Committee.

Your committee would therefore respectfully recommend that the motions of the contestees in each of the three cases named, to dismiss the contests, be sustained and the contests be dismissed.

Your committee further reports that William E. Finley of the 48th district, Michael S. Link of the 47th district and Louis Zinger of the 30th district are duly elected members of the House of Representatives from said districts and that the said James A. Watson the contestant in the 48th district, James T. Callahan, the contestant in the 47th district, and Charles A. E. Martin, the contestant in the 30th district, were not elected as members of the House of Representatives in the 46th General Assembly from the districts named.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS,
BY JOHN L. FLANNIGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Welborn submitted the following as a substitute for the foregoing report, and moved its adoption:

To the Honorable, the Members of the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois:

We, the undersigned, being members of the Elections Committee of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, present to your honorable body, the following minority report, on the question of election contests of Watson v. Finley, Callahan v. Link and Martin v. Zinger, to-wit:

WHEREAS, After the appointment by the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the 46th General Assembly of the State of Illinois, of the Elections Committee of the said House of Representatives there was referred to said committee for consideration and report, three election contests, viz: Watson v. Finley, Callahan v. Link and Martin v. Zinger; and

WHEREAS, Thereafter, and after said Elections Committee as appointed as aforesaid, had met, organized and embarked on the transaction of business there was appointed, upon motion of one of the members of said Elections Committee by the chairman of said Elections Committee, a sub-committee of five members of said Elections Committee to consider, hear and report upon to said general Elections Committee, and whose duty it was to hear, consider and report upon, said three election contests so referred to said General Elections Committee as aforesaid, which said sub-committee so appointed as aforesaid consisted of Messrs. Lederer, as chairman, Cliffe, Browne, Scanlan and Poulton; and

WHEREAS, On the 28th day of April, A. D. 1909, said sub-committee having theretofore considered the papers and documents filed in each one of said contests and having theretofore heard arguments and discussions pro and con, in each one of said contests, by counsel upon both sides, upon motions to dismiss the contest filed in each one of the said contests, did, through and by the chairman of said sub-committee, Mr. Lederer, present a majority report, signed by Messrs. Lederer, Cliffe, Scanlan and Poulton, four of the members of the said sub-committee, recommending that each and every one of said three contests be dismissed; and

WHEREAS, On said 28th day of April, A. D. 1909, the fifth member of the said sub-committee, Lee O'Neil Browne, did then and there at said meeting of said Elections Committee present to said Elections Committee a minority report, signed by himself as a member of said sub-committee, which minority report is in the words and figures following to-wit:

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
 FORTY-SIXTH GENERAL } *House of Representatives.*
 ASSEMBLY. }

In the Matter of Election Contests—Sub-Committee to hear arguments.

Minority finding, by Hon. Lee O'Neil Browne, delivered orally Wednesday, April 21, 1909, at 3:00 o'clock P. M. at the meeting of the sub-committee, in the old Supreme Court chamber, Capitol, Springfield.

Rep. Browne.

As one of the members of this sub-committee, I find myself unable to agree with the other members of the committee on the general proposition upon which the majority report hinges and is based, namely, that a failure on the part of the contestant to make all the other members of the House in that particular district contestees, is fatal to the petition, or notice, and therefore fatal to the contest.

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LEE O'NEIL BROWNE,

Member of Committee.

AND WHEREAS, Said general Elections Committee at said meeting so held on the said 28th day of April, A. D. 1909. adopted and recommended to the House of Representatives for passage, the majority report of said sub-committee, and refused to adopt instead thereof, the said minority report of Mr. Browne, of said sub-committee;

Now, therefore, we, the undersigned, being members of said general Elections Committee, do hereby recommend to the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois in the 46th General Assembly, that said House do adopt as the report of the Elections Committee upon said three contests, the said minority report of said Browne of said sub-committee instead of the majority report of said sub-committee as reported into the House and further recommend that said minority report of said sub-committee be taken

and received and approved by your honorable body, and acted upon as the report of the Elections Committee in the matter of the disposition of said contests.

E. J. KING,
GEO. B. WELBORN,
HARRY W. WILSON,
J. R. ROBINSON,
J. H. DEWOLF,
W. J. MCGUIRE,
ROBERT E. WILSON,
LEE O'NEIL BROWNE,
JOHN GRIFFIN,
H. A. SHEPARD.

Mr. Flannigen moved that the substitute report lie upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the substitute report offered by Mr. Welborn was ordered to lie upon the table.

The question recurring on the adoption of the majority report offered by Mr. Flannigen, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the report was adopted.

Mr. Shanahan submitted the following Conference Report on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 724, and moved the adoption of the committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 724, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named," beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Strike out in section 1, line 5, the figures "2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "2,362,500."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out in section 1, line 7, the figures "210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Strike out in section 1, line 10, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Strike out in section 1, line 8, the figures "\$406,000" and, insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400,000."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Strike out in section 1, line 11, the figures "\$200,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$175,000."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Strike out in section 1, line 15, the figures "\$55,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$52,500."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Strike out in section 1, line 16, the figures "\$22,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Strike out in section 1, line 18, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$200,000."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Strike out in section 1, line 20, the figures "\$25,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$22,500."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Strike out in section 1, line 23, the figures "\$80,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$85,000."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Strike out in section 1, line 25, the figures "\$2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,362,500."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Strike out in section 2, line 3, the figures "\$2,536,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,507,500."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Strike out in section 2, line 7, the figures "\$210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Strike out in section 2, line 8, the figures "\$406,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400,000."

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Strike out in section 2, line 10, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 16.

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AMENDMENT No. 22.

Section 4. There is hereby appropriated to the board of administration for the purpose of defraying the ordinary expenses for the insane institution at Dunning, Illinois, when transferred to the State, the sum of \$150,000 payable quarterly in advance for the six months beginning January 1, 1911, and ending June 30, 1911, and the Auditor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant for the above mentioned sum, payable to said board.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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R. J. BAER,
C. S. HEARN,
Committee on behalf of the Senate.
DAVID E. SHANAHAN,
LOUIS ZINGER,
ROBERT E. WILSON,
Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

And the question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?" a call of the roll was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 119.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McConnell,	Shaw,
Abrahams,	DeWolf,	Hope,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Adkins,	Dillon,	Hruby,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McNichols,	Smejkal,
Alschuler,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Sollitt,
ApMadoc,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Staymates,
Bardill,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beck,	Fahy,	Jewell,	Murray,	Stevenson,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Kannally,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Finley,	Keck,	Nelson,	Tippitt,
Black,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Blair,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Brady,	Forst,	Kleeman,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Browne,	Foster,	Kowalski,	Perkins,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Fulton,	Lane,	Pervier,	White,
Burns,	Galligan,	Lantz,	Poulton,	Wilson, F. J.
Bush,	Geshkewich,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Gillespie,	Lederer,	Richardson,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Glade,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, R. E.
Cermak,	Gorman,	Liggett,	Riley,	Wright,
Chiperfield,	Griffin,	Link,	Schanlan,	Zinger,
Clark,	Hagan,	Lyon,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Maclean,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.
Crawford,	Hilton,	McCollum,	Shanahan,	Yeas—119

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, the following Senate Joint Resolution:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 33.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein: That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State at the next election of members of the General Assembly, a proposition to amend the Constitution of this State, to-wit:

Resolved, That section eight (8) of article ten (10) of the Constitution of this State be amended to read as follows:

In each county there shall be elected the following county officers, at the general election to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in No-

vember, A. D. 1882: A county judge, county clerk, sheriff and treasurer, and at the election to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1884, a coroner and clerk of the circuit court (who may be ex officio recorder of deeds, except in counties having 60,000 and more inhabitants, in which counties a recorder of deeds shall be elected at the general election in 1884). Each of said officers shall enter upon the duties of his office, respectively, on the first Monday of December after his election, and they shall hold their respective offices for the term of four years, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Mr. Lantz moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing resolution, and,

On that motion a division of the House was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 107; nays, 18.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Joint Resolution No. 33.

Mr. Tippitt moved to suspend the rules for the purpose of making a motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 159 had failed to pass, and,

On this question a division of the House was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 79; nays, 34.

The motion prevailed and the rules were thereupon suspended for that purpose.

Whereupon, Mr. Shaw moved to suspend the rules for the purpose of reconsidering the vote by which Senate Bill No. 159 had failed to pass, and,

On that motion a division of the House was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 79; nays, 33.

The motion prevailed and the rules were thereupon suspended for that purpose.

Mr. Tippit moved to suspend the rules for the purpose of making a motion to take Senate Bill No. 159 from the table, and,

On that motion a division of the House was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 79; nays, 34.

The motion prevailed and the rules were suspended for that purpose.

Whereupon, Mr. Tippit moved that Senate Bill No. 159 be taken from the table and placed in the order of Senate Bills on third reading, And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Shaw thereupon moved to suspend the rules for the purpose of reconsidering the vote by which Senate Bill No. 159 had failed to pass, and,

On that motion a division of the House was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 79; nays, 33.

The motion prevailed and the rules were suspended for that purpose.

Whereupon, Mr. Shaw moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 159 had on May 29th failed to pass.

The motion prevailed and the vote by which Senate Bill No. 159 had failed to pass was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

And Senate Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to provide for the sale of the Kaskaskia Commons, upon the Island of Kaskaskia, in the county of Randolph, and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale, and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof."

Was again taken up, and the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas, 79; nays, 37.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Daley,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Dudgeon,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Rardill,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Nelson,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Jewell,	O'Brien,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	O'Neil,	Stevenson,
Black,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	O'Toole,	Terrill,
Bolin,	Flannigen,	Kirkpatrick,	Parker,	Tippit,
Briscoe,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	Perkins,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Galligan,	Lane,	Poulton,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gillespie,	Lawrence,	Price,	Wheelan,
Burns,	Grace,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Groves, J.	Lyon,	Riley,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Wright,
Carter,	Hamilton,	McCollum,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Chiperfield,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shanahan,	Yeas—79

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Foster,	Lederer,	Pervier,
Allison,	DeWolf,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Scott,
Alschuler,	Dillon,	Glade,	Link,	Shepherd, H. A.
Beckemeyer,	Donahue,	Gorman,	McNichols,	White,
Blair,	Erby,	Griffin,	Morris,	Wilson, R. E.
Browne,	Fahy,	Hilton,	Murphy, Wm.	Nays—37
Cermak,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murray,	
Clark,	Forst,	Kowalski,	Naylor,	

This bill having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed:

Ordered that the title be as aforesaid and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Tippit moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 159 had passed.

Whereupon, Mr. Lantz moved to lay that motion upon the table.

And the question being on the motion to table, it was decided in the affirmative.

And the motion to reconsider was ordered to lie upon the table.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following Conference Committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 730, a bill for an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly," beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively:

We recommend that the House concur with the Senate in amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 24, 25, 27, 29, 30, 31 and 32.

We recommend that the Senate recede from amendments Nos. 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, and 18.

Amend amendment No. 13, by striking out 2,500 and inserting in lieu thereof \$1,500.

Amend amendment No. 23, by striking out the figures "\$10,800.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,200.00."

Amend amendment No. 28 by striking out and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Fifty-fifth: To the State factory inspector for rent and light, \$2,000 per annum; for chief clerk, \$1,200 per annum; for two female investigators, \$1,000 each, \$2,000 per annum; for two issuing clerks, \$900 each, \$1,800 per annum; for two stenographers, \$1,000 each, \$2,000 per annum; (to act as clerks when necessary). For traveling expenses for inspector and deputy inspectors, \$10,000 per annum; for telephone, telephoning, telegraphing, express charges, postage, printing and office supplies the sum of \$5,000 per annum.

Amend the printed bill by adding after the word "annum" in line 381 the following: "For salaries of the president and secretary of the Fish Commissioners and other authorized officers the sum of \$4,000 per annum."

Amend amendment No. 33 so it shall read as follows:

Add to line 469 the following: "For erecting a pavilion the sum of \$3,000;" amend the printed bill by striking out in line 480 the figures \$1,200 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,500;" amend the printed bill by striking out in line 282 the figures \$1,200 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,500;" amend the printed bill by striking out in line 307 the figures "\$1,200" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,500;" amend the printed bill by striking out the figures "\$2,400" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "3,000," in line 307.

Amend the printed bill by adding after the words "per annum" at the end of line 115 the words "one additional assistant warrant clerk \$1,500 per annum."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Oswood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to adopt the report of the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 724, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named," which report is as follows:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 724, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named," beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively.

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

Strike out in section 1, line 5, the figures "\$2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "2,362,000."

AMENDMENT NO. 2.

Strike out in section 1, line 7, the figures "210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Strike out in section 1, line 10, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Strike out in section 1, line 8, the figures "\$406,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400,000."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Strike out in section 1, line 11, the figures "\$200,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$175,000."

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Strike out in section 1, line 23, the figures "\$80,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$85,000."

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Strike out in section 1, line 25, the figures "\$2,536,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,362,000."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Strike out in section 2, line 3, the figures "\$2,536,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,507,500."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Strike out in section 2, line 7, the figures "\$210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Strike out in section 2, line 8, the figures "\$406,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400,000."

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Section 4. There is hereby appropriated to the board of administration for the purpose of defraying the ordinary expenses for the insane institution at Dunning, Illinois, when transferred to the State, the sum of \$150,000 payable quarterly in advance for the six months beginning January 1, 1911, and ending June 30, 1911, and the Auditor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant for the above mentioned sum payable to said board.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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Committee on behalf of the Senate.

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LOUIS ZINGER,

ROBERT E. WILSON,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

I am further directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate requests the appointment of a second Conference Committee to consider the differences of the two houses in regard to the Senate amendments to the bill, to consist of three members from each house. I am further directed to inform the House that the President has appointed such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Hurburgh, Barr and Hearn.

Action taken June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for a new conference committee on House amendments to Senate Bill No. 724,

And the motion prevailed.

Thereupon, the Speaker appointed as such committee on the part of the House: Messrs. Shanahan, Zinger and Wilson, R. E.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 45.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, That it is the sense of this General Assembly that the State of Illinois should take over the institution known as Dunning, being the almshouse of Cook county in the State of Illinois, in accordance with the terms and provisions of "An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane," approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, when the provisions of such act have been complied with, with reference to the taking over and

care of the pauper insane of the various counties of the State, having a population of less than 150,000, it being the belief that this General Assembly of the State of Illinois should act in absolute good faith in that behalf in accordance with the terms and provisions of the act aforesaid.

Adopted by the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 45,

And the motion was unanimously adopted.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Joint Resolution No. 45.

Mr. Shanahan submitted the following Conference Report on Senate amendments to House Bill No. 730, and moved the adoption of the committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 730.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly;" beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively:

We recommend that the House concur with the Senate in amendments No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 24, 25, 27, 29, 30, 31 and 32.

We recommend that the Senate recede from amendments No. 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26 and 18.

Amend amendment No. 13, by striking out 2500 and inserting in lieu thereof \$1500.

Amend amendment No. 23 by striking out the figures "\$10,800.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,200."

Amend amendment No. 28 by striking out and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Fifty-fifth: To the State Factory Inspector for rent and light \$2,000 per annum; for chief clerk \$1,200 per annum; for two female investigators \$1,000 each, \$2,000 per annum; for two issuing clerks \$900 each, \$1,800 per annum; for two stenographers \$1,000 each, \$2,000 per annum; (to act as clerks when necessary.) For traveling expenses for inspector and deputy inspectors \$10,000 per annum; for telephone, telephoning, telegraphing, express charges, postage, printing and office supplies the sum of \$5,000 per annum.

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Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,
EDWARD J. SMEJKAL,
ALBERT GLADE,
J. H. DEWOLF,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

And the question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?" a call of the roll was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 105.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Dillon,	Hull,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Huston,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
ApMadoc,	Erby,	Ireland,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Bardill,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Morris,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Espy,	Kannally,	Murphy, Wm.	Stearns,
Beckemeyer,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Flagg,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Tippit,
Black,	Foster,	Kirkpatrick.	O'Brien,	Troyer,
Blair,	Fulton,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Welborn,
Brady,	Galligan,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	Werdell,
Brownback,	Gillespie,	Lane,	Parker,	Wheelan,
Burgett,	Glade,	Lantz,	Perkins,	White,
Burns,	Gorman,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wilson, G. H.
Bush,	Grace,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, H. W.
Campbell,	Griffin,	Lewis,	Price,	Wilson, R. E.
Carter,	Hagan,	Liggett,	Richter,	Wright,
Cliffe,	Hamilton,	Link,	Rigney,	Zinger,
Crawford,	Holaday,	Maclean,	Scanlan,	Zipf,
Curran,	Hollenbeck,	McCollum,	Schumacher.	Mr. Speaker,
Daley,	Hope,	McConnell,	Shanahan.	
DeWolf,				

Yeas—105

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Shanahan submitted the following Conference Report to Senate amendments to House Bill No. 724, and moved the adoption of the committee report:

To the Honorable the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 724, a bill for "An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named;" beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively:

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Strike out in section 1, line 5 the figures "\$2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the word and figures "\$2,362,500."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

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AMENDMENT No. 3

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All of which is respectfully submitted.

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C. S. HEARN,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

LOUIS ZINGER,

ROBERT E. WILSON,

Committee on behalf of the House.

And the question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?" a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 88; nays, 11.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Dillon,	Hull,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Adkins,	Donahue,	Huston,	McLaughlin,	Shephard, H. A.
Allison,	Dudgeon,	Hutzler,	Montelius,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	Erickson,	Jewell,	Murphy, Wm.	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Finley,	Kannally,	Murray,	Stearns,
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Beckemeyer,	Flannigen,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Terrill,
Behrens,	Fulton,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Tippit,
Bolin,	Gillespie,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Troyer,
Brownback,	Glade,	Lane,	O'Toole,	Welborn,
Burgett,	Gorman,	Lantz,	Perkins,	Werdell,
Burns,	Grace,	Lawrence,	Pervier,	Wheelan,
Bush,	Groves, J.	Lederer,	Price,	Wilson, G. H.
Campbell,	Hagan,	Lewis,	Richter,	Wilson, H. W.
Carter,	Hamilton,	Liggett,	Scanlan,	Wilson, R. E.
Chipperfield,	Holaday,	Link,	Schumacher,	Zinger,
Cliffe,	Hollenbeck,	Macleam,	Scott,	Zipf,
Crawford,	Hope,	McCollum,		

Yeas—88

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Abrahams,	Erby,	Forst,	Hilton,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Fieldstack,	Geshkewich,	McNichols,	Staymates,
Clark,				Nays—11

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker laid before the House, Senate amendments to House Bill No. 740, a bill for "An Act to provide for the necessary revenue for State purposes."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 740, by striking out in line 6 the word "six" and inserting the word "five" and by striking out the figures "6,100,000" and inserting the figures "5,100,000."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Amend line 7 by striking out the word "six" and inserting the word "five."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Amend line 8 by striking out "6,100,000" and inserting "5,100,000."

Mr. Shanahan moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to House Bill No. 740, and,

On that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows: Yeas, 112.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Clark,	Grace,	Lyons,	Scanlan,
Abrahams,	Cliffe,	Hagan,	Maclean,	Schumacher.
Adkins,	Crawford,	Hamilton,	McCoilum,	Scott.
Allison,	Curran,	Holaday,	McConnell,	Shanahan,
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hollenbeck,	McLaughlin,	Shaw,
ApMadoc,	Donahue,	Hope,	McMackin,	Shepherd, H. A.
Bardill,	Dudgeon,	Hull,	McNichols,	Shepherd, F. W.
Beck,	Erby,	Huston,	Montelius,	Smejkal,
Beckemeyer,	Erickson,	Hutzler,	Morris,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Espy,	Ireland,	Murphy, Wm.	Terrill,
Black,	Fahy,	Jewel,	Murray,	Tippit,
Blair,	Fieldstack,	Keck,	Naylor,	Troyer,
Bolin,	Finley,	Kerrick,	Nelson,	Welborn,
Brady,	Flagg,	Kirkpatrick,	O'Brien,	Werdell,
Briscoe,	Flannigen,	Kleeman,	O'Neil,	Wheelan,
Brownback,	Forst,	Kowalski,	O'Toole,	White.
Burgett,	Foster,	Lane,	Perkins,	Wilson, G. H.
Burns,	Fulton,	Lantz,	Pervier,	Wilson, H. W.
Bush,	Galligan,	Lederer,	Poulton,	Wilson, R. E.
Campbell,	Geshkewich,	Lewis,	Price,	Zinger,
Carter,	Gillespie,	Liggett,	Richter,	Zipf,
Cermak,	Glade,	Link,	Rigney,	Mr. Speaker.
Chiperfield,	Gorman,			Yeas—117

And the House concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to House Bill No. 740.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Naylor moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Joint Resolution No. 43 was adopted on May 27th.

And the motion prevailed.

And the vote by which Senate Joint Resolution No. 43 was adopted, was thereupon deemed reconsidered.

And the question then being, "Shall the resolution be adopted?" it was decided in the negative.

And the House refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of said resolution.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Kerrick called up Senate Joint Resolution No. 42, heretofore reported to the House on May 27th, and moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of said resolution.

Pending consideration, Mr. Chiperfield moved that Senate Joint Resolution No. 42 lie upon the table.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. McNichols offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 66.

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Houston, Journal Clerk of the House, has been in attendance upon the session of the House of Representatives since January

6th, 1909, and has most efficiently performed the duties of his office from that date but has only received payment for his services since March 6, 1909; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said Thomas J. Houston, Journal Clerk of the House, be, and he is hereby allowed his per diem pay from January 6th, 1909, to March 7th, 1909.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Bush offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 67.

Resolved, That the clerk of the House, B. H. McCann and his assistant clerk, J. H. Hill, be and they are hereby allowed ten days' pay at the per diem allowed by law for the purpose of closing up the work of the session and turning over to the Secretary of State the journals, books, papers and records in the Clerk's office.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following Conference Committee report:

Adopted May 29, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to House amendments to Senate Bill No. 448, "A bill for 'An Act to revise the laws relating to charities,'" beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and House of Representatives respectively: Strike out the House amendment and insert in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for an Act to revise the laws relating to charities and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois represented in the General Assembly:*

SECTION 1. PREAMBLE—[PURPOSE OF THE ACT.]. That the purpose of this Act is to provide humane and scientific treatment and care and the highest attainable degree of individual development for the dependent wards of the State;

To provide for delinquents such wise conditions of modern education and training as will restore the largest possible portion of them to useful citizenship;

To promote the study of the causes of dependency and delinquency, and mental, moral and physical defects, with a view to cure and ultimate prevention;

To secure the highest attainable degree of economy in the business administration of the State institutions consistent with the objects above enumerated, and this Act, which shall be known as the code of charities of the State of Illinois, shall be liberally construed to these ends.

Sec. 2. STATE CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.] The following are the State charitable institutions:

The Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin;
The Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, at Kankakee;
The Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane, at Jacksonville.
The Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane, at Anna;
The Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, at Watertown;
The Illinois General Hospital for the Insane, at South Bartonville;
The Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, at Chester;
The Illinois School for the Deaf, at Jacksonville;

The Illinois School for the Blind, at Jacksonville;
 The Illinois Industrial Home for the Blind, at Chicago;
 The Illinois Asylum for Feeble Minded Children, at Lincoln;
 The Illinois State Colony for Epileptics;
 The Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, at Quincy;
 The Soldiers' Widows' Home of Illinois, at Wilmington;
 The Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, at Normal;
 The Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Chicago;
 The State Training School for Girls, at Geneva;
 The St. Charles School for Boys, at St. Charles;

Sec. 3. INSTITUTION TITLES.] The State institutions, named in this section, shall be known and designated hereafter by their respective titles as expressed in this section, namely:

The Illinois Northern Hospital for the Insane, at Elgin, shall be known and designated as the Elgin State Hospital.

The Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane, at Kankakee, shall be known and designated as the Kankakee State Hospital.

The Illinois Central Hospital for the Insane, at Jacksonville, shall be known and designated as the Jacksonville State Hospital.

The Illinois Southern Hospital for the Insane, at Anna, shall be known and designated as the Anna State Hospital.

The Illinois Western Hospital for the Insane, at Watertown, shall be known and designated as the Watertown State Hospital.

The Illinois General Hospital for the Insane, at South Bartonville, shall be known and designated as the Peoria State Hospital.

The Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, at Chester, shall be known and designated as the Chester State Hospital.

The Illinois Asylum for Feeble Minded Children, at Lincoln, shall be known and designated as the Lincoln State School and Colony.

The Illinois State Colony for Epileptics shall be known and designated as the Illinois State Colony for Improvable Epileptics.

Sec. 4. (A) BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION—APPOINTMENT—TERM OF OFFICE—CLASSES OF MEMBERS—QUALIFICATION—OATH.] The Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint, within thirty days after July 1, A. D. 1909, five persons, no more than three of said persons shall belong to or be affiliated with the same political party, to be called and known as the Board of Administration, referred to and designated hereafter in this Act as the "board." One person appointed on the board shall be qualified by experience to advise the board regarding the care and treatment of the insane, feeble-minded and epileptic. One person appointed on the board shall be, and shall be designated in the appointment as the president, who shall be the executive officer of the board. From time to time the Governor shall designate the member of the board who shall be its president. The remaining three members of the board shall be reputable citizens. Members of the board, so appointed, shall hold office, one for two years, two for four years and two for six years, and until their successors are appointed and qualified, and after the terms prescribed in the foregoing shall have expired, the successors of the members appointed for said terms shall, when appointed, hold office for six years, and until their successors are appointed and qualified. Each member, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution of this State for State officers. Said oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State. No member shall qualify or enter upon the duties of his office, or remain therein while he is a trustee, manager, commissioner, director of or in any manner officially related to an institution subject to the administration, visitation and inspection of the board.

(B) REMOVAL OF MEMBERS—VACANCY.] The Governor shall have the power to remove any member of the Board of Administration, for incompetency, neglect of duty, or malfeasance in office. In case of a vacancy in the board, the said vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in

session, the Governor may make appointments to fill vacancies, but all appointments made when the Senate is not in session shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate at its next session before becoming permanent: *Provided*, that in case of a vacancy in the board caused by the death, resignation or removal of the member appointed because of his qualifications to advise the board regarding the care and treatment of the insane, feeble-minded and epileptic, the appointment of the successor of such member shall be made as prescribed for the original appointment in section 4 (A) of this Act. The failure on the part of any member of the board to attend three consecutive meetings of the board, unless excused by a formal vote of the board, may be treated by the Governor as a resignation by such non-attending member, and the Governor may appoint his successor.

(C) ORGANIZATION—FISCAL SUPERVISOR, SECRETARY AND OTHER OFFICERS AND EMPLOYES.] Within a reasonable time after appointment the members of the board shall complete their organization by electing one member of the board to be the fiscal supervisor, whose duties are hereinafter prescribed, and by electing one member to be the secretary, whose duties shall be prescribed in rules adopted by the board. The board shall have the power to employ such other officers, agents and employes as it may deem necessary for the efficient conduct of its business.

(D) SALARY—EXPENSES.] Each member of said board shall receive an annual compensation of six thousand dollars, and shall be allowed his actual traveling expenses incurred in official business. Each member shall devote his entire time to the duties of his position and shall hold no other lucrative office, nor follow any other gainful profession, occupation or employment.

(E) OFFICE—SEAL.] The Secretary of State shall provide said board with suitably furnished offices in the capitol building at Springfield; and shall provide said board with the necessary blank books, blanks, stationery and printed matter. The board shall have an official seal. Every process, order or other paper issued or executed by the board may be attested, by direction of the board, under its seal, by its secretary or by any member of the board, and when so attested, shall be deemed to be duly executed by the board.

(F) GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES.] The board provided for herein shall:

1. Be a body corporate under and by the name of "The Board of Administration," and, in addition to the powers expressly conferred, shall have all such authority as may be necessary to the full and complete performance thereof.

2. Exercise executive and administrative supervision over all State charitable institutions, now existing or hereafter acquired or created.

3. Succeed to all property rights of the boards of trustees, managers, or commissioners of the State charitable institutions. All the rights, title and interest of the boards of trustees, managers or commissioners of the State charitable institutions in and to land, money, or other property, real and personal, held for the benefit of their respective institutions, or for other public use, are hereby divested and are, without further process of law, vested in the Board of Administration, created by this Act, but in trust and for the use and by the authority of the State of Illinois. Any and all unexpended appropriations heretofore made by the Forty-sixth General Assembly, or that may hereafter be made by said General Assembly, to any of the State charitable institutions named in this Act shall be payable to the Board of Administration when this Act goes into full force and effect, as provided in section 36 of this Act, to be used by it for the purposes for which the same were appropriated. All unexpended appropriations made to the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities shall be payable, when this Act goes into full force and effect, to the Charities Commission created in this Act, except that unexpended appropriations for the Department of the Visitation of Children shall be payable to the Board of Administration. The unexpended appropriations heretofore or hereafter made by the Forty-sixth General Assembly

to the several State charitable institutions mentioned in this Act for ordinary, or maintenance expenses, and received by the Board of Administration, as hereinbefore provided in this section, shall be consolidated and may be used by the said Board of Administration for the several institutions according to the needs of such institutions respectively. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the Board of Administration and to the Charities Commission, respectively, the moneys heretofore or hereafter appropriated by the Forty-sixth General Assembly to the several State charitable institutions named in this Act, and the moneys heretofore or hereafter appropriated by the said General Assembly to the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities, which remain unexpended on January 1, 1910, are herein transferred to the Board of Administration and to the Charities Commission, respectively, by drawing his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the moneys herein transferred to said Board of Administration, on the order of said Board, attested by its Secretary, with the seal of said Board attached, and approved by the Governor, and by drawing his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the moneys transferred herein to the Charities Commission, upon the order of said Commission, attested by its executive secretary, with the seal of said commission attached, and approved by the Governor.

4. Accept and hold in behalf of the State, if for the public interest, a grant, gift, devise or bequest of money or property to the State of Illinois, to the Board of Administration, or to any State hospital, or the trustees thereof, heretofore or hereafter made in trust for the maintenance or support of an insane person or persons in a State hospital or hospitals, or for any other legitimate purpose connected with any such hospital or hospitals. The board shall cause each said gift, grant, devise or bequest to be kept as a distinct fund, and shall invest the same in the manner provided by the laws of this State as the same now exist, or shall hereafter be enacted, relating to securities in which the deposit in savings banks may be invested. But the board may, in its discretion, deposit in a proper trust company or savings bank, during the continuance of the trust, any fund so left in trust for the life of a single person, and shall adopt rules and regulations governing the deposit, transfer or withdrawal of such fund. The board shall, on the expiration of any trust as provided in any instrument creating the same, dispose of the fund thereby created in the manner provided in such instrument. The board shall include in its annual report a statement showing what funds are so held by it and the condition thereof: *Provided*, that moneys deposited with managing officers by relatives, conservators or friends of inmates, for the special comfort and pleasure of such inmates, shall remain in the hands of the said managing officers for disbursement to or for the benefit of such inmates; but each managing officer shall keep in a book an itemized account of all receipts and expenditures of funds described in this proviso, which book shall be open at all times to the inspection of any member of the Board of Administration or of the Charities Commission, created in this Act.

5. Be charged with the duties of inspection and investigation of outdoor poor relief, almshouses, children's homefinding societies, orphanages and lying-in hospitals.

6. Be charged with the duties of investigating, inspecting and licensing all institutions, houses or places, in which any person is or may be detained for care or treatment for mental or nervous diseases, as hereinafter provided.

7. Have the power of appointment and removal of the superintendents or managing officers of the State charitable institutions; and, subject to the State Civil Service law, the appointment and removal of all other employes of the said institutions of the State Psychopathic Institute provided for herein, and of the Board of Administration.

8. On complaint in writing of at least two reputable citizens, may visit and inspect any charitable society, institution or association which appeals to the public for aid, or is supported by trust funds; and shall report to the Governor upon its efficiency, economy and usefulness.

9. Inspect and investigate county jails, city prisons, houses of correction, workhouses, and all places in which persons convicted or suspected of crime are confined, to collect important statistics concerning the inmates; to ascertain the sanitary condition of such institutions and to ascertain how the insane are treated.

10. Regulate the admission of patients and inmates into State hospitals and the Lincoln State school and colony as provided herein.

11. Be charged with the visitation of children placed in family homes and the certification of home-finding associations and orphanages and with the duty of examining into the merits and fitness of all associations which purpose caring for dependent, neglected or delinquent children and which seek incorporation and of reporting its findings and recommendations relative to incorporation to the Secretary of State.

12. Succeed to the powers and duties given by law to the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities in relation to the Illinois State Colony for Improvable Epileptics.

(G) RULES.] The board shall make all rules necessary for the execution of its powers. The managing officer of each State institution, embraced in this Act, shall make such special rules as may be needful, subject to the approval of the board.

(H) ANNUAL REPORT.] The board shall, on or before the fifteenth of October of each year, report to the Governor its acts, proceedings and conclusions for the preceding fiscal year, which report shall contain a complete financial statement of the various State institutions under its jurisdiction, and shall state whether the moneys appropriated for their aid are or have been economically and judiciously expended, whether the objects of the several institutions are accomplished, whether the laws in relation to them are fully complied with, and whether all parts of the State are equally benefited by said institutions, together with such other information and recommendations as it may deem proper. The board shall make such other reports as the Governor may require.

(I) OFFICIAL VISITS.] Each State institution shall be visited at least once a quarter by a member of the board. Such visits shall be made on such days and at such hours of the day or night, and for such length of time, as the visiting member may choose. But each member may make such other visits as he, or the board, may deem necessary. Each visit shall include to the fullest extent deemed necessary, an inspection of every part of each institution and the out-houses, places, buildings and grounds belonging thereto or used in connection therewith. The board, from time to time, shall make an examination of all the records and methods of administration, the general and special dietary, the stores and methods of supply, and, as far as circumstances may permit, of every patient or inmate confined therein, especially those admitted since the last preceding visit, giving such as may require it opportunity to converse with the members of the board, apart from the officers and attendants. At the next regular or special meeting of the board, after any such visit, the visiting member shall report the result thereof, with such recommendations as he may deem necessary for the better management or improvement of any institution.

(J) The board, at least once each year, at a time to be appointed by the board, shall meet the superintendents and managing officers of each State institution, and members of the Charities Commission, hereinafter provided for, or as many of the number as practicable, in conference, and consider in detail all questions relating to the treatment and care of the insane, epileptics, the feeble-minded, delinquents and the poor, and other wards of the State and all questions of management and improvement of institutions caring for such wards.

Sec. 5. CHARITIES COMMISSION—APPOINTMENT—TERMS OF OFFICE—OATH.] The Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint, within thirty days after this Act shall take effect, five persons to be called and known as the Charities Commission. Not more than three persons so appointed shall belong to the same political party. The members

shall be appointed, one for one year, one for two years, one for three years, one for four years and one for five years, from the first day of March, 1909, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualify. And on the first day of March, 1910, and at the end of each year thereafter, the Governor shall, in like manner, appoint one person as the successor of the member whose term shall expire in that year, to serve as such member of the Charities Commission for five years, and until his successor is appointed and qualifies. Three members of this commission shall constitute a quorum. Each member of this commission, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution of this State for State officers. Said oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State. No member shall qualify or enter upon the duties of his office, or remain therein, while he is a trustee, manager, commissioner, director of or in any manner officially related to an institution subject to the visitation and inspection of this commission.

(B) VACANCY.] In case of a vacancy in the Charities Commission, the unexpired term shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in session the Governor may make appointments to fill vacancies, but all appointments made when the Senate is not in session shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate at its next session before becoming permanent. The failure on the part of any member of this commission to attend three consecutive meetings of the Charities Commission, unless excused by a formal vote of such commission, may be treated by the Governor as a resignation by such non-attending member, and the Governor may appoint his successor.

(C) OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES—PRESIDENT, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY AND OTHER EMPLOYEES.] The Charities Commission shall annually elect one of its members as president. The board shall employ an executive secretary at a salary of \$3,600 per annum, and such other officers, agents and employes as it may deem necessary.

(D) NO COMPENSATION—TRAVELING EXPENSES—OFFICE—STATIONERY.] The members of this commission shall serve without compensation for their time or services, but the actual traveling expenses of each one of them while engaged in the performance of the duties of his office, on being made out and certified as provided in this Act, shall be paid to him out of any moneys appropriated for that purpose. In like manner any employé of this commission, acting under the direction of this commission, shall be allowed his actual traveling expenses. The Secretary of State shall provide the Charities Commission with suitably furnished offices in the capitol at Springfield and with the necessary blank books, blanks, stationery and printed matter.

(E) DUTIES.] The Charities Commission shall investigate the whole system of public charitable institutions of the State, examine into the condition and management thereof, especially of State hospitals, jails and almshouses; and the officers in charge of all such institutions shall furnish to the Charities Commission, on its request, such information and statistics as it may require. The Charities Commission, when directed by the Governor, shall investigate as a whole commission, or by a committee thereof, into any or all phases of the equipment, management or policy of any State charitable institution and report its findings and recommendations to the Governor. The Charities Commission may inquire, in its discretion, into the equipment, management and policies of all institutions and organizations coming under the supervision and inspection of the Board of Administration. The Charities Commission, annually, on the fifteenth of October, shall submit to the Governor a printed report of all its doings during the preceding fiscal year, stating in detail all expenses incurred, all officers and agents employed, and such suggestions and recommendations as this commission deems necessary and pertinent.

(F) MEETINGS—RULES.] Regular meetings of the Charities Commission shall be held quarterly, or oftener, if required. The said commission may make such rules for the conduct of its business as it may deem necessary.

Sec. 6. BOARDS OF TRUSTEES—COMMISSIONERS AND MANAGERS.] The boards of trustees, commissioners and managers of the State charitable institutions named in section 2, of this Act, shall have no further legal existence.

Sec. 7. (A) VISITORS—APPOINTMENT.] The Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint, within thirty days after this Act shall take effect, a board of three (3) visitors for each State charitable institution, under the management of the Board of Administration. The members of each Board of Visitors shall be appointed: one for two years, one for four years, and one for six years from the first day of March, 1909, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualify. And on the first day of March, 1911, and every two years thereafter, the Governor shall in like manner appoint one person as the successor of each member of each Board of Visitors whose term shall expire in that year, to serve as such member for six years and until his successor is appointed and qualifies. Two members of each Board of Visitors shall constitute a quorum. One member of each Board of Visitors shall be a woman. Each member of the Board of Visitors before entering upon the duties of his, or her, office, shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution of this State for State officers. The said oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

(B) VACANCY.] In case of a vacancy in any Board of Visitors, provided for herein, the unexpired term shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. When the Senate is not in session the Governor may make appointments to fill vacancies, but all appointments made when the Senate is not in session shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate at its next session before becoming permanent.

(C) DUTIES.] Each Board of Visitors provided for herein shall:

1. Maintain an effective inspection of its respective institution, for which purpose the visitors, or a majority thereof, shall visit and inspect the institution at least once each quarter in the cases of institutions having the whole State for a district and at least once each month in the cases of institutions whose districts are fractional parts of the State. For such purpose each visitor shall have free access at any time to the grounds, buildings and all books and papers of the institution. All persons connected with any such institution shall give such information and afford such facilities for any inspection, examination, or investigation as the visitor may require. It shall make a written report to the Charities Commission within ten days after such inspection, such report to be signed by each member making the inspection. Such report shall state in detail the condition of the institution, and of its inmates, and such other matters pertaining to the management and affairs thereof, as, in the opinion of the visitors, shall be brought to the attention of the Charities Commission and may contain recommendations as to needed improvement in the institution or its management.

2. Keep in a book, provided for that purpose, a fair and full record of its doings, which shall be open at all times to the inspection of the Governor, a committee of either house of the Legislature, the Charities Commission, or any person appointed by the Governor, or the said Charities Commission to examine the same.

3. Hold regular meetings at least once each quarter in the cases of institutions having the whole State for a district and at least once each month in the cases of institutions whose districts are fractional parts of the State; and cause to be typewritten, within ten days after each such meeting, the minutes and proceedings of such meeting, and cause a copy thereof to be sent forthwith to each visitor and to the Charities Commission.

4. Enter in a book, kept at the institution for that purpose, the date of every visit of each visitor.

5. Make to the Charities Commission, in July of each year, a detailed report of the result of its visits and inspections, with suitable suggestions.

and such other matters as may be required of it by the said Charities Commission for the year ending on the thirtieth day of June preceding the date of such report.

(D) NO COMPENSATION—EXPENSES.] The said visitors shall receive no compensation for their time or services, but the actual expenses of each one of them, while engaged in the duties of his office, and any actual outlay made by them for any actual aid and assistance required in examination and investigation, on being made out and verified as provided herein, shall be paid them by the Board of Administration out of moneys appropriated for the maintenance of the institutions.

Sec. 8. EXPENSES—HOW CERTIFIED.] Bills for traveling expenses of any member of the Board of Administration, the Charities Commission, or any visitor, superintendent, managing officer, or other officer or employé under either board or commission shall be itemized and made out on blanks, as follows:

Date.	TRANSPORTATION.		Fare.	Sleeping Car and Extra Fares.	Bus, Cab, Carriage and Car Fare.	Hotel and Meals.	INCIDENTALS.		Total.
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Such bills for traveling expenses shall be certified to by the person making the charge, as follows:

I certify that the above account is correct and just; that the detailed items charged within are taken and verified from a memorandum kept by me; that the amounts charged for subsistence were actually paid, and the expenses were occasioned by official business or unavoidable delays, requiring my stay at hotels for the time specified; that I performed the journey with all practicable dispatch, by the shortest route usually traveled, in the customary reasonable manner, and that I have not been furnished with transportation, or money in lieu thereof, for any part of the journey herein charged for.

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Sec. 9. OFFICERS NOT TO BE INTERESTED IN CONTRACTS—PENALTY.] No member of the Board of Administration or of the Charities Commission; and no officer, agent or employé of either board or commission, and no officer or manager or visitor of any State institution shall be directly or indirectly interested in any contract or other agreement for building, repairing, furnishing or supplying said institutions, or for disposing of the product, or products, of any said institution. Any violation of this section shall subject the offender, on conviction, to be punished by a fine of not more than double the amount of said contract or agreement, or by imprisonment in the penitentiary of the State of Illinois for a term of not less than one nor more than three years.

Sec. 10. PSYCHOPATHIC INSTITUTE.] The Board of Administration shall maintain the State Psychopathic Institute and shall appoint a director thereof and a psychologist, who shall perform their duties under the direction of the board. They shall receive annual salaries to be fixed by the board. All State institutions shall coöperate with the psychopathic institute in such manner as the board may from time to time direct. The board may employ such assistants as are necessary for the service of the State Psychopathic Institute.

Sec. 11. APPOINTMENTS—CIVIL SERVICE.] All employes of the Board of Administration, and all employes of the Charities Commission and of the State charitable institutions, and the director, psychologist and employes of the State Psychopathic Institute, shall be appointed under and subject to the provisions of "An Act to regulate the civil service of the State of Illinois," approved May 11, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended: *Provided*, that the managing officers of all State charitable institutions are hereby exempted from the operation of the civil service law.

Sec. 12. EMPLOYES OF INSTITUTIONS—SALARIES.] The Board of Administration, from time to time, with the approval in writing of the State Civil Service Commission, except as to the salaries of managing officers, shall determine the annual salaries of the officers and employes of the State institutions, which shall be uniform, as far as practicable, for like service.

Sec. 13. FISCAL SUPERVISOR—GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES.] Under the supervision and direction of the Board of Administration the fiscal Supervisor shall:

1. Examine into the condition of all buildings, grounds and other property connected with any State charitable institution, and into its methods of bookkeeping, storekeeping and all matters relating to its business and financial management.

2. Study and become familiar with the relative advantages and disadvantages of the said institutions as to location, freight rates, efficiency of farm and equipment, for the purpose of aiding in the determination of the local and general requirements both for maintenance and improvement.

3. In all instances of important transactions refer to the Board for counsel and approval.

4. Report regularly every quarter to the board and annually, as part of the board's report to the Governor, the acts and proceedings of his office.

5. Receive, examine and present with his written opinion to the board, every plan and specification for new construction or repair exceeding in estimated value one thousand dollars. He shall examine into every plan and specification of new construction or improvement, if such improvement exceeds two hundred dollars in cost: *Provided*, that all contracts for new construction, improvement or repair must be approved by the State Architect or his Consulting Engineer and by the board, if they exceed in value one thousand dollars, and by the Fiscal Supervisor, if they exceed in value two hundred dollars: *Provided, further*, that such approval is also required when such work is undertaken by the management of any institution without contract: *Provided, further*, that, in case of an emergency, such as the breaking down of equipment, so as to bring to a standstill any necessary part of the operative machinery of a State institution, whose administration is provided for in this Act, the Fiscal Supervisor, with the approval in writing of the board and of the Governor, may go into the open market and secure such repairs as are necessary to restore the institution to operative efficiency at the earliest possible time. A surety bond in such penal sum as determined by the fiscal supervisor shall be furnished by the contractors whenever the value of any work exceeds five hundred dollars.

6. Arrange for interchange of farm products and other products between and among the various institutions.

7. Enforce the provisions of this Act for the collection of money to reimburse the State for the cost of the maintenance of patients and inmates.

Sec. 14. APPROPRIATIONS.] Each managing officer of an institution, when required by the Fiscal Supervisor, shall present to said Fiscal Supervisor an itemized list of appropriations desired for maintenance and special, as he considers necessary for the period of time to be covered by such appropriations. The Fiscal Supervisor shall tabulate such statements and present them to the Board of Administration with his recommendations. It shall then become the duty of the board, with the approval of the Governor, to present the needs of the institutions to the Legislature. For this purpose an average per capita allowance for the insane and other dependents, defectives and delinquents shall be arrived at and a total allowance asked for on the

basis of actual population and estimated increase, this fund to be used as further provided in this Act. Every special need shall be itemized and the appropriation shall be asked for that specific purpose. It shall be the duty of the Fiscal Supervisor and of all other members of the board to present to the Governor and to the Legislature such information regarding appropriations asked for as may be required. It is the intent and meaning of this section that all appropriations for the State institutions shall be made to the Board of Administration and that the ordinary, or maintenance, appropriation shall be made to the board in a lump sum to be used for the several institutions according to their varying needs.

Sec. 15. BOARD OF JOINT ESTIMATE—PURCHASE OF SUPPLIES.] The Fiscal Supervisor shall call, at least annually, the managing officers of the various State institutions to a joint meeting with a committee appointed by the board, of which he shall be the head, for the purpose of classifying the supplies and estimating requirements of the various institutions, so as to provide for their most practical and economical purchase: *Provided*, that any managing officer may, at such meetings be represented by an officer of the institution, whom he appoints for that purpose. This joint board shall be known as the Board of Joint Estimate. It shall be its duty, under the direction of the board, to provide for the purchase of supplies in large quantities on contracts for periods not exceeding fifteen months from the date of the contract. To this end the Board of Joint Estimate shall annually elect from among its members two persons to serve, with the Fiscal Supervisor, as a standing purchasing committee to execute the purchases. The fiscal supervisor shall have full knowledge of all details of every business transaction of said committee. The purchase of all supplies shall be decided by competitive bidding, and competitive proposals shall be advertised for in one or more newspapers of general circulation, published in each one of the seven largest cities in the State, according to the last general census published by the United States. Such further advertisement shall be given as the Board of Administration may prescribe. Said proposals shall be opened in public on the day and hour and at the place specified in the advertisement. The purchasing committee shall have the power, however, to reject any or all bids, readvertise for competitive proposals, as hereinbefore provided: *Provided, however*, that the purchasing committee shall have the power to purchase supplies for emergencies. In such cases the said purchasing committee shall have certified in writing to the Board of Administration that an emergency exists, and said board shall have authorized the purchase.

It shall be the duty of the State Food Commissioner to coöperate with the purchasing committee, or managing officer, in making such tests as are necessary to determine the quality, strength or purity of food supplies.

Supplies and material produced in the State shall be preferred in the purchase, provided that such preference shall not be made at the expense of the State.

Sec. 16. MONTHLY ESTIMATES OF EXPENSES—CONTINGENT FUND.] For the purpose of proper regulation, recording and auditing of the various expenditures of the institutions, the managing officer of each institution shall prepare and present to the fiscal supervisor in triplicate, not less than fifteen days before the first day of the month referred to, and on forms furnished by the Board of Administration, a detailed monthly estimate of all needed supplies, materials, salaries and improvements. It shall be the duty of the fiscal supervisor to review and, for reasons given in writing, alter, if deemed by him necessary, such estimates, provided that the managing officer issuing the estimate shall have the right of appeal to the board, should he consider, in his best judgment, such alteration harmful to the best interests of the institution under his charge. Estimates for periods longer than one month may be made in the same manner by managing officers for staples designated by the Board of Joint Estimate or for other supplies. Each estimate may include a contingent fund of not to exceed 2 per cent of the total amount of the estimate for maintenance for the period of the estimate, for which con-

tingent fund no detailed account need be given in the estimate, but which can not be drawn upon except in due form specified by this Act, and by the rules of the board.

The fiscal supervisor shall return to the managing officer one copy of the monthly and other estimates with his approval or alteration in writing, one copy so approved or altered he shall present to the State Auditor, and one copy so approved or altered he shall file in his own office. It shall be the duty of the State Auditor to ascertain that the estimates so received do not exceed the respective appropriations. The State Auditor shall draw warrants on the State Treasurer monthly for the salary funds and contingent funds for each institution, and such funds shall be placed in the hands of the managing officer of each institution. Itemized vouchers for all funds, including pay rolls, shall be drawn in triplicate, one copy being held by the managing officer issuing such voucher, one copy presented to the fiscal supervisor and one copy to the State Auditor, who shall issue a warrant on the State Treasurer for each voucher. Each voucher shall contain a sworn affidavit of the managing officer, or some other bonded officer designated by the managing officer, certifying that the supplies and materials purchased or improvements and repairs made or special services rendered were fully satisfactory, or conforming to sample, as the case may be; that the approving officer was in no way financially interested in the purchase or work performed, and that he has full knowledge of the value of the purchase or work, such affidavit being made according to forms provided by the board: *Provided*, that pay rolls for temporary employes employed in case of emergency may be made at any time after the services are performed. All such pay rolls shall be sworn to by the managing officer the same as in cases of other vouchers, and the affidavit shall show that each and every person named in the pay roll actually rendered the services for the time and at the rate charged in the pay rolls.

Sec. 17. STATE TREASURER TO BE TREASURER—EXCEPTION.] It is the intent of this Act that the State Treasurer shall act as treasurer for all funds in the jurisdiction of the Board of Administration, and shall pay no moneys except in accordance with the provisions of this Act: *Provided*, that the moneys designated and approved of by the fiscal supervisor and the State Auditor as salary fund and contingent fund in the monthly estimate shall be placed, not later than on the first day of the month so provided for, in the hands of the managing officer of each institution, who shall act as treasurer for such funds. Institution moneys in the hands of the several institution treasurers, when this Act goes into effect, shall be transferred forthwith to the State Treasurer. Moneys collected from various sources by superintendents and in the hands of the superintendents or the institution treasurers when this Act goes into effect shall be transmitted forthwith by such superintendents or treasurers to the State Treasurer. Moneys collected from various sources, such as the sale of manufactured articles, of farm products and of all miscellaneous articles, shall be transmitted monthly to the State Treasurer and a detailed statement of such collections shall be made monthly to the Fiscal Supervisor by the managing officer of the institution.

Sec. 18. BONDED EMPLOYEES.] The Board of Administration shall prescribe and require surety bonds from the fiscal supervisor, and from each managing officer, steward, storekeeper or any other State officer or employé, under the jurisdiction of the Board of Administration, where deemed advisable, in such penal sums to be determined by the board. The cost of such bonds shall be paid by the State out of funds appropriated to the board. Whenever a vacancy occurs in any position held by any bonded officer or employé, there shall forthwith be made an inventory of stock, supplies and records under the charge of such officer or employé.

Sec. 19. ADMISSION OF PATIENTS AND INMATES.] The admission of patients and inmates to State hospitals for the insane and the Lincoln State School and Colony shall be under the control and direction of the Board of Administration. The board is authorized to divide the State into districts, for the purpose of regulating the admission of patients to hospitals for the insane.

The said board shall have power to change the boundaries of such districts, from time to time, as may be necessary or expedient. Whenever such division or regulation shall have been made, as aforesaid, the said board shall forthwith make and sign a report to that effect, designating the boundaries of and the counties included within each district and the number of patients apportioned to each hospital, and file the same with the Secretary of State, and send a copy thereof to the superintendent of each hospital, and to each county judge, and to the clerk of each county in the State, to be filed in his office, and thereafter the State shall be divided into such districts. Whenever any change in such classification or regulation shall be made thereafter, a like report shall be made and filed, and a copy thereof sent to the county judges and to the clerks of all counties affected by such change, as well as to the superintendents of the respective State hospitals. Each State hospital for the insane shall receive patients, whether in an acute or chronic condition of insanity, from the district in which the hospital is situated.

Sec. 20. REMOVAL OF INSANE AND FEEBLE MINDED FROM COUNTY ALMSHOUSES TO STATE INSTITUTIONS.] The Board of Administration is hereby required and empowered to cause the removal of insane persons from county almshouses to State hospitals for the insane and of feeble minded women and children from county almshouses to the Lincoln State School and Colony as rapidly as room is provided for such patients and inmates in such State institutions. As such room is provided, from time to time, the board shall forthwith direct the superintendents of county asylums or almshouses, to send such number of insane patients to State hospitals and such number of feeble minded women and children to the Lincoln State School and Colony as can be accommodated therein. All county authorities sending patients or inmates to any State hospital or the Lincoln State School and Colony shall comply with all directions prescribed by the Board of Administration.

After sufficient accommodations shall have been provided in State institutions for all the pauper and indigent insane of all the counties of the State, the cost of clothing and other incidental expenses of county insane patients in State hospitals shall not be a charge upon any county after the first of January next ensuing, but the cost of the same shall be paid out of the funds provided by the State for the support of the insane. It shall be the duty of the Board of Administration to determine whether the accommodations are sufficient within the purview of this section, and to hold a meeting for that purpose, and, if satisfied of the sufficiency of such accommodations, to make a certificate to that effect and file the same with the Secretary of State and send a copy thereof to the superintendents of each State hospital and county asylum, and to each county almshouse and to each county judge, and to the clerk of each county in the State, to be filed in his office. Until such certificate is made and filed, the said cost of clothing and other incidental expenses of county insane patients shall continue to be a charge upon the county as under existing laws.

The foregoing provisions of this section relating to the insane shall not apply to or include counties of more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants as determined by the then last preceding Federal census, until all the counties of this State having a population of less than 150,000 inhabitants shall have been provided for. Whenever the counties of over one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, or any one of them, desire to be included in the provisions of this section relating to the insane, such counties, or any one of them, may be included therein in the following manner: The county board of such county so desiring to be included therein shall pass a resolution and spread such resolution upon the records of such county board, making application to the Governor to transfer any or all of such buildings, land, appurtenances and equipment as are used by it as a county insane asylum to the State to be used for the same purpose. A certified copy of such resolution shall be sent to the Governor and the said resolution shall be considered the required application.

The Governor shall thereupon transmit said application to the Board of Administration, whereupon said board shall examine into the condition

of such buildings, land, appurtenances and equipment, with a view to ascertain whether such property is suitable for the purposes of a State hospital for the insane, and shall report its findings and conclusions to the Governor. Whereupon, if the board approves the transfer to the State, and if the Governor shall approve the same, said county insane asylum shall be converted into a State hospital for the insane, and its inmates shall become wards of the State.

Sec. 21. RETURN OR COMMITMENT TO COUNTY INSTITUTIONS FORBIDDEN—COUNTY CARE OF INSANE FORBIDDEN.] No insane person now, or hereafter, under the care of any State hospital in this State, shall be returned or committed to the care of any county insane asylum or almshouse, or to any county, town or city authorities; and the said county, town or city authorities are hereby forbidden to receive any such patient who may be returned or committed to them in violation of this section. After the State has assumed complete care of the public insane, no insane person shall be permitted to remain under county care, but all public insane shall be committed to State hospitals for the insane, or to private hospitals for the insane, as provided herein.

Sec. 22. TRANSFER OF INSANE PATIENTS.] The Board of Administration shall have the power to transfer, by its order, patients from one State hospital for the insane to another, when in its judgment such transfers are advisable.

Sec. 23. SUPPORT OF INMATES.] The Board of Administration shall secure from relatives or friends, who are liable or may be willing to assume the cost of support of inmates of State hospitals, reimbursement, in whole or in part, of the money expended for such support; said board may appoint agents, whose duty it shall be to secure from relatives and friends who are liable therefor, or who may be willing to assume the costs of the support of any such inmates, reimbursement, in whole or in part, of the money so expended. The compensation of each agent shall not exceed five dollars a day and the necessary traveling and other incidental expenses actually incurred by him.

The said board may fix a rate to be paid for the support of the inmates of State hospitals by the relatives liable for such support, or by those not liable for such support but willing to assume the costs thereof, but such rate shall be sufficient to cover the proper proportion of the cost of maintenance and necessary repairs and improvements.

Sec. 24. POSTAL RIGHTS.] Any insane patient in any State hospital shall be allowed to correspond, without restriction, with any member of the Board of Administration, of the Charities Commission and of the Board of Visitors of the State hospital where such insane patient is given treatment and care; and with the county judge and the State's attorney of the county from which such insane patient was committed.

Sec. 25. SALE OF UNCLAIMED PERSONAL PROPERTY OF DISCHARGED OR DECEASED PATIENTS.] All articles of personal property belonging to a discharged or deceased patient of a State hospital for the insane and in the custody of the superintendent or other proper officer of such hospital, may, if unclaimed by such discharged patient, or the legal representative of such deceased patient, for a period of six months after the discharge or decease of such patient, be sold at public auction in such manner and after such notice, or advertisement, as the Board of Administration shall prescribe, and the proceeds of such sale shall be paid into the amusement fund of such hospital. If any money deposited with a managing officer by relatives, conservators or friends of any inmate for the special comfort or pleasure of any such inmate remains unexpended after the discharge or death of such inmate, the said unexpended balance shall be paid into the amusement fund of the State institution which provided care and treatment for the said inmate: *Provided*, that the money is not claimed by a discharged inmate within six months after discharge, or by the legal representative of such deceased inmate within six months after the death of such inmate.

Sec. 26. BOARDING OUT INSANE PATIENTS.] Any insane patient in any State hospital for the insane may be placed at board in a suitable family

home by the board, if said board considers such course expedient. The cost to the State of the maintenance of any such boarded-out patient shall not exceed the average per capita cost of maintenance in the institution from which such patient is so boarded out. Bills for the support of a patient so boarded out shall be payable quarterly out of the proper maintenance funds and shall be audited as are other accounts of the board. The board shall cause all persons who are boarded out by it in family homes at public expense to be visited at least once each three months, and for this purpose the said board is authorized and empowered to appoint, subject to the provisions of the State civil service law, such visitors as are necessary. Upon the complaint of any boarded out patient or of any responsible citizen or member of the household where such patient is boarded out, the board immediately shall send a visitor to investigate, and, if needful, such patient shall be removed at once to a State hospital for the insane or to another boarding place. Where there is no complaint the board shall cause to be removed, as above, any patient who, upon visitation, is found to be abused, neglected or improperly cared for when boarded out in a family home. The board may permit any boarder temporarily to leave custody as an insane person in charge of his guardian, relatives, friends or by himself, for a period not exceeding one year, and may receive him again into such custody when returned by any such guardian, relative or friend or upon his own application, within such period, without any further order of commitment and may, during such temporary absence, assist in his maintenance to an amount not exceeding the rate paid for his board when boarded out in a family home by the board.

Sec. 27. AFTER CARE OF THE INSANE.] To secure for patients in State hospitals for the insane, the earliest possible discharge from such hospitals and a continuance of expert medical service after discharge, free of cost, each such hospital shall institute a plan for the after-care of paroled patients and of discharged convalescent patients as follows:

A staff physician, or some other suitable person, shall, when the superintendent deems necessary, visit the home of any paroled patient or any convalescent patient before discharge and advise with the family as to the care and occupation most favorable for the patient's continued improvement and return to health; and such visits shall be made from time to time to the patient after parole or discharge, as are considered advisable by the superintendent.

Sec. 28. INSTITUTIONS FOR MENTAL AND NERVOUS CASES—BOARD TO LICENSE—COMMITMENTS TO UNLICENSED INSTITUTES FORBIDDEN.] All institutions, other than State institutions, giving treatment and care to persons suffering from mental and nervous diseases, shall provide the Board of Administration with detailed information from time to time, regarding their physical equipment and medical and nursing service, and shall furnish the board a written certified statement every three months, giving the admissions, deaths and discharges during the previous three months. The board shall license such institutions as it deems, after careful inspection, to be suitably equipped and conducted for the treatment and care of persons suffering from mental or nervous diseases, and no person so suffering shall be committed to or received or kept against his, or her, will, contrary to law, in any such institution not having a valid license from the board. Any superintendent or responsible head of an institution receiving or keeping, contrary to his, or her, will, any person in any such institution, not licensed as aforesaid, shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 29. OCCUPATION FOR INMATES.] It shall be the duty of each managing officer to develop such occupations as shall serve the mental, moral and physical improvement or the happiness of the inmates, and it shall be the duty of the board so to coördinate these activities as will best serve an

educational, economical and efficient administration of all the institutions, but without prejudice to the primary needs of suitable education for the inmates.

Sec. 30. VISITATION OF CHILDREN—CERTIFICATION OF ASSOCIATIONS.] The Board of Administration shall possess and have all the powers and shall perform all the duties in regard to the visitation of children placed in family homes and the incorporation, supervision and certification of associations whose objects may embrace the care of dependent, neglected or delinquent children, which are now vested by law in the Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities; and the said Board of State Commissioners of Public Charities is hereby relieved from any duty heretofore imposed upon it by any law of this State in relation thereto, and the said Board of Administration is fully authorized and empowered from and after the date this Act goes into effect to perform the same.

Sec. 31. STATE CONFERENCES.] The Charities Commission, at such times and places as it deems advisable, may hold conferences of officers of State, county and municipal charitable institutions, officials responsible for the administration of public funds used for the relief or maintenance of the poor, and boards of institution visitors, and of county visitors, to consider in detail questions of management, the methods to be pursued and adopted to secure the economical and efficient conduct of such institutions, the most effective plans for granting public relief to the poor, and similar subjects. All officials duly invited to such conferences shall be entitled to actual necessary expenses, payable from any funds available for their respective boards and institutions, provided they procure a certificate from the executive secretary of the said Charities Commission that they were invited to and were in actual attendance at the sessions of the conference.

Sec. 32. PLANS FOR JAILS AND ALMSHOUSES SUBMITTED TO BOARD.] No county, city or village shall erect, add to or remodel a jail, almshouse, infirmary, prison, house of correction or workhouse without first submitting plans and specifications therefor to the Board of Administration for its criticism and suggestions for the improvement of same.

Sec. 33. INVESTIGATIONS.] The Board of Administration and the Charities Commission may make such investigations as may be necessary to the performance of their respective duties imposed by law. In the course of any such investigation each member of either board or commission shall have the power to administer oaths, and either board or commission shall have power to secure by its subpoena both the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers relevant to such investigation.

Sec. 34. COMPELLING TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES—PRODUCTION OF BOOKS AND PAPERS.] Any person who shall be served with a subpoena by the Board of Administration or the Charities Commission to appear and testify, or to produce books and papers, issued by either board or commission in the course of an investigation authorized by law, and who shall refuse or neglect to appear, or to testify, or to produce books and papers relevant to said investigation, as commanded in such subpoena, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, on conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court. The fees of witnesses for attendance and travel shall be the same as the fees of witnesses before the circuit courts of this State. Any circuit court of this State, or any judge thereof, either in term time or vacation, upon application of any member of either board or commission may, in his discretion, compel the attendance of witnesses, the production of books and papers, and giving of testimony before either board or commission, or before any member of either board or commission, by an attachment for contempt or otherwise, in the same manner as production of evidence may be compelled before said court. Every person who, having

taken an oath or made affirmation before a member of either board or commission, shall wilfully swear or affirm falsely, shall be guilty of perjury, and upon conviction shall be punished accordingly.

Sec. 35. EXPENSES BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION.] There is hereby appropriated to the Board of Administration for the two years ending June 30, 1911, the following amounts per annum, or so much thereof as may be necessary: For chief clerk, \$2,500 per annum; for statistician, \$2,100 per annum; for general bookkeeper, \$1,800 per annum; for salaries of bookkeepers, clerks, stenographers and all other necessary employes, \$10,000 per annum; for traveling, office and all other expenses of the board and its employes, \$14,000 per annum.

Sec. 36. TIME WHEN ACT GOES INTO FULL EFFECT.] To give the Board of Administration, provided for herein, adequate time to prepare the administrative details for its actual service, no part of this Act shall be in force and effect before the first day of January, 1910, except paragraphs A, B, C, D and E, of section 4. and section 35, which shall go into effect on July 1, 1909. This Act shall be in full force and effect in all of its particulars from and after the first day of January, 1910, when the Board of Administration shall assume all of its duties. The salaries of the members of the said Board of Administration shall be allowed them beginning with the date of their taking the oath prescribed in section 4 of this Act; and they, further, shall be allowed, from any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, such expenses as are incurred in preparation of the details of the service which becomes operative fully on the first day of January, 1910.

Sec. 37. The Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized to draw his warrant upon the State Treasurer for the moneys appropriated in this Act to the Board of Administration upon the order of said board and attested by the Secretary, with the seal of said board attached, and approved by the Governor.

Sec. 38. REPEAL.] The following Acts and parts of Acts are hereby repealed:

An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and defining their duties and powers," approved and in force April 9, 1869.

An Act entitled "An Act to promote the care and curative treatment of the insane," approved June 4, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.

H. T. IRELAND,
EDWARD HOPE,
W. M. GROVES,
W. T. ARMADOC,
C. E. BOLIN,

Committee on Behalf of the House.

LOGAN HAY,
J. C. MCKENZIE,
H. M. DUNLAP,
WALTER I. MANNY,
F. W. BURTON,

Committee on Behalf of the Senate.

Mr. Adkins offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 68.

Resolved, That Marshall Soutier, bill clerk, and Miss Inga Olsen, stenographer in the clerk's office, be and they are hereby allowed ten day's pay after the close of the session at the per diem fixed in the resolution providing for their appointment, for the purpose of assisting the Clerk of the House in closing up the business of the session.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Hope offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 69.

WHEREAS, It is necessary for the Clerk of the Enrolling and Engrossing Department to remain here several days in which to prepare the several bills and resolutions for the signatures of the officers of the General Assembly and the Governor and to return all bills, resolutions and books in his office to the Secretary of the State, taking his receipt for the same, therefore,

Be it Resolved, By the House of Representatives that the Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk and the first assistant be allowed ten days pay after the adjournment of the Legislature to complete his work, and that they be allowed the per diem fixed by the law for that time, and be it further,

Resolved, That the Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant for the amount; and that the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Sollit offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 70.

Resolved, That a committee of three members be appointed by the Speaker of the House to wait upon his Excellency, Charles S. Deneen, the Governor and inform him that the House is ready to receive from him any communications that he may desire to make before its final adjournment.

And the resolution was adopted.

The Speaker thereupon appointed as such committee Messrs. Sollitt, Gorman and McLaughlin.

Mr. Price offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 71.

Resolved, That the Postmaster of the House and Assistant Postmaster of the House, Mrs. Millie Jackson and Miss Mollie McCabe, be and they are hereby allowed ten days pay at the per diem allowed by law for the purpose of closing up the work of said office, and forwarding all mail to the addresses of the members and officers of the House.

And the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Chipfield offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 72.

Resolved, That Honorable Edward Hope is hereby assigned as Acting Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills of the House and Acting Chairman of the Joint Committee on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills of the House and Senate.

And the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Carter offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 73.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be instructed to notify the Senate that the House is ready to adjourn and inquire if the Senate has anything further to communicate to the House.

And the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Erickson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 74.

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the Speaker to approve the last day's journal after the adjournment of the House.

And the resolution was adopted.

The Speaker appointed as such committee, Messrs. Erickson, Klee-man, Bush, Clark and F. J. Wilson.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following Conference Committee report:

To the Honorable, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference, appointed to consider the differences between the two houses in relation to the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 724, a bill for an Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named; beg leave to report that we recommend the following as the action to be taken by the Senate and the House of Representatives respectively:

AMENDMENT No. 1.

Strike out in section 1, line 5, the figures "\$2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "2,362,500."

AMENDMENT No. 2.

Strike out in section 1, line 7, the figures "210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 3.

Strike out in section 1, line 10, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 4.

Strike out in section 1, line 8, the figures "\$406,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400,000."

AMENDMENT No. 5.

Strike out in section 1, line 11, the figures "\$200,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$175,000."

AMENDMENT No. 6.

Strike out in section 1, line 15, the figures "\$55,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$52,500."

AMENDMENT No. 7.

Strike out in section 1, line 16, the figures "\$22,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Strike out in section 1, line 18, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$200,000."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Strike out in section 1, line 20, the figures "\$25,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$22,500."

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Strike out in section 1, line 23, the figures "\$80,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$85,000."

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Strike out in section 1, line 25, the figures "\$2,386,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,362,000."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Strike out in section 2, line 3, the figures "\$2,536,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,507,500."

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Strike out in section 2, line 7, the figures "\$210,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$205,000."

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Strike out in section 2, line 8, the figures "\$406,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400,000."

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Strike out in section 2, line 10, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$220,000."

AMENDMENT No. 16.

Strike out in section 2, line 11, the figures "\$200,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$175,000."

AMENDMENT No. 17.

Strike out in section 2, line 15, the figures "\$55,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$52,500."

AMENDMENT No. 18.

Strike out in section 2, line 16, the figures "\$22,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000."

AMENDMENT No. 19.

Strike out in section 2, line 18, the figures "\$205,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$200,000."

AMENDMENT No. 20.

Strike out in section 2, line 20, the figures "\$25,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$22,500."

AMENDMENT No. 21.

Strike out in section 2, line 25, the figures "\$2,536,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,507,500."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. F. HURBURGH,

R. J. BARE,

C. S. HEARN,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

DAVID E. SHANAHAN,

LOUIS ZINGER,

ROBERT E. WILSON,

Committee on behalf of the House of Representatives.

Adopted by the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 56.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate is ready to adjourn and ask them if they have any further communications to make.

Adopted June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 159, a bill for "An Act to provide for the sale of the Kankaskia commons, upon the Island of Kaskaskia, in the county of Randolph, and to create a permanent school fund for the inhabitants of said island out of the proceeds of said sale, and to punish any person failing to comply with the provisions thereof."

Which amendments are as follows:

AMENDMENT No. 8.

Sec. 1. Strike out "a" in third line and substitute therefor the word "three" and add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in same line and the words "not more than two of whom shall be from the same political party." Also add letter "s" to commissioner in line 4. Strike out the words "he" and "his" in line 5 and substitute therefor the words "they" and "their."

AMENDMENT No. 9.

Sec. 2. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1.

AMENDMENT No. 10.

Sec. 3. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1. Strike out the words "he has" in line 2 and substitute the words "they have." Strike out the words "he deems" in line 18 and substitute the words "they deem." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 23.

AMENDMENT No. 11.

Sec. 4. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1. Strike out the word "he" in line 8 and substitute the word "they."

AMENDMENT No. 12.

Sec. 5. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out all of line two after the word "shall." All of lines 3, 4, 5 and all of line 6 to the word "fairly." Strike out all of line 6 after the word "Act" and all of line 7 before the word "and." Also strike out the words "who" and "with him" in line 7. Strike out the words "appraisers jointly with said" in line 14 and add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in same line. Also strike out the words "and filed with said commissioner" in line 15. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 17.

AMENDMENT No. 13.

Sec. 6. Add the letter "s" to the word "commissioner" in line 2, also in line 6, also in line 8, also in lines 14 and 15.

AMENDMENT No. 14.

Sec. 7. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1, also in line 11, also in lines 16 and 18. Strike out "he" in line 19 and substitute "they."

AMENDMENT No. 15.

Sec. 8. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "he" in lines 5 and 6 and substitute "they." Also strike out the word "he" in line 7 and substitute "they." Add letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 10.

AMENDMENT No. 16.

Sec. 9. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner and strike out "is" and substitute "are" in line 3. Strike out the word "him" in line 5, and substitute the word "them" and add letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 6. Strike out the word "him" in line 7 and substitute the word "them." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 9. Strike out the word "his" in line 10 and substitute the word "their." Strike out the word "him" in line 11 and substitute the word "them." Also the word "he" in line 11 and substitute the word "they," also the word "his" in line 11 and substitute the word "their." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 15. Strike out the word "his" in line 15 and substitute the word "their." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in lines 18, 21 and 27. And strike out "is" in line 18 and substitute "are" and strike out "has" in line 25, and substitute "have."

AMENDMENT No. 17.

Sec. 10. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in lines 2 and 6. Strike out the word "his" in line 6 and substitute the word "their." Strike out "he" in line 8 and substitute the word "they." Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner and strike out "is" and substitute "are" in line 11. Strike out the word "he" in line 13 and substitute the word "they." Strike out both words "he" in line 15 and substitute "they" in each place.

AMENDMENT No. 18.

Sec. 11. Strike out the word "he" in line 1 and substitute the word "they" and add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in same line. Strike out the words "his" and "him" in line 2 and substitute the words "their" and "them." Strike out "he" and "his" in line 4 and substitute "they" and "their." Strike out "him" in line 5 and substitute "them."

AMENDMENT No. 19.

Sec. 12. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "his" in line 2 and substitute "their." Strike out "him" in line 4 and

substitute "them." Strike out "his" in line 5 and substitute "their." Strike out "him" and "he" in line 8 and substitute "them" and "they." Strike out "his" in line 9 and substitute "their." Strike out "he has" in line 11 and substitute "they have." Strike out "him" in line 13 and substitute "them." Also "he" in same line and substitute "they."

AMENDMENT No. 20.

Sec. 13. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "his" in same line and substitute "their."

AMENDMENT No. 21.

Sec. 15. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 2. Strike out "he" and "his" in same line and substitute "they" and "their." Strike out "him" in line 5 and substitute "them." Strike out both words "him" in line 7 and substitute "them" in each instance. Strike out "he" in line 8 and substitute "they." Also insert after the word "also" in same line the word "each." Strike out the word "his" in line 10 and substitute the words "their respective." Strike out the figures "100,000.00" in line 11 and substitute "30,000.00" each. Strike out the word "he" in line 16 and substitute the word "they," also strike out "his" in same line and substitute "their." Also strike out "he" in line 18 and substitute "they." Strike out the word "his" in line 20 and substitute the word "their." After the word "expenses" in line 200 add the words "which commission shall be divided equally between them." Strike out "he is" in line 21 and substitute "they are." Strike out "his" and "he" in line 24 and substitute the words "their" and "they." Also strike out both words "his" in line 25 and substitute "their" in both places.

AMENDMENT No. 22.

Sec. 16. Add the letter "s" to the word commissioner in line 1. Strike out "him" in line 3 and substitute "them." Strike out "he" in line 4 and substitute "they."

Concurred in by the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has adopted the following preamble and joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 44.

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, June 3rd, 1909, they stand adjourned *sine die*.

Adopted June 3rd, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Shanahan moved to amend the foregoing Senate Joint Resolution No. 44 as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 44 by striking out the words and figures "Thursday, June 3rd" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Friday, June 4th."

And the amendment was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Smejkal submitted the following Conference Report to House amendments to Senate Bill No. 465, and moved the adoption of the committee report:

To the Honorable the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference appointed to consider the differences between the two houses relative to the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 465.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act," begs leave to report that we recommend that the amendments adopted by the House of Representatives be concurred in by the House and Senate.

Dated this June 3rd, 1909.

EDWARD J. SMEJKAL,
DAVID E. SHANAHAN,
THOS. H. RILEY,
LEE O'NEIL BROWNE,
B. M. CHIPERFIELD,

Committee on behalf of the House.

E. C. CURTIS,
C. S. HEARN,
W. O. POTTER,
LEWIS C. BALL,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

And the question being, "Shall the report of the Conference Committee be adopted?" a call of the roll was had, resulting as follows: Yeas, 105; nays, 9.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Messrs.

Abbey,	Crawford,	Hilton,	McMackin,	Shanahan,
Abrahams,	Curran,	Holaday,	McNichols,	Shepherd, H. A.
Allison,	Daley,	Hollenbeck,	Morris,	Shepherd, F. W.
Alschuler,	DeWolf,	Hope,	Murphy, E. J.	Smejkal,
ApMadoc,	Dillon,	Hutzler,	Murphy, Wm.,	Sollitt,
Beck,	Dudgeon,	Kannally,	Murray,	Staymates,
Beckemeyer,	Erby,	Keck,	Naylor,	Stearns,
Behrens,	Erickson,	Kleeman,	Nelson,	Sullivan,
Black,	Espy,	Kowalski,	O'Brien,	Terrill,
Brownback,	Fahy,	Lane,	O'Neil,	Tippit,
Browne,	Fieldstack,	Lantz,	O'Toole,	Ton,
Burgett,	Finley,	Lawrence,	Parker,	Troyer,
Burns,	Flags,	Lederer,	Perkins,	Welborn,
Bush,	Flannigen,	Lewis,	Pervier,	Werdell,
Campbell,	Forst,	Liggett,	Poulton,	Wheelan,
Carter,	Foster,	Link,	Price,	White,
Cermak,	Galligan,	Macleam,	Richter,	Wilson, F. J.
Chiperfield,	Geshkewich,	McCollum,	Riley,	Wilson, R. E.
Church,	Glade,	McConnell,	Scanlan,	Zinger,
Clark,	Gorman,	McGuire,	Schumacher,	Zipf,
Cliffe,	Hagan,	McLaughlin,	Scott,	Mr. Speaker.

Yeas—105

Those voting in the negative are: Messrs.

Adkins,	Grace,	Hull,	Kerrick,	Montelius,
Fulton,	Groves, J.,	Ireland,	Kirkpatrick,	Nays—9

And the report of the Conference Committee was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has refused to adopt the second Conference Committee's report on Senate Bill No. 465, a bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act."

Which report is as follows:

To the Honorable the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate:

We, the undersigned Committee of Conference appointed to consider the differences between the two houses relative to the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 465.

A bill for "An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, or canal, from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river, at or near Utica, and for the development and utilization of the water power that may be created from the water flowing through said waterway, and to create a commission to carry out the provisions of this Act," begs leave to report that we recommend that the amendments adopted by the House of Representatives be concurred in by the Senate.

Dated this June 3rd, 1909.

EDWARD J. SMEJKAL,
DAVID E. SHANAHAN,
THOS. H. RILEY,
LEE O'NEIL BROWNE,
B. M. CHIPERFIELD,

Committee on behalf of the House.

E. C. CURTIS,
C. S. HEARN,
LEWIS C. BALL,
W. O. POTTER,

Committee on behalf of the Senate.

Action taken June 3rd, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Osgood, Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with them in the adoption of their amendment to the following joint resolution.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 44.

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring herein, That when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, June 3rd, 1909, they stand adjourned *sine die*, which amendment is as follows:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 44 by striking out the words and figures "Thursday, June 3rd," and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Friday, June 4th."

Amendment concurred in by the Senate June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sollit, from the Committee to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, reported that the Governor had no further communication to make to this House,

And the report was accepted.

At the hour of 11:45 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed and the House stood adjourned.

FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1909, 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

The Journals of Saturday, May 29th and Monday, May 31st, were read and approved.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Paddock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the President has made the following appointments:

Committee on the part of the Senate, as provided for by House Joint Resolution No. 11, to make an investigation of the rights of the State of Illinois in lands lying along, in and upon Lake Michigan, etc., Senators Gardner, Potter, Ball and Burton.

Committee on the part of the Senate, as provided for by House Joint Resolution No. 20, to investigate the reliability, efficiency and necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois, etc., Senators McKenzie, Pemberton, Olson and Hearn.

Appointments made June 3, 1909.

J. H. PADDOCK,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker laid before the House, the appointment of the following named members on the part of the House to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 20, to investigate the subject of the tuberculin test:

Hon. Edward D. Shurtleff, of McHenry; Hon. Frank L. Shepherd, of Kane; Dr. Alexander Lane, of Cook; Hon. Guy L. Bush, of Du Page; Hon. Thomas Tippit, of Richland; Hon. J. W. Allison, of Kankakee.

The Speaker laid before the House, the appointment of the following House members to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 11, to investigate submerged lands:

Hon. B. M. Chipperfield, of Fulton; Hon. John L. Flannigen, of St. Clair; Hon. D. E. Shanahan, of Cook; Hon. F. E. Erickson, of Cook; Hon. Thomas Riley, of Will; Hon. R. E. Wilson, of Cook.

At the hour of 10:15 o'clock a. m., Mr. Shanahan moved that this House do now take a recess until 4:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 4:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

Mr. Shanahan, Speaker *pro tem*, in the Chair.

At the hour of 4:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Hope moved that this House do now take a recess until 9:00 o'clock, p. m.

And the motion prevailed.

The hour of 9:00 o'clock, p. m. having arrived, the House resumed its session.

Mr. Shanahan, Speaker *pro tem*, in the Chair.

Mr. Hope, from the Committee on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills, reported that all House Bills had been properly enrolled and laid before the Governor.

At the hour of 9:10 o'clock, p. m., Mr. Hope moved that this House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed,

And the House stood adjourned *sine die*.

The committee heretofore appointed by resolution to approve the Journal, hereby certifies that they have examined the record of the proceedings of the House of June 4, 1909, and find the same to be correct.

F. E. ERICKSON,
B. F. KLEEMAN,
GUY L. BUSH,
JOSEPH S. CLARK,
FRANK J. WILSON,

Approved:

B. H. McCANN,
Clerk of the House

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF ILLINOIS.

OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE.

I, James A. Rose, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the foregoing published Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, is a true and correct copy of the original of the said journal filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

In Witness Whereof, I hereto set my hand and affix the Great Seal of State, at the city of Springfield, this 1st day of October, A. D., 1909.

[SEAL.]

JAMES A. ROSE,
Secretary of State.

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75	An Act to amend section one of 'An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms,' approved and in force March 7, 1872.....	157	157	499	518	550	617	584, 1311	617	1301
76	An Act to amend section one of 'An Act in regard to the completion, improvement and management of public parks and boulevards, and to provide a more efficient remedy for the collection of delinquent assessments,' approved May 2, 1873.....	157	157	498	518	550	618	.....	584	618	1307
77	An Act to amend section one of 'An Act to enable park commissioners to maintain and govern parks and boulevards under their control,' approved June 17, 1885.....	157	157	498	519	549	619	.....	584	619	1307
78	An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to enable railroad companies to enter in to operative contracts and to borrow money,' approved February 12, 1855.....	165	165	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
79	An Act to provide for an increase in the number of judges of the circuit and superior courts of the county of Cook, and to designate the date of their election.....	165	165	515	571	852	.....	.....	1004	.....	.....
	An Act to make an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Ill.....	165	165	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	An Act to amend section 4 of 'An Act concerning local improvements' approved June 14, 1897.....	165	165	819	888	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
82	An Act to make an appropriation to construct and furnish a woman's building and gymnasium and to provide for needed repairs, equipment and furnishings at the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale, Ill.....	165	165	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
83	An Act to erect suitable monuments to mark the sites of the old Illinois forts, Chartress, Russell, and Clark, and to make an appropriation of \$10,000 therefor.....	166	166	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
84	An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of hotel-keepers.....	166	166	289	291

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85	An Act to amend section One (1) of "An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages," approved February 27, 1874, by the addition of a section to be known as section one (1) a.....	166	166	912				912			
86	An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody in the State of Illinois.....	166	259	305	320	424	590	424	480,546,1007	590	674
87	An Act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits.....	166									
88	An Act making an appropriation for the erection of a monument in memory of John McLain, first Representative in Congress from Illinois.....	166									
89	An Act in relation to injuries caused by wrongful act, neglect or default.....	166	259								
90	An Act to amend "An Act to revise the law in relation to paupers," approved March 23, 1874	166	166	260	282	329	463		385, 463		
91	An Act to provide for certain safety appliances upon elevator cages, to provide for the safety of persons entering and departing from elevator cages, and to prevent persons being caught and crushed between the top of the elevator cage and the floor of any building, and providing a penalty for failure to install such safety appliances.....	166	259								
92	An Act in regard to tax title and providing for the reconveyance of tax titles and fixing a penalty for failure or refusal to re-convey	167	167	791	831	842	1029			1029	1266

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99	An Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the Eastern Illinois State Normal School herein named	180	180								
100	An Act to prohibit county and probate clerks, and deputy county or probate clerks from preparing certain documents and from holding certain positions	180	180	402	433	475	559		529	559	957
101	An Act concerning the taxation of liens and the property affected by such liens	180	180								
102	An Act to render valid the ascertain ment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons, leaving property in this State and authorizing such courts hereafter to ascertain and declare such heirship and for other purposes relating thereto	180	180	980				980			
103	An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property within this State and instruments or writing relating to any obligation enforceable in this State executed without this State, to which a seal or scroll is not affixed and for other purposes relating thereto"	181	181	497	519	573			812		
104	An Act to amend "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 22, 1872.....	181	181	546	572	656	909		810, 1113	909	1088

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
114	An Act regulating the business of as- sessment life associations organized under the laws of this State or doing business therein and providing a method whereby such associations may be converted into legal reserve life insurance companies.....	182	182	773	803	828	861	.....	856, 1300, 1310, 1336, 1341	861	1205
115	An Act making appropriations for the University of Illinois.....	188	188	238	245	328	387	.....	385	387	.....
116	An Act in relation to criminal con- spiracy.....	188	188	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
117	An Act to amend "An Act to regulate the catching of white fish, trout, herr- ing, chubs, long-jaws, black-fins, perch and other rough fish in the waters of Lake Michigan under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois," approved May 17, 1907, in force July 1, 1907, by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 8a.....	188	188	305	320	476	676	.....	606	676	957
118	An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of fish in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois.....	188	188	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
119	An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum for free distribution to the swine raisers of the State of Illi- nois, and for the free administration thereof and making an appropriation therefor.....	188	188	920	.....	.....	.....	920	.....	.....	.....

120	An Act to amend "An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same," approved June 23, 1883.....	189	189	422	600	811			
121	"An Act to amend Sec. 1 and Sec. 4 of firemen's pension fund; to provide and disburse such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen and the widows, minor children and dependent parents of deceased firemen; who authorize the retirement from service and the pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds 5,000 inhabitants having a paid fire department....."	189	189	641		641			
122	An Act to prevent the intermarriage of people of the white race, blood or lineage with those of the African, Chinese or Japanese races.....	189	259	790		790			
123	An Act to regulate the gearing and speed of automobiles, auto-cabs, taxicabs and other horseless vehicles.....	189							
124	An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois National Guard and Illinois Naval Reserve.....	189	189	681	701	707	858	1178, 1215	1169
125	An Act to provide for the purchase of overcoats and dress and service uniforms for the Illinois National Guards and Illinois Naval Reserve.....	189	189	685	702	707	858	757, 1300	1204
126	An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Logan, Illinois.....	189	189	684	701	705	834	757, 1303	1256
127	An Act to provide for improvements at Camp Lincoln, Illinois.....	189	189	684	701	705	859	758, 1302	1255
128	An Act making appropriation for the erection of buildings for the University of Illinois.....	190	190	774	803	827	862	856, 1335	1204
129	An Act making an appropriation for constructing and erecting a monument at Oakwoods cemetery at the city of Waukegan, Illinois, to the memory of Honorable Elijah M. Haines.....	190	190						

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.,....
130	An Act to repeal an Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named, approved May 19, 1905.....	190		458	473	520			637		
131	An Act making appropriation for the Eastern Illinois State Normal School herein named.....	196	196								
132	An Act to amend "An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in this State, and to punish the same, and prescribe a mode of procedure and rules of evidence in relation thereto," and to repeal an act entitled "An Act to prevent unjust discrimination and extortion in the rates to be charged by the different railroads in this State for the transportation of freights on said roads," approved April 7, A. D. 1871, approved May 2, 1873, and adding a new section thereto and amending the title of said Act.....	196	196								
133	An Act to amend section five (5) of "An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide reports of the same," approved June 23, 1883.....	196	196	423	432	556	1086				811

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading	Second reading....	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
141	An Act to amend paragraph "N" of section 14 of "An Act to regulate public warehouses, and warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article 13 of the constitution of this State", approved April 25, 1871.	198	198	639	652	739	1031		858	1031	1223
142	An Act to amend section 22 of "An Act in regard to the administration of estates", approved April 1, 1872.	198	198								
143	An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes.	198	198								
144	An Act to amend section four (4) of "An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute", approved June 21, 1895.	198	198	339	434	442	503		494	503	
145	An Act to amend section sixty-three (63) of "An Act for the assessment of property, and for the levy and collection of taxes", approved March 30, 1872.	198	198	900	962	985					
146	An Act to amend section one (1) of "An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto", approved April 28, 1903.	198	198								
147	An Act to establish the Illinois State Colony for Improvable Epileptics and making an appropriation therefor.	198	198								
148	An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named.	198	198								

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159	An Act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of "An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for prevention of cruelty to animals," approved May 25, 1877.....	200	200	563	572	657	689
160	An Act to amend section 11 of "An Act to create and establish a board of health in the State of Illinois," approved May 28, 1877.....	200	200	421	432	443	979	.....	521, 1019	.....	.....
161	An Act to amend "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named," approved April 24, 1899, by adding one new section to said Act, to be known as section 5a.....	200	200	458	474	534	.....	.....	638, 749, 979, 1019	.....	.....
162	An Act to amend section 12 of "An Act relating to employment offices and agencies," approved and in force May 11, 1903.....	200	200	339	434	443	504	.....	495	504	1037
163	An Act limiting the right of owners of buildings and others, in the exclusion or expulsion of persons, desirous of calling upon tenants of buildings or space therein, in an orderly manner, and for honorable purposes; and prescribing penalties for violation of this Act.....	200	200	911	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
164	An Act to provide for limiting the time of holding sessions of the General Assembly of this State to 100 days or less at each session.....	206	206	791	.....	.....	.....	791	.....	.....	.....

165	An Act to amend sections 24 and 25 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874, so as to allow counties to purchase and hold real estate upon which to erect and maintain at the expense of the county a sanitarium for the care and cure of persons afflicted with tuberculosis	206	206	221	232	239	264	280, 434	264	454
166	An Act to prohibit misrepresentations relative to the pedigree and breeding of stallions and jacks kept for public service and providing a penalty for the same	206	206	497	519	558	777	637, 1113	777	1087
167	An Act in regard to the contest of wills	206	206	622	65	969				
168	An Act to regulate the civil service of counties	209	209							
169	An Act to amend sections 97, 124 and 125 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27th, 1874	209	209	469			470			
170	An Act to prevent improper treatment of prisoners or persons suspected of crime, by police and other officers or persons, for the purpose of attempting to obtain confessions or admissions, and to provide a penalty therefor	210	210	456	473	520		637		
171	An Act to provide for the expenses of the voyage of the U. S. S. Nashville from the navy yard, Boston, Mass., to Chicago, Ill.	210	210	340	340	371	385	385	385	455
172	An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of "An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record" approved June 3, 1907	210	210	935						
173	An Act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Illinois	210	210	791		888	791			
174	An Act to amend section 18 of "An act in regard to the administration of estates," approved April 1, 1872	210	210	937		888	937			

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
175	An Act to appropriate the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of the Second Infantry, Illinois National Guard, located in Chicago, Cook Co., Ill., and for the purchase of suitable ground upon which to erect said armory and to provide for the sale of the present armory site and building, the proceeds of which sale to apply on the purchase of new site to be approved by the Governor and the Adjutant General.....	20	210								
176	An Act to amend section 31 of "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874.....	210	210	515	571	602	871		423,810	871	1100
177	An Act to amend section 2 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages," approved February 27, 1874.....	211	211	422							
178	An Act to create county text book commissions, in all counties having a population of less than 200,000, with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties and to regulate the price of such text books.....	211	211								

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading	Second reading....	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
190	An Act making an appropriation in aid of the Illinois State Horticultural Society.....	219	219	685	701	707	860	.....	757	860	1180
191	An Act to require certain dangerous employments in intrastate commerce to pay prompt compensation to their employees in respect of injuries or death, to change the common law in respect of master and servant and to enforce the provisions of this act by the creation of a Commission of Compensation Awards.....	219	259	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
192	An Act in relation to the payment of certain debts by prostitutes; prohibiting the payment of certain debts by labor of prostitutes, and providing for the punishment for the violation of its provisions.....	219	219	545	.....	.....	.....	545	.....	.....	.....
193	An Act to amend "An Act in relation to pandering to define and prohibit the same," To provide for the punishment thereof for the competency of certain evidence at the trial therefor and providing what shall be a defense.....	219	219	544	.....	.....	.....	544	.....	.....	.....
194	An Act to make the findings of juries final in suits at common law.....	219	219	402	433	475	588	.....	529	588	.....
195	An Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate and county courts so as to include the complete administration of testate estates.....	219	219	545	937	.....	.....	937	.....	.....	.....
196	An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association...	219	219	685	701	707	762	758	762	1180

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207	An Act to amend an Act entitled An Act in relation to book making and pool selling.....	231									
208	An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the commission on uniform State laws.....	231	231								
209	An Act to amend section fifty-seven (57) and fifty-eight (58) of "An Act in relation to a Municipal Court in the city of Chicago," approved May 18, 1866.....	235	235	881				882			
210	An Act imposing new and additional duties upon the State Water Survey, and making an appropriation therefor.....	235	235	942			1024		1018	1024	
211	An Act relating to contracts between employer and employe.....	235	235			978					
212	An Act providing for security from persons entrusted with money of fraternal benefit societies.....	235	239								
213	An Act to amend section 41 of "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872.....	236	236								
214	An Act to amend section two (2) of "An Act to provide for the licensing of and against the evils arising from the sale of intoxicating liquors," approved March 30, 1874.....	236	236	498							

215	An Act to legalize the organization of sanitary districts, and the election of trustees held within and for the same, where such districts have been organized in pursuance of "An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes," approved May 17, 1907.....	236	339	427	444	510	495	510	674
216	An Act to amend section 10 of "An Act to create sanitary districts in certain localities and to drain and protect the same from overflow for sanitary purposes," approved May 17, 1907.....	236							
217	An Act to make an appropriation for the relief of Edward A. Laxton, injured by an accident at the Southern Illinois Penitentiary, resulting in an injury to him, while in the performance of his duties, under the direction of an officer of the institution.....	236	456	473	520		637		
218	An Act to amend section 20 of "An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and the repeal of a certain Act therein named," approved Feb. 25, 1898.....	236, 788	788	920		920			
219	An Act to repeal sections 22 and 26 of "An Act for the assessment of property and providing means therefor, and to repeal a certain Act therein named," approved Feb. 25, 1898.....	236							
220	An Act to increase the compensation of town supervisors and assistant supervisors.....	236							
221	An Act in relation to the office of treasurer in villages and incorporated towns.....	237	881			881			
222	An Act to amend Sec. 38 of "An Act concerning local improvements", approved June 14, 1897.....	237	543	571	656		811		
223	An Act to amend Sec. 40 of "An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of the State, with reference thereto", approved March 29, 1872.....	237							
224	An Act to prohibit overcharges on messages sent or delivered by telegraph companies, and declaring same a misdemeanor and fixing the penalties therefor.....	237	881			881			

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported	Referred	First reading	Second reading ...	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
225	An Act to amend "An Act to provide for the creation of forest preserve districts", approved May 18, 1903.....	237	237							
226	An Act to appropriate the sum of two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of the Illinois Naval Reserve, located in the city of Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Provided that there shall be dedeed to the State suitable grounds upon which to erect said armory, the site to be approved by the Governor and Adjutant General.....	237	237							
227	An Act to amend sections five (5), nine (9), thirteen (13), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), seventeen and one-half (17-1/2), eighteen (18), twenty-six and one-half (26-1/2), thirty-seven (37), forty-two (42), fifty-five (55), and fifty-nine (59), and to repeal sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), and twenty-two (22), and to add two new sections to be known as sections seventeen A (17A) and seventeen B (17B), to "An Act to revise and amend an Act, and certain sections thereof, entitled: 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts'" approved May 29, 1879.....	238	238							

228	An Act to amend section forty-two (42) of "An Act to regulate the practice in courts of chancery," approved March 15, 1872.....	238	238	622	622				
229	An Act to make an appropriation to defray certain expenditures made by members of the Illinois House of Representatives, in the 45th General Assembly of the State of Illinois, in the expenses of and attendance upon the funerals of Honorable Richard Powers and Honorable Paul Finnian, deceased members of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois.....	238	238	255	371	369	371	775	775
230	An Act to prevent fire insurance companies entering into or maintaining pools, trusts, conspiracies or agreements to control rates of insurance.....	243	243	568	1032	811	1032		
231	An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a house of correction employees' fund in cities having a population exceeding 50,000 inhabitants.....	243	243	475		494			
232	An Act to regulate the pursuit of the business, art and avocation of a barber, and to insure the better qualification of persons following such business in the State of Illinois.....	243	243	573	775	638	775	1087	1087
233	An Act to amend section 41 of "An Act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899.....	243	243						
234	An Act to limit the meaning of the word "conspiracy" and also the use of "restraining orders" and "injunctions" based upon charges of "conspiracy" as applied to disputes between employers and employes in the State of Illinois.....	243	243	912	912				
235	An Act amending sections 6 and 7-A of "An Act to provide for the punishment of persons, copartnerships or corporations forming pools, trusts and combines and mode of procedure and rules of evidence in such cases," approved June 11, 1891.....	244	259	912	912				

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report
236	An Act to amend "An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms", as amended by act approved December 24, 1907.....	244	244	569	649	732			1004		
237	An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor	244	244	793	836	849	1041		899	1041	1298
238	An Act to amend article VI of "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools", approved and in force May 21, 1889	244	244								
239	An Act to enable boards of education in cities having a population of 100,000 inhabitants, or more, to establish and maintain schools for deaf, dumb, crippled, blind, sub-normal, convalescent and incipient invalid children, and authorizing the manner of payment therefor	244	244	793	836	850	1052			1052	1298
240	An Act to amend section 202, article VIII, of "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889	244	244	794	836	851			883, 938		
241	An Act requiring common carriers of freight to provide and maintain side tracks and connections for lateral branch railroad and shippers and receivers of freight.....	252	* 252	756				756			

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading	Second reading....	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
252	An Act to amend "An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime; and providing for a system of parole; and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole," approved April 21, 1899.....	254	254								
253	An Act prohibiting the participating in and the exhibition of certain theatrical, dramatic and other forms of day amusement on the first day of the day commonly called Sunday and fixing a penalty therefor.....	254	254								
254	An Act making an appropriation of the amount of the uncollected salary of Paul I. Zaabel, deceased member of the 46th General Assembly, in favor of the widow.....	254	254	259	283	289	326		305,458	326	429
255	An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns.....	254	254	543				543			
256	An Act to amend section 10 of an act to revise the laws in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein, approved April 18, 1899.....	254	254,753	709							
257	An Act to amend section 32 of "An Act in regard to the practice in actions of ejectments," approved March 20, 1872.....	254	254	622	651	734			796		

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
284	An Act to amend section 7 of 'An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named,' approved April 24, 1899.....	273	273								
285	An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violation of the same,' approved June 1, 1908.....	273	273	500	517						
286	An Act to amend section 74 of 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897.....	273	273								
287	An Act providing for the licensing, regulation and inspection of coal storage warehouses and regulating the sale of articles of food stuffs stored therein or in any cold storage warehouse.....	273	273								
288	An Act to amend section sixteen (16) of 'An act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix a time for holding the same in several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook,' approved May 24, 1879.....	274	274	936				936			

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of com- mittee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
298	An Act to amend section 1 of 'An Act to amend the criminal code to change the punishment of persons convicted of the crime of petit larceny and misdemeanors and to repeal 'An Act to amend section 168 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence,' approved March 27, 1874, approved April 10, 1877.....	275	275	605	723	746			899		
299	An Act to amend an act entitled, 'An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools, approved and in force May 21, 1889.....	282	282								
300	An Act to regulate the hours of labor of city employes in cities whose population exceeds one hundred thousand.....	286	286	340	434	513.601	813	513	524,689,813		
301	An Act to amend section 23 of 'An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties,' approved February 21, 1908.....	286	286								
302	An Act to amend 'An Act to allow per diem fees to clerks of the Circuit and Probate Courts in counties of the first and second class,' approved June 7, 1886.....	286	286	469				469			
303	An Act to amend section 17 of 'An Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches, and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes and to provide for the organization of drainage districts,' approved May 29, 1879.....	286	286								

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.....	Introduced	Referred	Report of com- mittee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings	Passed	Senate report.....
328	An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of "An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885,	302	302	511				512			
329	An Act to amend section eight as amended by an Act approved May 28, 1879, of article eleven of "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872,	303	303	570	649			737			
330	An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway, in cooperation with the United States, and the development of the water power and other utilities incident thereto, by way of the upper Illinois (including the Des Plaines) river between Lockport and Utica.....	303	303	623				795	449,674,687		
331	An Act creating a county text book commission, providing for county uniformity and city adoptions, licensing school text book publishers, regulating prices of school text books, prohibiting changes of text books oftener than once in five years, providing for the sale of books to pupils at minimum cost, preventing loss to families that move, prohibiting combinations of publishers of school text books and providing penalties for violation of this act.....	303	303								

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339	An act to amend sections 259, 260, 261 and 262 of Division I of "An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874, by adding thereto a section to be known as section 262a.....	304	420						899		
340	An Act to amend section one of "An Act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime and providing for a system of parole and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole," approved April 21, 1899.....	306	322, 333	400	306	487			329, 528		
341	An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of surveyors and regulating the practicing of surveying.....	306	306								
342	An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872.....	319	319								
343	An Act to repeal section thirty-one (31) of "An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl, and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto," approved April twenty-eighth (28th), 1903.....	319	319								
344	An Act to authorize cities and villages whose limits are coterminous with the limits of any township to levy for street purposes, a tax in addition to the tax of two per centum upon the aggregate valuation of all property within such city or village as now prescribed by law.....	319	319	1001							

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee	First reading.....	Second reading ...	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report
330	An Act to consolidate in the govern- ment of the city of Chicago the pow- ers now vested in the local authorities having jurisdiction within the territory of said city, to make additional pro- visions concerning parks and local improvements, and to provide rev- enues.....	324	324	566	572	695	914		679, 700, 713, 796		
331	An Act relating to the organization and powers of the city of Chicago....	324	324								
332	An Act relating to the ownership, regulation, and operation of public utilities in the city of Chicago, and to enlarge the powers of the city with reference to municipal undertakings and improvements.....	324									
333	An Act to provide for the form of bal- lot to be used at municipal elections to be held in and for the city of Chicago.....	324	324								
334	An Act to provide for the submission of propositions to the voters of the city of Chicago.....	324	324								
335	An Act relating to expenditures by candidates for offices in municipal elections to be held in and for the city of Chicago.....	324	324								
336	An Act to regulate the civil service of the city of Chicago.....	324	324	566				566			
337	An Act to create a department of education for the city of Chicago....	324	324								
338	An Act to confer the right to vote at municipal elections upon women cit- izens of the city of Chicago.....	324	324								

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
368	An Act to appropriate the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) for the purpose of purchasing and acquiring land and property to be used for the Illinois approaches of the free bridge to be erected across the Mississippi River by the city of St. Louis, Missouri, at points between the city of St. Louis, Missouri, and the city of East St. Louis, Illinois, and providing for the appointment of a committee or commission whose duty it shall be to make the necessary transactions in acquiring such land, and property that will be required for such free bridge approach.	326	326								
369	An Act to amend sections eight, fifteen, twenty-one and thirty-two of an Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and provide for the health and safety of persons employed therein, approved April 18, 1889....	326	326								
370	An Act to provide for the inspection and licensing of all slaughtering, meat packing or rendering plant or plants or similar establishments in which cattle, sheep, swine, or poultry are slaughtered to be done under and by authority of the Board of Live Stock Commissioners of the State of Illinois.....	336	336								
371	An Act to enable courts of law to grant relief against fraud.....	336	336	791	830	1047					

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.....	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
383	An Act making an appropriation for the exhibit and improvement of dairy cattle at the Illinois State Fair.....	338	338								
384	An act to amend section 1 of "An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means, of territory so created," approved May 16, 1907.....	338	338	627				627			
385	An Act to amend "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows," in force July 1, 1897.....	338	338, 604								
386	An Act to amend "An Act to regulate and fix the time of killing fur-bearing animals," approved June 4, 1907.....	338	338	719	731						
387	An Act to provide a minimum space between street cars operating on public highways and for a penalty for violation of this Act.....	338	338	818							
388	An Act to require corporations, companies or individuals who employ agents, servants or employees, to permit the investigation of accidents involving personal injury to any such agent, servant or employee by his or her representative and to enter upon the premises where the accident occurred for such purposes.....	338	338								
389	An Act to amend "An Act to revise the laws in relation to oil inspection," approved March 12, 1874.....	338	538								

	An Act to repeal "An Act to prevent sales of merchandise in fraud of creditors," approved May 13, 1906.....	338	913	913			
3391	An Act to prevent the adulteration of linseed oil or flaxseed oil and to prevent fraud in the sale thereof, and in the sale of compounds thereof, and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith....	367					
3392	An Act to protect the health of domestic animals in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor.....	367					
3393	An Act to prohibit discrimination in the price paid for products and commodities of like grade, gravity and quality by corporations and individuals engaged in transportation, their agents, officers and employees and other persons and corporations, and providing penalties.....	367					
3394	An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois and to repeal all Acts in conflict herewith.....	367	422	433	478	532	503, 1115
3395	An Act to amend an Act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies, approved May 16, 1903.....	367					1088
3396	An Act providing for the incorporation of burial insurance companies, specifying the requirements for the incorporation thereof, and for the transaction of the business of burial insurance; providing for examination of and reports by such incorporated companies; providing for a penalty for any violation of the provisions of this Act, and excepting certain organizations from its operation.....	367					
3397	An Act to provide for the adoption and use of school textbooks in the free public schools of this State.....	368					
3398	An Act to regulate the State charitable, penal and reformatory institutions, to revise the laws relating thereto and to repeal certain Acts.....	368					
3399	An Act to make appropriations for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac.....	368					
400	An Act to regulate the sale of secret remedies.....	368					

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
401	An Act regarding the leasing of dwelling houses, flats and apartments, and defining certain offences in connection therewith and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.....	368	368	570	607	657	759	.....	686	759	1246
402	An Act to appropriate the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of constructing an armory building for the use of A. Company, Fifth Regiment of the Illinois National Guard, located in Pekin, Tazewell County, Illinois. Provided that there shall be deeded to the State suitable grounds upon which to erect said armory, the site to be approved by the Governor and Adjutant General.....	368	368	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
403	An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of "An Act to authorize recorders of deeds in counties where recorders of deeds are elected, to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title, and fixing the fees and compensations therefor, and to repeal an act therein named".....	368	368	1002	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
404	An Act to amend "An Act to revise the law in relation to liens," in force July 1, 1874.....	369	369	789	789

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.....	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
426	An Act granting the right of eminent domain to electric light and dis-tributing companies.....	384	384	640	653	739	1086		857		
427	An Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester.....	384	384								
428	An Act to amend the penal code to punish employers and contractors of labor relative to bribery of repre-sentatives of labor organizations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.....	384	442	711	731	984					
429	An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollu-tion, and to provide for its purifica-tion.....	384	384	640	653	739			836		
430	An Act for the appointment of a com-mission to investigate and report on the preservation of certain lands for public parks for the State of Illinois, and to make appropriation to pay the expenses of said commission.....	384	384, 516	516, 702	708	745	1014		857, 1303	1014	1257
431	An Act to amend section 11 of 'An Act to revise the law in relation to fu-gitives from justice,' approved Feb-ruary 16, 1874.....	385	385	497	519	574	900		809	900	
432	An Act for the relief of Albert W. Lei-del.....	393	393, 711	788	827	833	879		856	879	1180
433	An Act to revise the law in relation to the suppression and prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals.....	394	394								

434	An Act to amend section 17 of "An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook," approved May 24, 1879.....	394	394	502	517	534	774	689	774	1037
435	An Act to provide for certain exemption from taxation of honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the Mexican and Civil Wars, and in the event of death of such soldier or sailor to the widow remaining unmarried of such soldier or sailor.....	394	394							
436	An Act to regulate the manufacture and use of paint containing white lead, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.....	394	394							
437	An Act in relation to unclaimed deposits in banking institutions.....	394	394	936						
438	An Act to define prohibition territory and prohibit and punish the keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor therein, and to provide for searching for, seizing and destroying intoxicating liquor so kept.....	394	682							
439	An Act relative to unclaimed deposits in banks and banking associations, and the disposition thereof.....	394	394	792	837	996	1072	1018, 1281	1072	1230
440	An Act in relation to corporations furnishing electricity for purposes of light, heat, fuel or power in cities having a population of one hundred thousand inhabitants or over.....	394	394							
441	An Act to amend "An Act to provide for the setting apart, formation and disbursement of a police pension fund in cities, villages and incorporated towns," approved April 29, 1887.....	394	394							
442	An Act to amend section 1 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agricultural Societies and Agricultural Fairs and to provide for reports of the same," approved June 23, 1883.....	394	394							
443	An Act to provide for the creation and management of forest preserve districts, and repealing a certain Act therein named.....	395	395	719	731					

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading ...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
444	An Act to require non-residents of this State to take out license annually before being permitted to fish in this State and increasing fines for violation of this Act.	395	395								
445	An Act to protect the public from imposition in relation to canned and preserved food and other articles of food.	395	395								
446	An Act to compel corporations operating inter-urban electric railroads outside the limits of incorporated cities and towns to sound certain alarms at grade crossings.	395	395								
447	An Act to amend section 1 of An Act in regard to mills and millers and dams for mills and other machinery and navigation. Approved March 2, 1872.	395	395								
448	An Act to amend An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of a general tax by cities for parks and boulevard purposes, approved June 17, 1893.	395	395	516	570	601	760		688, 1178, 1273, 1314, 1326	760	1170
449	An Act to establish free employment offices in cities of 150,000 or more inhabitants.	395	395								
450	An Act to prevent fraud in the use of coupons, checks, tickets, stamps and similar devices and to provide a penalty therefor.	396	442								

451	An Act to enable cities and villages to purchase, construct or enlarge water-works, to provide for the management thereof, and giving them authority to levy an annual tax for the creation of a fund for such purchase, construction or enlarging, and limiting the granting or extension of waterworks franchise.....	396	819	
452	An Act to regulate demurrage and car service charges by railroads and common carriers, and to place control of the same under the jurisdiction of the Illinois Railroad and Warehouse Commission.....	396		
453	An Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any manufacturing, mercantile or mechanical establishment, laundry, hotel or restaurant, in order to safeguard the health of such employees; to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation.....	396		
454	An Act prohibiting the making or publishing of false or exaggerated statements or publications or concerning the affairs, pecuniary condition or property of any corporation, joint stock association, co-partnership or individual, with the intent to give or which shall have a tendency to give a lesser or greater apparent value to the shares, bonds, or property or any part thereof of said corporation, joint stock association, co-partnership or individual than such shares, bonds or property shall actually and in fact possess and providing a penalty therefor.....	396	598	649
455	An Act to remove overhead trolley wires and to place them underground in cities of ten thousand inhabitants and over, and to provide a penalty for the violator thereof.....	396		
456	An Act providing for the safety of passengers at elevated railroad stations.....	396		
457	An Act to provide for refunding of ratable premiums by fire and marine insurance companies, and prescribing a penalty therefor.....	397		

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458	An Act to amend "An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide for reports of same", approved June 23, 1883.....	397	397	567	648	842	1030	900	1030	126f
459	An Act to amend section 1 of "An Act to regulate the employment of children in the State of Illinois, and to provide for the enforcement thereof", approved May 15, 1903.....	397	397	459	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
460	An Act to regulate the business of transmitting communications by telegraph from one place to another within the State of Illinois, and charging toll therefor.....	397	397	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
461	An Act amending section two (2) of "An Act to prohibit the use of clock, tape, slot, or other machines or devices for gambling purposes", approved and in force June 21, 1895.....	397	397	640	653	739	965	.....	857	965	.....
462	An Act to amend "An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto", approved May 29th, 1872. Title as amended by an Act approved March 28, 1874.....	397	397	639	652	739	1085	.....	810	1085	1267
463	An Act to amend "An Act to revise the law in relation to records", approved March 9, 1874, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as sections 12a and 12b.....	397	397	937	.....	.....	.....	937	.....	.....	.....

464	An Act to amend "An Act to provide for the disposal of unclaimed monies in the hands of administrators and executors," approved May 12, 1871....	397	397	622	651	681	811		
465	An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized and existing or hereafter organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other state, province, or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this State, to create, maintain, and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependents hospitals, asylums, and sanatoriums....	398	398		398	477			
466	An Act providing for the licensing, regulation and inspection of cold storage warehouses and regulating the sale of articles of food stuff stored therein.....	398	398						
467	An Act to remove overhead wires and to place them underground in cities of fifty thousand inhabitants and over, and to provide penalties for the violation of this provision.....	398	398						
468	An Act to prohibit the use of coloring matter in the manufacture of sausage....	398	398						
469	An Act to amend section 10 of "An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition by like means, of territory so created," approved May 16, 1907....	398	398						
470	An Act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of "An Act for the purpose of compelling oil or gas leases when forfeited, to be released of record and providing a penalty therefor," approved May 27, 1907.....	398	398	627	723		627		
471	An Act to prevent foreign insurance corporations doing business in the State of Illinois from writing contracts or assuming liabilities, which cannot be written or assumed by like corporations organized under the laws of this State.....	398	398	600	650	733	899	966	1266
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472	An Act to appropriate five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for the relief of Mrs. Emma Grimes	399	399, 552	552, 942	942	979	1018	1004	1018	1255
473	"An Act to amend section two of wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto," approved April 28, 1903.....	399	399	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
474	An Act to legalize certain elections held under An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872	399	399	597	607	657	781	.....	757	781	1036
475	An Act to prevent injuries from the mistaken use of gasoline or other inflammable fluids.....	399	399	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
476	An Act to regulate the business of express companies and to prohibit them from engaging in the business of selling express money orders or bills of exchange.....	412	412	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
477	An Act to prevent creating a monopoly in the business of buying milk, cream or butter fat for the purpose of manufacture or buying poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of, sale or storage.....	413	422	538	571	654	959	.....	688	959	.....
478	An Act to declare certain confidential communications privileged and to regulate their admission in evidence	413	413	456	474	521	933, 1035	.....	606, 933	1055	1223

479	An Act to amend section one (1) of "An Act to revise the law in relation to the department of agricultural societies and agricultural fairs, and to provide for reports of the same," approved June 23, 1883.	413	413						
480	An Act to amend section 1 of "An Act relating to nurses and providing for their registration," approved May 2, 1907.	413	413						
481	An Act to repeal "An Act to authorize mining or manufacturing companies to own and hold shares of the capital stock, and to own and hold securities of railroad companies whose roads shall connect the different plants of such mining or manufacturing plants with each other, or with other railroads or harbors," approved June 11, 1897.	413	442	660	722	753	966		844
482	An Act to amend section 35 of "An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved February 25, 1898.	413	413						
483	An Act to amend section 9, section 10, "An Act for the assessment of property and providing the means therefor, and to repeal a certain act therein named," approved February 25, 1898.	413	413	951	996	1048			1065
484	An Act to amend "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30, 1872, by adding thereto four new sections, to be known as sections 29a, 29f, 29g and 29h.	414	414						
485	An Act concerning the cutting and sale of ice.	414	442						
486	An Act to amend section one (1) of "An Act to revise the law in relation to the Department of Agriculture, agricultural societies and agricultural fairs and to provide for reports of the same," approved June 23, 1883.	414	414	539					
487	An Act to amend sections eight and seventy-four of "An Act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897.	414	414						

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No. of Bill.	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.
488	An Act to establish and maintain a laboratory for the production of hog cholera serum, and other biological products for free distribution to the live stock producers of the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor.....	414	414	920	1046		1085	920	977, 1074, 1091	1095	1266
489	An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing hawks.....	414	414, 603	703	724	749	1090		898	1090	
490	An Act authorizing the making of additions to, and the correction of names of Illinois soldiers or sailors enrolled upon the tablets erected within the Illinois State monument, or Memorial Temple, in the National Military Park at Vicksburg, Miss.; and providing for the appointment of commissioners therefor, and making appropriation for the payment of the cost and expenses thereof.....	414	414	457	474	487	586		528	586	1298
491	An Act to exempt from taxation certain property owned by any post of the Grand Army of the Republic.....	414	414	457	474	487	675		606	675	891
492	An Act to provide for interchangeable telephone service and toll therefor; and to provide punishment for violations of the provisions hereof.....	415	415								
493	An Act providing for the licensing, regulation and inspection of cold storage warehouses and regulating the sale of articles of food-stuffs stored therein.....	415	415								

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
503	An Act fixing the maximum rate of fare to be charged by railroad companies or corporations in this State, and within the limits of all cities in this State.....	416	416	544				544			
504	An Act to amend section six (6) of "An Act in relation to sanitary district of Chicago, to enlarge the corporate limits of said district, and to provide for the navigation of the channels created by such district, and to construct dams, waterwheels and other works necessary to develop and render available the power arising from the water passing through its channels and to levy taxes therefor," approved May 14, 1903.....	416	416	543		517	562		563, 630, 641, 645, 664, 757		
505	An Act to regulate and control the sale of certain articles of food.....	416	416								
506	An Act to protect the public from imposition in relation to canned and preserved food and other articles of food.....	417	417								
507	An Act to enforce publicity in the operation and business conduct of life insurance companies.....	417	417	733	831	841			1001		
508	An Act to amend section 4 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to county surveyors, and the custody of the United States field notes".....	417	417	605				605			

509	An Act to amend section (5) of "An Act to regulate the manufacture, transportation, use and sale of explosives, and to punish an improper use of the same", approved June 16, 1887	417	417	624	651	735	915, 1003		
510	An Act regulating the locating, operating and maintaining of public places of amusement	417	417						
511	An Act providing for the election of village marshals	417	417						
512	An Act to provide for the creation by petition of legal voters, of anti-saloon territory, within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the discontinuance by like means of territory so created	417	662						
513	An Act to amend article III of "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," (approved and in force May 21, 1889,) by inserting a new section therein following section six (6) of said article III to be known as section 6½	417	417						
514	An Act to amend section one of "An Act to revise the law in relation to quo warranto", approved March 23, 1874	417	417	916			916		
515	An Act to promote the public health by restricting and regulating the sale of foods containing chemical preservatives	418	418						
516	An Act to provide for the stamping of notes, bills of credit and books of accounts by assessors and making the same void when not so stamped	418	418						
517	An Act to amend section twenty-seven (27) of "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties," approved and in force March 31, 1874	418			418	442	495, 677	531	648
518	An Act further to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory, by providing for the creation, within counties as units, of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited and for the abolition by like means of territory so created	418	662						

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
519	An Act to define and establish the liability of persons, associations and corporations owning, controlling and operating electric light, heat and power plants, for the propelling of street cars, for injuries to the person, and for deaths and destruction of property caused by reason of any wrongful act, neglect or default of such persons, associations or corporations.....	418	418								
520	An Act to prevent persons from advertising or holding themselves out to be fortune tellers, clairvoyants, mediums, astrologers, trance mediums, palmists, life readers and from obtaining money by means of representation that they can read the past, present or future by means of cards, spirits, palms, stars, trances or anything of a like nature and providing a penalty therefor.....	418	442								
521	An Act to prevent the preparation, manufacture, packing, storing or distributing of food intended for sale, or sale of food, under insanitary, unhealthy or unclean conditions or surroundings, for the appointment of inspectors, to create a sanitary inspection and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.....	419	419								

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537	An Act authorizing and directing the establishment of a department of mining engineering in the College of Engineering at the University of Illinois and providing for the support of the same.....	428	428	921	922	940	1017	1003, 1178, 1184	1017	1170
538	An Act to repeal "An Act to provide for the payment of bounties for killing crows,".....	430	430	709	731					
539	An Act to authorize recorders of deeds to keep abstract books, to make abstracts of title and fixing the fees and compensation therefor, and to repeal an act therein named.....	430	430	844	854	919	1035	977		
540	An Act relating to the taxing of telegraph, telephone and electric light and power companies.....	430	442							
541	An Act to regulate sleeping car companies, and to provide penalties for violations of such regulations.....	430	430							
542	An Act to provide for crediting back to life insurance companies organized under the laws of the State of New York certain amounts collected from them under the retaliatory provisions of the laws of this State.....	431	431							
543	An Act to regulate the business of express companies and to prohibit them from engaging in the business of selling express money orders or bills of exchange.....	431	431							
544	An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and the president and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns.....	431	431							
545	An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures and to repeal a certain act therein named.....	431	431	710	731	802				
546	An Act requiring commodities and merchandise sold, offered or exposed for sale by the package, container or parcel to have marked on such package, container or parcel the net weight, the net measure or the number of the articles contained therein, fixing a penalty for the violation of the same, providing certain defenses to prosecutions for violations thereof and repealing all acts contrary to or inconsistent with said Act.....	431	431							

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
547	An Act to prevent accidents from the mistaken use of gasoline or other inflammable fluids.....	431	431								
548	An Act to amend section 235 and section 236 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, A. D. 1874.....	431	431	600	650	733			898		
549	An Act to provide for the appointment of a State Engineer, the improvement of public highways, and to provide for maintaining the same, and to create State Aid roads, and furnish road building material therefor, and to furnish certain crushed stone free to townships and road districts for certain purposes.....	431									
550	An Act requiring reports of births and deaths, and recording the same; regulating the interment or other disposal of dead bodies, and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with the provisions thereof, and repealing a certain Act named therein.....	431	431								
551	An Act to amend section 6 of "An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois, and regulating the conditions and provisions of policies of life insurance companies, organized under the laws of this State, or doing business herein," approved May 20, 1907.....	432	432								
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No. of Bill	Title of Bill	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings	Passed	Senate report
559	An Act to amend section 20 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899.	440	440								
560	An Act to amend "An Act concerning the use of powder in coal mines," approved and in force May 14, 1903.	440	440								
561	An Act to amend "An Act concerning the use of powder in coal mines," approved and in force May 14, 1903.	440	440								
562	An Act to amend section 19 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899.	441	441								
563	An Act to amend section 8 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein," approved April 18, 1899.	441	441								

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading	Second reading....	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
573	An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seven-teen (17), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29) and thirty-one (31) of "An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved April 2, 1903.....	449	449	627	.....	.....	.....	627	.....	.....	.....
574	An Act to amend sections sixteen (16) and seventeen (17) of "An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago," approved May 18, 1905, submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held November 7, 1905, and adopted. As amended by Act approved June 3, 1907, adopted at election held September 17, 1907.....	455	455	881	.....	.....	.....	882	.....	.....	.....
575	An Act authorizing the Governor to appoint a State forestry board and a State forester, and for the purchase of a white pine forest tract in Ogle county to be known as "The Ogle County White Pine Forest Reserve," and appropriating moneys therefor.	456	456	833	.....	.....	.....	833	.....	.....	.....
576	An Act to regulate the practice of optometry in the State of Illinois.	456	456	683	723	746	970	.....	.....	899	.....

577	An Act to create one additional term of the circuit court in and for the county of Grundy and to fix the time of holding the same and changing the terms of court in and for said county.....	462	462	622	651	734	1039	898	1039	
578	An Act to amend section 36 of "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874.....	462	462	515	535	578	666	605	666	807
579	An Act to allow a per diem to clerks of the circuit, county and probate courts in counties of the first and second class and to repeal certain Acts therein named.	469			469	487	594	516	594	1099
580	An Act to amend section 17, article 6, of "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889.....	459	469							
581	An Act to amend section 97 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence," approved March 27, 1874.....	470			470	602, 800	932	812	932	1099
582	An Act to regulate the practice of non-medical healing in the State of Illinois.....	475	473							
583	An Act to amend section 354, paragraph 12, of "An Act to create sanitary districts and remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers," approved May 29, 1889.....	483	483							
584	An Act to amend section 19 of "An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,'" approved May, 1903.....	483	483	673				673		

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee.....	First reading	Second reading	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
585	An Act to amend section eleven (11) of article three (3) of "An Act to amend an Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the result thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885.	483	483	641	654	681	1013	.....	810	1013	1180
586	An Act to create a State Art Commission and to define its powers and duties.	484	484	546	572	656	.....	.....	810	.....	.....
587	An Act concerning the publication of legal notices.	484	484	621	650	734	971	.....	810	971	1180
588	An Act to amend "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved and in force May 21, 1889.	484	484	794	836	848	1028	.....	900	1028	.....
589	An Act to amend section 87 of "An Act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897.	484	484	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
590	An Act to amend sections 20 and 21 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to State contracts," approved March 31, 1874.	484	484	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
591	An Act to enable cities and villages to donate to counties bridges, owned or constructed by cities or villages outside the city or village and to be forever for the use of the public and maintained by counties.	484	484	544	544

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee	First reading	Second reading....	Third reading	Tabled.	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
601	An Act to define trusts and con- spiracies against trade, declaring contracts in violation of this Act void, making certain acts in vio- lation thereof felonies and pro- scribing the punishment therefor, and matters connected there- with.....	501	501	787	830						
602	An Act to amend section 2 of "An Act to authorize the judges of county courts to appoint short- hand reporters for the taking and preservation of evidence, and to provide for their compensation in counties having a population not more than two hundred thousand," approved May 14, 1903.	502	502	936	1002						
603	An Act fixing the rate of interest that may be charged on certain loans and making certain re- quirements as to the security given for the payment of such loans	502	502	789				789			
604	An Act in relation to certain old mortgages, trust deeds and other incumbrances and the cancella- tion thereof on the records, as incumbrances against real es- tate	502	502	598	650	733	1040		939	1040	1268
605	An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago, and to repeal certain Acts therein named	502	502	882				882			

696	An Act to amend "An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago," approved May 18, 1905, and by adding thereto nineteen new sections to be known as sections 29a, 29b, 29, 50e, 56a, 59a, 63a, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79.....	502
697	An Act to amend section 1 of article VII of "An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885	502
698	An Act to amend article III of "An Act regulating the holding of elections, declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19, 1885.....	512
699	An Act to authorize the erection of a soldiers' monument on the Capitol grounds, and making appropriation therefor	516
700	An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, in force July 1, 1873; as amended by Act approved April 8, 1875, in force July 1, 1875; title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, by adding thereto two new sections to be known as sections 12a and 12b respectively.....	529
701	An Act to create county text book commissions in all counties having a population less than 200,000, with power to provide for uniform text books in the public schools of such counties and to regulate the price of such text books	529

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee.....	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report
612	An Act to amend the school laws of Illinois by adding a section thereto	530									
613	An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago," approved May 18, 1905, as amended by Act approved June 3, 1907	530	530								
614	An Act to amend section 1 of "An Act in relation to domestic animals running at large within the State of Illinois," approved June 21st, 1895, in force July 1st, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 16th, 1905, in force July 1st, 1905	530	530	882				882			
615	An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the appointment, qualifications and duties of notaries public and certifying their official acts," approved April 5th, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved April 13, 1875, in force July 1, 1875	530	530	790				790			
				638	653				735, 779, 804, 831, 890, 969, 922, 987, 1051		

616	An Act entitled, "An Act relating to corporations engaged in furnishing suretyship on bonds and their agents; to provide for filing and public inspection of premium rates thereon and to prevent discrimination therein, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purpose specified in this Act,"	530	530	640	653	739	910	843	910	1089
617	An Act to amend section six (6) of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain, and to give effect to article thirteen of the Constitution of this State," approved April 25th, 1871, in force July 1st, 1871, as amended by an Act approved May 24, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.	530	530	624	651	735	910	1019	910	1089
618	An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to the descent of property," approved April 9, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1877, and in force July 1, 1877.	530	530	598	650	733	910	840	910	1089
619	An Act to prevent any person, partnership or corporation connected as owner, part owner, officer, director, stockholder, agent, or employee with, or financially interested in any brewery or distillery, from keeping or having any financial interest in a dramshop, and to provide for the punishment of any violation of this Act; and also to provide that any citizen or taxpayer may enforce this Act by a bill in equity.	531	531	709	730	959	1049	961, 1018	910	1089
620	An Act to amend section 2 of an Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto, approved April 28, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903.	531	531							

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee.....	First reading	Second reading ...	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
621	An Act to regulate trading in petroleum, cotton, grain, cereal, live stock, stocks, bonds, share or shares of incorporated or unincorporated companies, security, commodity, or produce, bread-stuffs or provisions of any kind, defining certain offenses in connection therewith, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof	541	541	597	649	732			778		
622	An Act providing for the creation of additional branch Appellate Courts	541	541	937				937			
623	An Act to make the verdict of the jury on questions of fact final as to those facts when followed by judgment or decree of the trial court	541	662	937				937			
624	An Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes," approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as amended by Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907	541	541, 693								
625	An Act prescribing the manner of construction and alteration of theatres and other auditoriums and halls for public entertainments; prescribing the powers and duties of the chief State factory inspector in relation thereto, and providing for the enforcement thereof	541	541								

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633	An Act making it unlawful to make or keep any picture of persons who have not been convicted of criminal offense, without their consent	547	547	688	723	748	1027	938	1027	1223
634	An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the printing and of the publication expenses of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Department of Illinois	547	547	684	701	706	834	.....	757	824	1179
635	An Act to authorize the board of managers of the Illinois State Reformatory to purchase certain real estate and making an appropriation for such purchase....	547	547	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
636	An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the amounts paid to the State Treasurer for license to fish under section 21 of an Act entitled "An Act to encourage the propagation and to secure the protection of fishes in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois, defining the duties of the fish commissioners, fixing their compensation, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," passed by the General Assembly of 1907, and known as House Bill No. 834.....	547	547	921	922	940	1081	1011, 1019	1081

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred	Report of Committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
646	An Act to prevent persons from advertising to tell fortunes, to restore lost or stolen property, or locate oil wells, gold or silver or other ore, metal or natural product, to restore lost love, friendship or affection; to reunite or procure lovers, husbands, wives, relatives or friends; to give advice or counsel of any kind, by means of occult or psychic powers, clairvoyance, psychology, psychometry, spirits, mediumship, seership, prophecy, astrology, palmistry, necromancy, cards, charms, talismans, potions, magnetism, magnetised articles or substances, oriental mysteries, magic, or like subtle science or means, and to prevent the practice of fraud by means of or in the name of spirit mediumship, palmistry, card reading, astrology, seership, fortune telling, or like subtle science or means, spiritualism or any other religion, school, cult or denomination, and from obtaining money thereby, and providing a penalty therefor.	583	583								
647	An Act to provide when recorded instruments shall cease to be constructive notice of lien to owners of real estate and to purchasers for value	598									
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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred	Report of committee	First reading.....	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled.	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
656	An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters, and to regulate the practice of court reporting	623			623	743	1070		898,961,1004		
657	An Act to amend section 31 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto," approved March 29, 1872, and Acts amendatory thereto, title as amended by Act approved March 28, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved May 11, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.....										
658	An Act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty-five (25), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), and to repeal section thirty-one (31) of an Act entitled, "An Act for the protection of game, wild fowl and birds, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved April 28, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, as amended by an Act approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905, as further amended by an Act approved May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.....	626	626	709	731	802	930		899	950	1099
		627			627	719	896		809,1250	896	1222

659	An Act to amend section 1 and 10 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the creation by popular vote of anti-saloon territory within which the sale of intoxicating liquor and the licensing of such sale shall be prohibited, and for the abolition, by like means, of territory so created," approved May 16, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.....	628	.....	628	783	901	744,858	901	.....
660	An Act prescribing the method under which any city, village or other municipal corporation may issue bonds or other evidences of municipal indebtedness.....	634	.....	634	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
661	An Act concerning baggage and excess baggage; prescribing the duties of common carriers in reference thereto and fixing their maximum charges for transporting the same; defining certain offenses and fixing the punishment therefor, and repeal all conflicting laws.....	635	.....	635	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
662	An Act to amend sections nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and thirteen (13) of article II of an Act entitled, "An Act regulating the holding of elections and declaring the results thereof in cities, villages and incorporated towns in this State," approved June 19th, 1885, in force July 1, 1885.....	635	.....	635	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
663	An Act to amend section one (1) of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for annexing and excluding territory to and from cities, towns and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, as amended by an Act approved May 10, 1901, in force July 1, 1901.....	635	635

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading	Second reading....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
664	An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other States and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict herewith	635									
665	An Act to revise the law in relation to the municipal court of Chicago	635	635								
666	An Act to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 7 and 14 of an Act entitled, "An Act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and uniform rules regulating the use and speed thereof, and repealing an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the speed of automobiles and other horseless conveyances upon the public streets, roads and highways of the State of Illinois,' approved May 13, 1903, in force July 1, 1903, and to repeal all other Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith," filed May 28, 1907, in force July 1, 1907	635	635	771	826	833	879		856	879	1099

- 667 An Act to amend section 1 and section 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act to create a board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund; to provide and distribute such fund for the pensioning of disabled firemen, and the widows and minor children of deceased firemen; to authorize the retirement from service and pensioning of members of the fire department, and for other purposes connected therewith, in cities, villages or incorporated towns, whose population exceeds five thousand inhabitants, having a paid fire department," approved May 13, 1887, in force July 1, 1887..... 641
- 668 An Act making appropriation for the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7,500.00) dollars, for the construction and erection of a monument in the city of Jacksonville in honor of the memory of the late Richard Yates, Ex-Governor and Ex-United States Senator, of the State of Illinois..... 630
- 669 An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employees in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops, in this State, and to provide for the enforcement thereof..... 661
- 670 An Act amending section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes," approved March 30th, 1872, in force July 1st, 1872..... 661
- 671 An Act to prohibit certain classes of medical advertising and to provide punishment for the violation thereof..... 669

641	743	875	843	875	1079
630	830	1005
661	820	927	856	927
661	837	976	988, 1274	976	1221
669	802	1074	898

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report
681	An Act to amend section seventy-six (76) of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning local improvement," approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897.....	694	694	1001	1048						
682	An Act to authorize the levy of an annual tax in cities, villages and incorporated towns, to pay benefits, assessed upon or to be paid by such city, village or incorporated town, for the making of local improvements and lawful expenses incident thereto.....	694	694	1001	1048						
683	An Act to make an appropriation to enable the State to comply with the laws of the United States in relation to the navigability of the Chicago river.....	702	702	921	922	946	1024		1003	1024	1267
684	An Act to make additional appropriation to carry out the provisions of "An Act creating a commission and providing for the acquisition of land for the relocation of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals, and for the building of a new Illinois State Penitentiary and a new Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals at or near the city of Joliet, and making an appropriation therefor.....	702	702								

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee.....	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report
694	An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about the coal mines, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as assistant mine managers and night bosses, and providing for penalties for the violation of the same.....	724	724								
695	An Act to provide for holding county teachers' institutes.....	724	724								
696	An Act creating a commission and providing for the construction, use and control of a building for the use of the Illinois State Historical Library, the Illinois State Historical Society and other historical purposes and for securing a site and making an appropriation for such building and site.....	724	724								
697	An Act to provide for the appointment of assistant states' attorneys and to fix the duties and compensation thereof.....	724	724	792	820	836	929		857	929	1224
698	An Act to provide for the certification of teachers.....	724	724								

699	An Act to provide for the expenses of the committee authorized to be appointed under House Joint Resolution No. 20, adopted by the House April 14, 1909, and concurred in by the Senate with amendments May 5, 1909, and finally approved by the House May 7, 1909, to investigate into the reliability, efficiency and necessity of adopting the tuberculin test in the State of Illinois and for other purposes and making an appropriation of \$10,000 therefor.....	729	729	773	729	804	863	836	863	1223
700	An Act to amend section forty-two (42) of an act entitled: "An Act concerning local improvements," approved June 14, 1897, and as amended by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903.....	729	729	1002						
701	An Act to amend section forty-two (42) of article III of an act entitled: "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools," approved May 21, 1889, and in force May 21, 1889, as heretofore amended.....	730	730	793	836	850	1062	938	1062	1181
702	An Act making an appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies of the State of Illinois.....	730	730							
703	An Act to amend section seven (7) of an Act entitled: "An Act to revise the law in relation to plats," approved March 21, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, and to add thereto a new section to be known as section 7A.....	730	730	943						
704	An Act making an appropriation for the payment of the officers and members of the next General Assembly, and for salaries of the officers of the State government...	749	749	772	749	804	862	856	862	1180

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred	Report of committee	First reading	Second reading ..	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report
705	An Act to amend section 8 of an Act entitled: "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an Act therein named," in force July 1, 1899.....	756	756								
706	An Act requiring carriers of freight to provide and maintain side-tracks and connections for lateral branch railroad and shippers and receivers of freight.....	756			756	837	951		857	951	1298
707	"An Act to amend section 65 of 'An Act concerning local improvements,' approved June 14, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved and in force May 9, 1901.....	758	758	1032							
708	An Act entitled: "An Act that no action for breach of promise to marry shall be maintained, unless the promise is in writing,"...	759	759	912				912			
709	An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled: "An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations," approved May 14, 1903, and in force July 1, 1903	769	769	794	837	888			1005		
710	An Act in relation to the local self-government of the city of Chicago, and for the regulation of Sunday observance in the said city of Chicago.....	769	769								

711	An Act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to pay for the services and expenses of the commission appointed under and pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, to obtain information and report to the General Assembly their judgment as to the advisability of enacting a law regulating fire insurance rates in this State and to pay for other expenses connected with their investigation, and extending the time for the report of said commission	769	769	941	942	980	1015	1003	1015	1267
712	An Act entitled: "An Act to establish terms of circuit court for Jefferson county,"	769	769	.....	769	822	963	898	963	1069
713	An Act entitled: "An Act relating to the conduct of hotels, inns and public lodging houses,"	771	.....	.....	771	837	972	898	972	.....
714	An Act to amend section 37 of an Act entitled: "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts and to provide for the practice thereof to fix the time for holding the same and repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by an Act entitled: "An Act to amend sections 37, 74, and 101 of an Act entitled: "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same and to repeal an act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, approved May 23, 1883, in force July 1, 1883	780	780	822	962	898	962	1267

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee	First reading	Second reading ...	Third reading	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
715	An Act to create a Waterway Commission for the State of Illinois, prescribing the duties and powers thereof, and providing for the construction of a deep waterway in cooperation with the United States of America, by way of the channel of the Sanitary District of Chicago and the Des-plaines and Illinois rivers, and for the development of water power and other utilities incidental to the deep waterway, making an appropriation therefor, and for other purposes, incidental thereto										
716	An Act to amend section 23 of "An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Desplaines and Illinois rivers," approved May 29, 1889, in force July 1, 1889, as amended by an Act of June 10, 1895, in force July 1, 1895, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1897, in force July 1, 1897, as amended by an Act approved May 13, 1906, in force July 1, 1906, as amended by an Act approved and in force February 27, 1907, as amended by an Act approved May 25, 1907, in force July 1, 1907.....	795	1078		795						

717	An Act to amend section 3 of an Act entitled: "An Act concerning suits at law for personal injuries and against cities, villages and towns," approved May 13, 1905, in force July 1, 1905.....	803	803	885	964	889	964
718	An Act to provide for the labeling or stamping of all soles of shoes with labels or stamps, correctly and truthfully, specifying the name or names of the material of which said soles are composed, in all cases where said material is anything other than leather made from the cured and tanned skins of animals; and providing penalties for a failure to comply with the provisions thereof.....	809	809				
719	An Act to establish the Mining Investigation Commission of the State of Illinois, and prescribing its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor.....	813	813	921	813	940	1015
720	An Act making it unlawful for any persons who are not citizens of the United States of America to operate, conduct or run, or to be in any way financially interested in, as stockholders, owners, partners, or otherwise, any saloon, dram-shop, or other place of business in which, under the law, a license is required by law to operate, conduct, or run same; rendering null and void any license hereafter issued to a person not a citizen of the United States of America, to operate, conduct or run any saloon, dram-shop, or other place of business in which, under the law, a license is required by law; and providing penalties for violations of the provisions hereof.....	818	818				
						939, 1109	1105
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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee	First reading	Second reading ...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Senate report.....
721	An Act to amend section ninety-one (91) of an Act entitled: "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of county courts, and to provide for the practice thereof, to fix the time for holding the same, and to repeal an Act therein named," approved March 26, 1874, in force July 1, 1874, as amended by Act approved March 29, 1875, in force July 1, 1875.....	818	.....	.....	818	887	1026	.....	1004	1026	1296
722	An Act to allow children of twelve years of age or over to take part and be employed in dramatic or theatrical performances or rehearsals for the same, to regulate the same and to provide for the punishment for violation of this Act.....	819	.....	.....	819	885	1041	.....	900	.....	.....
723	An Act making appropriations for the State charitable institutions herein named.....	832	.....	.....	832	846	876	.....	857, 1227, 1273, 1338, 1343	876	1174
724	An Act making an appropriation for the ordinary and other expenses of the State charitable institutions herein named.....	832	.....	.....	832	847	874	.....	856, 1227, 1350, 1355, 1359,	874	1172
725	An Act making appropriations for one Colony for Insane Epileptics.	833	.....	.....	833	847	877	.....	1380 856, 1273	877	.....
726	An Act to define personal property brokers and regulate their charges and business.....	854	.....	.....	854	1002	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

727	An Act to repeal, set aside, cancel, determine and annul all of the rights, privileges, franchises and easements of 'The Chicago Dock and Canal Company' as conferred upon it by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled, "An Act to incorporate a company for the improvement by canals and harbors of the east part of Kenzie's addition to the city of Chicago," approved February 12, 1857.	855	914	975	938	975	
728	An Act to amend section twelve (12) of an Act entitled, "An Act to create sanitary districts and to remove obstructions in the Des Plaines and Illinois rivers," approved May 29, 1889.	855	855	973	995	1077	1094
729	An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled: "An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands to those bordering on navigable bodies of water," approved June 24, 1895, as amended by an Act approved April 22, 1899, in force July 1, 1899.	855	855	1003			
730	An Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Government until the expiration of the fiscal quarter after the adjournment of the next regular session of the General Assembly.	877			877	918	1082
							999, 1018, 1211, 1274, 1354, 1358.
							1207
731	An Act to amend sections 1, 2, 8, 14, 16, 17, 28, 29, 30, 48, 48a, 49, 56, 57, 58, 61, 63 and 64 of "An Act in relation to a municipal court in the city of Chicago," approved May 18, 1905, in force July 1, 1905; submitted to the voters of the city of Chicago at the election held November 7, 1905 and adopted as amended by an Act approved June 3, 1907, adopted at the election held September 17, 1907.	882			882	985	1071
							1003, 1315
							1218

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Introduced.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Senate report.....
732	An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages, under an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872.....	885			885	982	1067		1019	1067	1268
733	An Act relating to pimping, defining and prohibiting the same, and providing for the punishment thereof and for the competency of certain evidence at the trial thereof.....	914			914	1077					
734	An Act to provide for an additional circuit judge in the third district of the State of Illinois...	916			916	984			1019		
735	An Act to authorize and empower certain cities, villages and organized towns to reclaim certain submerged lands under the public waters of the State of Illinois, and settle the boundary line and establish and maintain parks thereon.....	926	926								
736	An Act to create a State Board of Education and to define its powers and duties.....	949	949	1003				1003			
737	An Act to amend section 1 of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the labor of the convicts of the penitentiary of the State," approved March 25, 1874, in force July 1, 1874.....	981			981	1044	1069		1065, 1263, 1264, 1277	1069	1254

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading.....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
1	An Act making an appropriation for the payment of employes of the 46th General Assembly.....	30			31	67	71			71	
2	An Act to provide for the incidental expenses of the 46th General Assembly.....	30			31	67	71			71	
5	An Act to establish a Legislative Aid Department of the State government and to appropriate money therefor.....	892	894	1192	894	1192		1193			
9	An Act to amend section seventeen (17) of an act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to promissory notes".....	229	245	340	245	524	603	524	539, 603	603	
10	An Act to "amend section 136 of an act entitled, "An Act to authorize county boards in counties under township organization to organize certain territory situated therein as a town".....	229	245	401	245				414		
11	An Act to amend sections 120, 121 and 122 of "An Act in relation to practice and procedure in courts of record".....	220	245	660	245	753	1155		1104, 1117, 1269	1155	
12	An Act to amend section one (1) of "An Act to provide for and fix the compensation of the members of the General Assembly".....	30			31	84	98			98	
15	An Act to prohibit secret fraternities and societies from being formed in the public schools of this State.....	334	436	1077	436	1121					
16	An Act for the relief of the suffering and destitute people of southern Italy and Sicily.....	31			31	68	72			72	
19	An Act in relation to courts.....	924									
20	An Act to amend section 72 of an act entitled, "An Act in regard to the administration of estates".....	304	435	515	435	577					

21	An Act to extend the jurisdiction of probate and county courts.....	306	435	934	435	.....	934	.....	.....
22	An Act to amend section 13 of "An Act in regard to wills".....	647	750	933	750	1105	1285	.....	1295
24	An Act to amend sections 74 and 75 of an act entitled, "An Act in regard to the administration of estates, one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for purchase of portrait of Patrick Henry....."	496	575	934	575	1121	1229	.....	1229
27	An Act to appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for purchase of portrait of Patrick Henry.....	821	852	1073	852	1073	1181	.....	1181
28	An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal and charitable corporations in the use of their names and emblems, and providing penalties for violations thereof.....	455	522	598	522	774	.....	.....	.....
32	An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization.....	955	994	1083	994	1197	.....	.....	.....
37	An Act making an appropriation for the payment of committee expenses of the 46th General Assembly.....	201	.....	.....	201	213	223	.....	223
38	An Act making an appropriation for the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Kenesaw, Mountain, Ga.....	1025	1101	1158	1101	.....	1158	.....	.....
40	An Act entitled, "An Act to declare unlawful the filing for record of real estate deeds or conveyances of real estate where the same has been sold for taxes".....	229	259	598	246	987	.....	.....	.....
42	An Act to amend an act entitled, "An Act to provide for the establishment of an Insurance Department and the appointment of an Insurance Superintendent".....	213	245	400	245	480	533	.....	533
43	An Act to provide for testing the sight and hearing of pupils in public schools, and making an appropriation therefor.....	377	435	497	435	577	687	.....	.....
44	An Act to amend an act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto".....	632	750	772	750	890	1297	.....	1297
47	An Act to provide for the fees of county clerks in counties of the first and second class, and to provide for the payment of the same.....	392	478	788	478	1194	.....	1198	.....
48	An Act to amend an act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime".....	507	557	568	557	600	672	672

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading.....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
49	An Act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to township insurance companies".....	527	576	625	576	683	714	.....	.....	714	.....
50	An Act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An Act to provide for the burial of deceased, indigent or friendless soldiers, sailors or marines of the late Civil War, the Spanish-American War, the Philippine insurrection and the Boxer uprising in China or their mothers, wives or widows".....	412	478	.....	478	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
53	An Act in relation to consolidation and reinsurance by life insurance companies.....	213	245	400	245	480	798	.....	.....	798	.....
56	An Act making an appropriation to meet the deficiency in the expenses for returning fugitives from justice.....	893	893	941	893	1046	1164	.....	.....	1164	.....
57	An Act creating the office of State Fire Marshal.....	1036	1103	1161	1103	1193	1258	.....	.....	1258	.....
58	An Act defining and regulating express companies operating within the State of Illinois.....	704	808	.....	808	.....	.....	.....	.....	1258	.....
60	An Act to insure greater safety to lives of the traveling public, and prescribing the number of employees to be used in the operation of passenger and freight trains.....	596	750	.....	750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
61	An Act to insure greater safety to the lives of the traveling public and limiting the hours of service.....	845	990	.....	990	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
62	An Act to regulate the size and manner of construction of all caboose cars.....	377	434	660	434	754	1310	.....	.....	1310	.....

66	An Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled: "An act for the protection of passengers on railroads and steam boats".....	392	.....	.....	523	577	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
68	An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois State Bee Keepers' association.....	805	847	921	847	922	1165	.....	.....	1165	.....	.....
69	An Act providing for the appointment of a State inspector of apiaries.....	632	751	941	751	.....	.....	941	.....	.....	.....	.....
70	An Act concerning larceny and embezzlement of funds and property of fraternal beneficiary societies.....	392	478	792	478	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
77	An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to give circuit courts, in term time, and judges thereof in vacation, concurrent jurisdiction with the county courts in all matters pertaining to the organization of farm drainage districts".....	334	435	792	435	1118	1254	.....	1153, 1255	1254	.....	.....
88	An Act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a pension fund of municipal employes.....	704	808	.....	808	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
91	An Act to prohibit the killing, interfering with or injuring carrier pigeons and to provide punishment for the violation thereof.....	220	259	305	245	480	1326	.....	.....	1326	.....	.....
94	An Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled: "An Act to provide for the fees of certain officers therein named in counties of the third class".....	220	.....	.....	245	320	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
96	An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools.....	229	.....	458	283	917	1149	.....	927, 1050, 1066, 1270	1149	.....	.....
98	An Act to provide for the organization and government of certain cities and villages.....	704	808	.....	808	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
99	An Act in regard to the administration of estates of persons presumed to be dead.....	321	435	623	435	1120	.....	.....	1153	.....	.....	.....
106	An Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled: "An Act to promote the safety of employes and travelers upon railroads".....	925	.....	.....	993	1117	1320	.....	.....	1320	.....	.....
113	An Act to revise the law in relation to the protection of fish in all the waters under the jurisdiction of the State of Illinois.....	805	853	889	853	968	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
120	An Act to amend an act entitled: "An Act to incorporate and to govern fire, marine and inland navigation insurance companies".....	927	993	1160	993	1193	1212	1212

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
121	An Act to provide for the inspection and licensing of all slaughtering, meat packing or rendering plant or plants.....	805	853		853						
136	An Act in relation to adulteration and deception in the manufacture and sale of spirits of turpentine.....	925	995	1082	995				1329		
139	An Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act to enable cities and villages to establish and maintain public tuberculosis sanitariums.....	217	217		217	222	263		270	263	
143	An Act to repeal an act entitled: "An Act defining who may become delegates or who shall have any voice in the management or legislate for any fraternal insurance society doing business in the State of Illinois".....	558	661	683	661	752					
145	An Act to regulate the practice of dental surgery and dentistry in the State of Illinois, and to repeal certain acts therein named.....	496	576	639	576		1156		822, 909, 1272	1156	
147	An Act to amend section eleven of an act entitled: "An Act organizing and regulating county fire insurance companies".....	429	478		478						
148	An Act in regard to the administration of estates.....	334	435	935	435			935			
149	An Act to amend an act entitled: "An Act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto".....	472			522						
	An Act to amend section 276 of an act entitled: "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and the collection of taxes".....	377	435	542	435	577					

154	An Act to amend section 121 of an act entitled: "An Act for the assessment of property and for the levy and collection of taxes".....	412	522	542	522	577	1327			1327
159	An Act to provide for the sale of the Kaskaskia commons.....	704	809	1002	809	1143	1323		1153, 1353, 1382	1354
160	An act to prohibit the sale of mixed or blended grades of coal.....	596	750		750					
167	An Act to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled: "An Act to secure the enforcement of the law for the prevention of cruelty to animals".....	1064	1102		1102					
169	An Act to provide for the purchase of a safe for the Insurance Department, and making an appropriation therefor.....	429	479	542	479	577	668			668
172	An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for transportation of passengers and freights on railroads".....	924	993	1031	993	1121	1231			
173	An Act to render valid the ascertainment heretofore made by any of the probate courts of this State and declaring the heirship of deceased persons leaving property.....	632	750	792	750	888	1257			1257
174	An Act to render valid all conveyances or other instruments affecting or relating to the title to real or personal property.....	473	522	788	522		1202		910, 1122, 1272	1202
175	An Act entitled "An Act in relation to fire insurance".....	805	853	1161	853	1197				
176	An Act to amend section 1 of an act to divide the State of Illinois, exclusive of the county of Cook, into judicial circuits.....	229	246	275	246	276			231, 328, 387	
185	An Act to amend sections 3, 4 and 8 of an act entitled "An Act to provide for the creation of pleasure driveways and park districts".....	507	576	818	576					
186	An Act to amend section 3 of article 2 of "An Act to establish a military and naval code for the State of Illinois".....	305	435		435					
187	An Act to amend "An Act for the protection of game and wild fowl and birds" and to repeal certain acts relating thereto.....	334	436	562	436	986		1051, 1078, 1146, 1197, 1198		
188	An Act to amend section 6 of "An Act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in the State of Illinois".....	354	434		434					

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
189	An Act to amend section 11 of "An Act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Illinois".....	377	436	.....	436	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
190	An Act to amend paragraph 7 of section 14 of "An Act to regulate public warehouses, and the warehousing and inspection of grain".....	392	479	.....	479	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
191	An Act to amend "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois".....	429	479	.....	479	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
192	An Act to amend section 11 of "An Act to create and establish a Board of Health in the State of Illinois".....	455	522	.....	522	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
193	An Act to amend section 12 of "An Act relating to employment offices and agencies".....	473	523	.....	523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
195	An Act to amend section 21 of an act entitled "An Act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization".....	455	523	.....	523	577	1006	.....	.....	1006	.....
196	An Act to amend section 4 of "An Act creating the Illinois Farmers' Institute".....	806	.....	.....	.....	962	1147	.....	894	1147	.....
197	An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Farmers' Institute and county farmers' institutes.....	955	.....	.....	.....	1017	1161	.....	1066, 1272	1161	.....
213	An Act to amend section one of article V of "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages," approved April 10th, 1872.....	892	991	1016	936	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
214	An Act to regulate the practice of Osteopathy in the State of Illinois.....	377	434	434	579	906	774, 906

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported.....	Referred.....	Report of committee.....	First reading.....	Second reading...	Third reading....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
242	An Act to amend an act entitled, "An Act to authorize cities of 100,000 population and under to construct outlet sewers, reservoirs, pumping works and machinery, and maintain and keep in repair the same, the cost thereof to be defrayed by special assessment or special taxation".....	527	576	1033	576	1105	1151	1151		1151	
243	An Act entitled, "An Act to punish persons for wilful injury to lines, poles and other apparatus in transmitting or carrying electric currents or messages".....	430	514	796	479	1156	1202	1202		1202	
244	An Act to amend section 14 of an act in regard to roads and bridges in counties under township organization	527	576	756	576	803	1304	1304		1304	
245	An Act to authorize circuit courts to transfer to county courts appeals from justices of the peace.....	596	750	935	750			935			
246	An Act to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An Act to provide for scholarships in the University of Illinois".....	473	523		523						
248	An Act to amend section 2 of an act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to the commitment and detention of lunatics".....	596	750	934	750	1195					
249	An Act to make compulsory the prevention of procreation of confirmed criminals, idiots and imbeciles and to provide a means for carrying out the purposes of this act.....	596			749						
250	An Act to amend section 16 of an act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time for holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits	430	479		479	523	560	560		560	

251	An Act to amend An Act to provide for the safety of persons employed in and about coal mines, and to provide for the examination of persons seeking employment as coal miners, and to prevent the employment of incompetent persons as miners, and providing penalties for the violation of the same.	540	629	802	958	958	
253	An Act to make an appropriation for the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association.....	892	893				
260	An Act to amend an act to revise the law in relation to the sentence and commitment of persons convicted of crime, and providing for a system of parole, and to provide compensation for the officers of said system of parole.....	633	751				
261	An Act to amend an act to create a State Board of Pardons, and to regulate the manner of applying for pardons and commutations.....	806	853				
262	An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Penitentiary.....	892	893	1044	1168	1168	
265	An Act to amend section 10 of an act entitled, "An Act in regard to wills".....	925	992	1122	1224	1224	
266	An Act to amend section 19 of an act entitled, "An Act in regard to the administration of estates".....	806	853	985	1217	1217	
269	An Act to enable courts of law to grant relief against fraud.....	496	576		985		
272	An Act to provide for the adoption and use of school text books in the free public schools of this State.....	806	853	1188	1311	1311	
273	An Act to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled, "An Act to enable cities, towns and villages organized under any general or special law to levy and collect a tax or license fee from foreign fire insurance companies for the benefit of organized fire departments".....	955	993	1190	1225	1225	
274	An Act to enable park commissioners or park authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets and to pay for the improvement thereof.....	559	661	751	825	825	

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No. of Bill.....	Title of Bill.	Reported.....	Referred.....	Report of com- mittee.....	First reading.....	Second reading.....	Third reading.....	Tabled.....	Other Proceedings.	Passed.....	Enrolled.....
275	An Act to enable park commissioners or corporate authorities to take, regulate, control and improve public streets leading to public parks; to pay for the improvement thereof, and in that behalf to make and collect a special assessment, or special tax on contiguous property.....	559	661	665	661	752	826	826		826	
280	An Act to regulate the public service of stallions in Illinois.....	806			853	915	1167			1340	
281	An Act for the regulation of pawn-brokers.....	527	576	682	576	840	1321			1321	
284	An Act providing for the sale to the Illinois Steel Company of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands.....	821	939	1158	939	1187	1226			1226	
286	An Act concerning corporations organized for profit in this State and in other states and doing business in Illinois, and to repeal all laws now existing which conflict therewith.....	1063	1101	1155	1101	1187	1214			1214	
305	An Act to provide for judges of circuit courts and judges of the superior court of Cook county holding court in the several circuits of the State and Cook county by order of the supreme court or any judge thereof.....	455	523	623	523	841	1300		841, 1006	1300	
306	An Act granting certain lands in the city of Evanston and the title of certain submerged lands adjoining said city.....	559	661	1158	661			1158			
312	An Act to amend section 61 of an act entitled "An Act to revise the law in relation to counties".....	906			992	1076	1200			1200	
313	An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act in regard to practice in courts of record".....	633	808	916	808	985	1275		1049		

314	An Act to create a traveling tuberculous exhibit commission, to define its powers and duties and to make an appropriation therefor.....	1035	1039	1156	1039	1156			
323	An Act to amend section 166½ of an act entitled "An Act to revise the law in relation to criminal jurisprudence".....	497	576	791	576	791			
326	An Act to make appropriation for ordinary and other expenses of the Illinois State Reformatory at Pontiac.....	924	943	1073	943	1073	1183		1183
327	An Act to create a board of trustees of the Department of Electricity pension fund.....	430	480, 1078	768	480				
330	An Act to amend section 8 of "An Act in regard to wills".....	1067	1078	1159	1078	1194			
331	An Act concerning limitations of interest in property.....	1067	1078	1159	1078	1195			
332	An Act to authorize corporations organized to do the business of accident insurance on the assessment plan to amend their certificates of incorporation so as to include among their corporate powers the authority to insure against disability resulting from sickness.....	553	749	793	749	841	1163	909, 987	1163
337	An Act making an appropriation for the State Board of Agriculture and county and other agricultural fairs.....	955	956	1045	956	1075	1181	1092, 1269	1181
338	An Act to amend sections 5, 9, 13, 15, 16, 17 and 17½, 18, 26½, 37, 42, 55 and 59 and to repeal sections 19, 20, 21 and 22 and to add two new sections to be known as 17a and 17b. To an act entitled "An Act to revise and amend an Act, and certain sections thereof, entitled an Act to provide for the construction, reparation and protection of drains, ditches and levees across the lands of others for agricultural, sanitary and mining purposes, and to provide for the organization of drainage districts".....	597	676	689	676	737	817		817
345	An Act making an appropriation to provide for a deficiency in the ordinary and contingent expenses of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners..	893	893	941	893	1046	1179		1179
348	An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an act therein named".....	559		911	692	1050			

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No. of Bill	Title of Bill.	Reported	Referred	Report of committee.	First reading	Second reading	Third reading	Tabled	Other Proceedings.	Passed	Enrolled
350	An Act to provide for the protection of water for domestic use from pollution, and to provide for its purification.	955			995	1147			1153		
351	An Act to amend section two of an act entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois and to repeal an act therein named."	775	808	911	808		1308		1050, 1038		
352	An Act in relation to the disposition of unclaimed deposits in banks and trust companies of this State.	925	992	1080	992						
355	An Act making appropriations for the Southern Illinois Penitentiary, at Chester.	924	943	1045	943	1046	1183			1183	
357	An Act to revise the law in relation to the suppression and prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases among domestic animals.	906	991		991	1188	1201		1105	1201	
358	An Act to provide for the creation and management of Forest Preserve Districts, and repealing a certain act therein named.	906	992	1035	992	1105	1213			1213	
359	An Act concerning sinking funds.	806	854	1033	854	1119	1313		1119, 1153, 1323	1313	
360	An Act to create a State Board of Education to define its powers and duties.	1065	1102		1102						
362	An Act to amend section one of an act entitled "An Act in regard to mills and millers and dams for mills and other machinery and navigation."	906	991	1081	991	1196		1197			
364	An Act relating to private employment agencies and to repeal parts of a certain act relating thereto.	596	804	819	750	1126	1321			1321	

367	An Act authorizing and empowering fraternal beneficiary societies now organized, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, or any such society organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of any other state, province or territory, and now or hereafter admitted to do business within this state, to create, maintain, and operate for the benefit of its sick, disabled or distressed members and their families and dependents, hospitals, asylums and sanitariums.	472	523	584	523	607	636	636	
368	An Act to amend section 19 of "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto."	806	854		854				
370	An Act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An Act relating to nurses and providing for their registration."	1025	1101		1101				
371	An Act making an appropriation for the purchase of real estate adjacent and contiguous to the homestead of Abraham Lincoln.	806	847	1157	847		1157		
373	An Act to amend section 3 of an act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to marriages."	596	749	791	749	1195			
374	An Act to amend an act entitled, "An Act to establish appellate courts."	1026	1101		1101				
375	An Act to amend an act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to the State library."	704	808	881	808	918	1150	1150	
376	An Act in relation to tax deeds.	653	751	911	751	1142	1328		
377	An Act providing for the appointment of park commissioners and repealing certain portions of "An Act authorizing townships to issue bonds for park purposes and providing for the payment thereof."	806	854	913	854	987	1165	1165	
380	An Act to provide for the examination and licensing of surveyors and regulating the practice of surveying.	559	629		629				
385	An Act to provide for the health, safety and comfort of employees in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops in this State.	675	751	849	751	1104	1155	1117 1268	1155

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387	An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act relating to the powers, duties and property of telephone companies,"	821	832	963	852	1196		1196			
389	An Act to revise the law in relation to weights and measures and to repeal a certain Act therein named				852	1120	1322				
390	An Act to extend the powers of the city council in cities, and presidents and board of trustees in villages and incorporated towns	821	853	1033	853	1120	1319			1319	
392	An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to coroners"	647			680	823	1211			1211	
393	An Act to amend section 4 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning land titles," approved and in force May 1, 1897	596	749	796	749	1119	1325			1325	
394	An Act to amend section 202, article 8, of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools"	1065	1102		1102						
396	An Act for the sale to the Iroquois Iron Co. of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands	821	939	1158	939	1187	1228			1228	
401	An Act in reference to proof of disputed handwritings	647	750	934	750	1046	1152			1152	
402	An Act to amend section 2 of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish appellate courts"	675	751	934	751	1120					
407	An Act to regulate the manufacture, handling and storage of dangerous explosives	821	853	1082	853						

411	An Act to amend section 22 of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to coal mines and subjects relating thereto, and providing for the health and safety of persons employed therein".....	892	991	991	1265	1265	1167	1163	1215
414	An Act to amend sections 2, 3 and 6 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the creation of art commissions in cities and define their powers".....	925	994	1063	1122	1265	1167	1163	1215
415	An Act to create a State art commission and to define its powers and duties.....	704	809, 858	906	1048	1167	1167	1163	1215
419	An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, "An Act to authorize cities, incorporated towns and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms".....	647	751	1033	1117	1163	1167	1163	1215
421	An Act to amend sections 32, 33 and 37 of an Act entitled, "An Act in regard to elections, and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices".....	925	994	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
425	An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to enable cities and villages to establish and regulate cemeteries".....	955	995	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
426	An Act to amend "An Act providing for the protection and safety of persons in and about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts and other structures, and to provide for the enforcement thereof".....	1026	1101	1159	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
428	An Act to appropriate \$15,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of paying for additional improvements for and in connection with the construction of the 7th Infantry, I. N. G. Armory, situated in the city of Chicago.....	1036	1039	1157	1159	1215

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431	An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the State charitable institutions and the State reform school, and to improve their organization and increase their efficiency".....	705	809	928	809	983	1306	1306
433	An Act providing for a system of probation, for the appointment and compensation of probation officers, and authorizing the suspension of final judgment and the imposition of sentence upon persons found guilty of certain defined crimes and offenses and legalizing their ultimate discharge without punishment.....	806	854	981	854	1195	1322	.....	1198	.....	.....
435	An Act to provide for the better protection and safety of employes in foundries where castings of any metallic nature are manufactured.....	1063	1102	.....	1102	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
436	An Act to amend section 8 of an Act to revise the law in relation to landlord and tenant.....	892	991	1081	991	1198	1225	.....	.....	1225	.....
438	An Act to protect the health of domestic animals in the State of Illinois, and making an appropriation therefor.....	1054	1102	.....	1102	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

442	An Act to amend section 39 of an Act entitled "An Act to prevent fraud in the sale of dairy products, their imitation or substitutes, to prohibit and prevent the manufacture and sale of unhealthful, adulterated or misbranded food, liquors or dairy products to provide for the appointment of a State food commissioner and his assistants to define their powers and duties and to repeal all Acts relating to the production, manufacture and sale of dairy and food products and liquors in conflict herewith	821	.....	.....	847	968	1148	.....	1148	.....
443	An Act concerning the election and powers of trustees in villages and incorporated towns organized and existing under special Acts	633	.....	.....	691	752	1310	.....	1310	.....
444	An Act to amend section 18 of an Act amending an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages"	955	.....	992	992	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
446	An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Illinois, and to repeal an Act therein named"	1026	.....	.....	1102	1193	.....	.....	.....	.....
448	An Act to revise the laws relating to charities and corrections	926	995	1122	995	1122	1187	.....	1187	.....
449	An Act making an appropriation for employés of the Forty-sixth General Assembly	632	.....	.....	662	668	760	.....	760	.....
452	An Act to amend section 12 of "An Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding the same in the several counties in the judicial circuits"	1036	1102	.....	1102	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
456	An Act to create a bureau of labor statistics and statistical details of manufacturing industries and commerce of the State, and to provide for a board of commissioners and secretary, and repealing certain acts therein named	1083	1103	1157	1103	1159	1214	1214

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457	An Act to amend section 26 of "An Act entitled 'An Act to revise the law in relation to counties'....."	925	992	1027	992	1119	1226			1226	
463	An Act to amend sections 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An Act to provide for the visitation of children placed in family homes."	1026	1100	1142	1100	1196	1256			1256	
465	An Act to provide for the construction of a deep waterway or canal from the water power plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago at or near Lockport, to a point in the Illinois river at or near Utica.	874	990	1190	990	1190	1203		1258, 1309, 1328, 1335, 1385, 1386	1203	
466	An Act to provide, in counties of the third class, for the licensing of court reporters and to regulate the practice of court reporting.	1086			1100	1196					
472	An Act making an appropriation for the Illinois Dairymen's Association.	892	893		893						
474	An Act to amend section 31 of an act entitled "An act concerning fees and salaries, and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto."	906	991		991						
476	An Act requiring cities and villages to submit any ordinance authorizing the issue of bonds or other obligations, except to refund any existing bonded indebtedness to the voters of any such city or village.	1064	1103	1186	1103	1189	1296		1198	1296	

477	An Act to amend sections 29 and 30 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the holding of primary elections, by political parties,"	925	994		994				
479	An Act concerning the property of extinct churches, parishes and religious societies	806	854	911	854	1005	1151		1151
482	An Act to amend sections 5 and 40 of article 3, section 8 of article 6 and section 1 of article 8 (as heretofore amended) of an Act entitled, "An Act to establish and maintain a system of free schools,"	907	991		991				
486	An Act to amend section 42 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning local improvements,"	1063	1102		1102				
487	An Act to amend section 36 of an Act entitled, "An Act to revise the law in relation to the partition of real estate,"	892	990		990				
488	An Act to amend section 76 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning local improvements,"	924	992		992				
489	An Act to authorize the levy of an annual tax in cities, villages and incorporated towns, to pay benefits, assessed upon or to be paid by such city, village or incorporated town for the making of local improvements, and lawful expenses incident thereto	1063	1103		1103				
490	An Act making an appropriation for county fairs or other agricultural societies	955	957	1025	957	1047	1161	1272	1161
493	An Act to provide for the certification of teachers	1065	1103		1103				
494	An Act to amend section 27 of an Act entitled, "An Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this State with reference thereto,"	1036							1103

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497	An Act to regulate and limit the hours of employment of females in any mechanical establishment, or factory or laundry in order to safeguard the health of such employed; to provide for its enforcement and a penalty for its violation.....	955	992	1080	992	1188	1263			1263	
498	An Act to tax gifts, legacies, inheritances, transfers, appointments and interest in certain cases, and to provide for the collection of the same, and repealing certain acts herein named.....	892	993	1080	993	1119	1333			1333	
501	An Act making an appropriation for the State Educational Institutions herein named.....	501	894	1048	894	1074	1160		1092, 1222, 1273, 1276, 1330	1160	
502	An Act to amend section 9 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts, and to fix the time for holding same in the several counties in the judicial circuits of the State of Illinois, exclusive of Cook county....."	907	990	1052	990	1105	1149			1149	
503	An Act to establish terms of circuit court for Jefferson county..	955			993						
504	An Act to amend section 14 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act concerning circuit courts and to fix the time of holding same".....	925	994		994						

507	An Act to provide for the commitment and detention of idiots, imbeciles and persons of feeble mind	907	990	1158	990	1136	1159	1178	1216
508	An Act to amend section 6 of an Act entitled "An Act relating to the transaction of the business of life insurance in the State of Illinois"	956	994	1160	994	1194	1326	1326	
511	An Act to amend section 133 of an Act in regard to elections and to provide for filling vacancies in elective offices	1067	1101		1101				
512	An Act to amend section 5 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the organization, ownership, management and control of cemetery associations"	956	994	1029	994	1121	1264	1299	
514	An Act providing for the establishment of a State probation commission	955	993	1081	993				
515	An Act to enable cities and villages to purchase, construct or enlarge water works, to provide for the management thereof, and giving them authority to levy an additional tax for the creation of a fund for such purchase	956	992		992				
516	An Act granting the right, power and authority to The Chicago Exposition and Recreation Pier Company, (incorporated) and its successors, to construct, maintain and operate a recreation pier upon the submerged lands and in the waters of Lake Michigan, extended easterly and perpendicular to the general trend of the shore line at 31st street.	1094	1103	1159	1103		1159		
517	An Act making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the State Educational Institutions herein named	925	943	1045	943	1046	1178	1178	
519	An Act to amend section 38 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the organization of park districts and the transfer of submerged lands"	956	995	1080	995	1190	1216		

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520	An Act making an appropriation for the acquisition of land for the relocation of the Illinois State Penitentiary and the Illinois Asylum for Insane Criminals ..	1054	1054	1073	1054	1101	1182			1182	
521	An Act making an appropriation for the expenses of a commission appointed by the Governor of this State, under and by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 of the 43d General Assembly	956	957	1045	957	1046	1162			1162	
523	An Act for the sale to American Smelting and Refining Co., of the interest of the State of Illinois in certain lands	1026	1076	1158	1076	1188	1228			1228	
524	An Act to legalize the organization of certain cities, towns and villages, under an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages"	1026			1100						
525	An Act to provide for the manner of filling vacancies other than that of Governor of the State, in any of the elective State offices of the State of Illinois										
528	An Act to amend section 4 of article 12 of chapter 24 of an Act entitled, "An Act to provide for the licensing of plumbers and to supervise and inspect plumbing."	1026			1079	1190	1203			1203	
		1064			1102	1189	1299			1299	



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